

1 STATE OF ALASKA
2 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
3 DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS, BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING
4 BOARD OF BARBERS AND HAIRDRESSERS

5
6 MINUTES OF MEETING
7 October 9, 2017
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9 By the authority of AS 08.01.070(2) and AS 08.86.030 and in compliance with the provisions of
10 AS 44.62 Article 6, a scheduled meeting of the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers was held
11 October 9, 2017 in Anchorage, Alaska, Robert B. Atwood Bldg., Room 1270.
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13 **Item 1. Call to Order/Roll Call**
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15 The meeting of the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers was called to order by Kevin McKinley,
16 Chair at 9:11 a.m. Members present were:

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18 Kevin McKinley, Tattooist/Body Piercer/Permanent Cosmetic Colorist, Chair
19 Terriann Shell, Public Member
20 Michelle "Mitch" Black, Hairdresser
21 Glenda Ledford, Barber
22 Mae Canady, Hairdresser/Esthetician
23 Michelle McMullin, Nail Technician
24 Jennifer Lombardo, Industry License, Tattooist/Permanent Cosmetic Colorist
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26 Present from the Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing were:

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28 Alexa Adelmeyer, Licensing Examiner – Telephone Conference from Juneau
29 Cynthia Spencer, Licensing Examiner – Telephone Conference from Juneau
30 Sher Zinn, Records & Licensing Supervisor – Telephone Conference from
31 Juneau
32 Dawn Bundick Investigator – Anchorage
33 Greg Francois Chief Investigator – Anchorage
34 Karina Medina Probation Monitor – Anchorage
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36 Present from the public in person and telephonically were:

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38 Barbara Emery - Instructor

39 **FROM PUBLIC COMMENT SHEET:**

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41 Heather Picard – Instructor & Shop Owner
42 Normandy Huckins – Instructor
43 Michelle Smith - Instructor
44 Anita McCormick – Instructor & Shop Owner

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Item 2. Review/amend agenda

Kevin McKinley asked Board members and staff if there were any changes to the agenda. Mr. McKinley asked the Board to consider an “open agenda” which would allow the Board to move around the agenda without keeping to a specific order in order to conduct a smooth flowing meeting. Hearing no changes Mr. McKinley requested a motion.

On a motion duly made by Glenda Ledford, seconded by Michelle McMullin, and approved unanimously, it was

RESOLVED to approve the tentative meeting agenda as an open agenda allowing the board to move around and add items.

Mr. McKinley asked the Board if they would like any further discussion on this motion; hearing none Mr. McKinley polled the Board. Hearing no disagreements, the motion passed.

Item 3. Ethics Report

The Board reviewed the provided ethics information.

Ms. Ledford stated she is Vice President of the National-Interstate Council of State Boards of Cosmetology (NIC). Ms. Ledford went on to state she would disclose this at all meetings.

The board had no ethics violations to report.

Item 4. Approve/Amend Meeting Minutes

The Board reviewed the draft May 8, 2017, and July 22, 2017, meeting minutes.

Mr. McKinley asked the Board if there were any edits for the draft minutes. Hearing no changes; Mr. McKinley requested a motion.

On a motion duly made by Jennifer Lombardo, seconded by Glenda Ledford, and approved unanimously, it was

RESOLVED to adopt the May 8, 2017 and July 22, 2017 meeting minutes as written.

Mr. McKinley polled the Board, hearing no disagreement the minutes were approved.

Item 5. Regulation Projects

89 Board reviewed the draft regulation packet.

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91 Sher Zinn stated that the board does not have authority to add the first sentence regarding
92 schooling to 12 AAC 09/125 (a)(5) because the board does not have statute authority to initiate
93 schools for tattooing and body piercing. Ms. Zinn also let the board know if they adopt the
94 regulations as is and do not strike the first sentence as written, the department of law will most
95 likely remove it due to the board not having statute authority.

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97 The board briefly discussed and decided that they want to take out the first sentence of 12 AAC
98 09.125 (a)(5) regulation change, that reads, except for a school that is providing body piercing
99 or tattooing and permanent cosmetic coloring, must submit.

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101 **On a motion duly made by Glenda Ledford, seconded by Jennifer Lombardo, and**
102 **approved unanimously, it was**

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104 **RESOLVED to strike 12 AAC 09.125 (a)(5), except for a school that is providing**
105 **body piercing or tattooing and permanent cosmetic coloring must submit.**

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107 Mr. McKinley asked the Board if they would like any further discussion on this motion; hearing
108 none Mr. McKinley polled the Board. Hearing no disagreements, the motion passed.

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110 Sher Zinn stated the board must make a motion if they want to adopt the proposed regulations.
111 Ms. Zinn also informed the board that they should consider the public comment and public cost
112 for changing the proposed regulations before adopting the regulation project.

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114 The board briefly discussed about the public cost and considered the public comment, deciding
115 to move forward with adopting the proposed regulations.

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117 **On a motion duly made by Glenda Ledford, seconded by Mitch Black, and**
118 **approved unanimously, it was**

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120 **RESOLVED to adopt the regulations, 12 AAC 09.086, 09.088, 09.125, 09.130,**
121 **09.160, 09.163, 09.165, 09.167, 09.169, 09.173, 09.180, 09.185, 09.190, taking**
122 **into consideration submitted public comments and the cost to the public.**

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124 Mr. McKinley asked the Board if they would like any further discussion on this motion.

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126 Jennifer Lombardo stated that since the required training hours for tattooing and permanent
127 cosmetic coloring apprentices is going to be 1,000 hours instead of 380 hours, they should also
128 increase the amount of time they have to finish their training. Ms. Lombardo believes if the
129 board is going to increase the number of hours of training, then the time frame the apprentices
130 have to finish their training should also be increased.

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132 Mr. Kinley replied that the body piercing apprentices currently are required to obtain 1,000
133 hours and they are able to finish their training within the required 12 month time frame. Mr.
134 McKinley stated he is also hesitant to change the amount of time because it is a legislation
135 change not a regulation change.

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137 Mitch Black stated that hairdressers have to complete 1,650 hours of training through a school
138 and apprentices have to complete 2,000 hours of training, they usually finish their training
139 within a year, even though they have two years to complete.

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141 Jennifer Lombardo stated that in the public comment it was requested to lengthen the
142 tattooing apprentice permit to 24 months from the current 12 months. Ms. Lombardo also
143 believes that tattoo artists should have to be licensed for at least 2 – 5 years before they can
144 instruct apprentices. Ms. Lombardo doesn't consider that tattoo artists reach their full potential
145 until years of practice.

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147 Glenda Ledford stated that if a licensee wants to be an instructor they have to have a license
148 for one year in the desired profession they want to teach followed by 600 hours of student
149 instructor training or at least three years of work experience in the field they want to instruct.
150 Ms. Ledford continued that after the student instructor completes the required training, then
151 they are signed up for the examinations.

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153 Mitch Black asked why the advanced manicurist is not listed under an apprenticeship for the
154 regulations being determined for public commenting.

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156 Michelle McMullin replied that manicurists can no longer be trained in an apprentice setting
157 because of the 12-hour manicurist roll back. Ms. McMullin explained that it is a statute change
158 and not regulation change to put manicurist back under apprenticeships.

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160 Glenda Ledford asked the board if the tattoo apprentices don't finish their training within a
161 year, are they allowed to renew their student permits.

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163 Kevin McKinley responded with they can apply for another student permit and continue
164 training for another year.

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166 Mr. McKinley asked the Board if they would like any further discussion on this motion. Hearing
167 none, Mr. McKinley requested a roll call vote.

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170 **Roll Call Vote**

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172	NAME	YES	NO ABSTAIN
173	Mitch Black	X	
174	Terriann Shell	X	
175	Michelle McMullin	X	

176 Jennifer Lombardo X
 177 Glenda Ledford X
 178 Mae Canady X
 179 Kevin McKinley X

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181 THE MOTION PASSED BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE.

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183 The board briefly discussed the SB51 manicuring roll back to 12 hour regulation project to be
 184 approved for public noticing.

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186 On a motion duly made by Glenda Ledford, seconded by Mitch Black, and
 187 approved unanimously, it was

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189 RESOLVED to send out the drafted regulation project for public noticing
 190 allowing for written comments only, and mailing to all active shop owners
 191 and practitioners.

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193 Roll Call Vote

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195	NAME	YES	NO ABSTAIN
196	Mitch Black	X	
197	Terriann Shell	X	
198	Michelle McMullin	X	
199	Jennifer Lombardo	X	
200	Glenda Ledford	X	
201	Mae Canady	X	
202	Kevin McKinley	X	

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204 THE MOTION PASSED BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE.

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206 The Board was ahead of schedule so it was agreed to move to item 9.

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208 Item 9. Business/Discussion

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210 ❖ 2018 Manicuring Legislation Discussion

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212 Kevin McKinley asked the board about their thoughts regarding the manicuring legislation.

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214 Glenda Ledford stated that they should go back to testing because so many of the manicurist
 215 have not taken the NIC written examination.

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217 Michelle McMullin stated that she believes that 12 hours of training does not give a manicurist
 218 the proper training to do nails. Ms. McMullin considers the main mistake was that
 219 grandfathering was taken out and everyone had to obtain 250 hours of training.

220
221 Kevin McKinley stated that the error was from not watching the bill closely enough. Mr.
222 McKinley believes that this time around everyone must closely watch the bill, engage with the
223 practitioners and the shop owners, make phones call, emails, and so forth. Mr. McKinley
224 furthermore stated that the board truly believed that it was going to be read properly and they
225 did not catch the mistake.

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227 Glenda Ledford stated the board believed the mistake would be fixed and it would come out
228 properly. Ms. Ledford noted what came out was completely different from what the board
229 intended. Ms. Ledford also specified that this was the first legislation that the board has had in
230 fourteen years.

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232 Michelle McMullin stated the difference between manicurist and advanced endorsement
233 licenses need to be clearly defined.

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235 **❖ Legislative Committee Assignments**

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237 Kevin McKinley stated anything that the board is going to do legislatively, the legislative
238 committee is going to look at, review and suggest ideas to the board. Mr. McKinley also stated
239 that he wants the board's information to get out to the community efficiently and correctly.
240 Mr. McKinley stated that he will observe the process and assist as needed.

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242 Kevin McKinley stated that two people have already agreed to be on the legislative committee,
243 Deanna Pruhs and Jeannine Jabaay. Jennifer Lombardo and Michelle McMullin also agreed to
244 be on the legislative committee.

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246 Mr. McKinley suggested that Ms. McMullin focuses on the community to ensure the community
247 is informed. Mae Canaday correspondingly volunteered to ensure the community is informed
248 and will help Ms. McMullin.

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250 Mr. McKinley requested that Glenda Ledford help educate the committee team on the
251 legislative process and help with any questions or concerns.

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253 *Recess The Board recessed at 10:04 am for a break and reconvened at 10:13 am.*

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255 **Item 6. Public Comment**

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257 Heather Picard, Instructor, Hairdresser, Shop Owner, and Proctor
258 Ms. Picard stated that she wishes that the board would allow instructors to have the authority
259 to hold all apprentice training hours, due to the fact that she is not a school and the apprentices
260 do not pay for their training.

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262 Ms. Picard stated as a shop owner, she has to pay her apprentices minimum wage under the
263 regulations enforced by Department of Labor and Workforce Development. Ms. Picard believes

264 her business suffered a loss since her apprentice left her training before the two year mark, and
265 got to keep her hours obtained through her apprenticeship.

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267 Ms. Picard feels as the apprentices have an advantage that they can get trained privately and
268 be able to transfer their training hours to a school. Ms. Picard wants the board to allow
269 instructors the authority to hold apprentice hours and not allow them to transfer their hours.

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271 Mae Canady stated that it is a legislative change. The board cannot change this since it is a
272 statute change for the Department of Labor.

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274 Ms. Picard thanked the Board for their time.

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276 The Board thanked Ms. Picard for her participation.

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278 Normandy J. Huckins, Instructor for King Career Center
279 Ms. Huckins stated that she supports that the manicurists and advanced endorsement licenses
280 should be clearly defined.

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282 Ms. Huckins itemized that she is unclear on how to track the manicuring hours on the monthly
283 reports for hairdresser students.

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285 Alexa Adelmeyer stated that since it is a regulation change, the hairdresser curriculum has not
286 been changed and will not change until the regulation process is completed. Ms. Adelmeyer
287 continued that hairdressers are not required to obtain manicurists training until the regulation
288 changes are completed.

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290 Sher Zinn stated that if they want to train for manicuring under their hairdresser training, they
291 can write in the training hours on the monthly report until it is officially updated.

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293 Mr. Kinley asked Ms. Zinn if she could call Normandy Huckins regarding the hairdresser
294 curriculum change due to time restraint. Ms. Zinn and Ms. Huckins agreed upon this suggestion.

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296 Michelle South, Hairdresser, Instructor
297 Ms. South considers that education and testing standards should be changed. Ms. South stated
298 that the board should enforce yearly continuing education courses. Ms. South believes that
299 techniques are constantly changing and the practitioners should be educated yearly.

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301 Ms. South also mentioned that the shops should be inspected to ensure safety for the public.

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303 Ms. South specified that booth renters aren't held up to the standards and expectations that
304 shop owners are. Ms. South stated that booth renters need to be regulated more strictly and
305 it's hard for shop owner to compete when booth renters aren't being held to the same
306 standards.

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308 Mr. McKinley thanked Ms. South for her time.

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310 Annetta McCormick, Instructor

311 Ms. McCormick introduced herself to the board and stated that she is a licensed instructor for
312 esthetics and manicuring.

313 • Mirco-blading should be able to be under the esthetician license and tattooing/PCC
314 license.

315 • Micro-blading should be regulated but it does not go as deep as tattooing and have to
316 be touched up more constantly.

317 • Stated that after two-three years of being an esthetician then the licensees should be
318 able to do a micro-blading training.

319 • Clearly define micro-blading in the regulations.

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321 Mr. McKinley thanked Ms. McCormick for her participation.

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323 Item 7. Budget Report

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325 Mr. McKinley asked for Sara Chambers.

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327 Alexa Adelmeyer stated that Ms. Chambers will not be present for the meeting as the budget
328 report has not changed since the last time it was discussed.

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330 Mr. McKinley stated that the board will discuss the budget at the January, 2017 Board meeting
331 once the updated report is completed.

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333 Item 8. Investigation Report

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335 Dawn Bundick, Investigator reviewed the investigative report with the Board.

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337 Ms. Bundick requested the Board to review the investigation report and asked if the Board
338 members had any questions, hearing none, Ms. Bundick asked Mr. McKinley to go into
339 executive session for the Litigation Report.

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341 **On a motion duly made by Mitch Black, seconded by Jennifer Lombardo, and**
342 **approved unanimously, it was**

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344 **RESOLVED to enter into Executive Session under the authority of AS**
345 **44.62.310(C) to discuss with the investigator the investigative report.**

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347 The Board entered into executive session at 11:06 a.m., and returned from executive session at
348 11:45 a.m.

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350 **On a motion duly made by Jennifer Lombardo, seconded by Michelle McMullin,**
351 **and approved by roll call vote, it was**

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353 **RESOLVED to accept the Consent Agreement as written for case 2017-000090,**
354 **Turn -N- Heads.**

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356 Mr. McKinley asked the Board if they would like any further discussion; hearing none Mr.
357 McKinley requested a roll call vote.

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359 **Roll Call Vote**

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361	NAME	YES	NO ABSTAIN
362	Jennifer Lombardo	X	
363	Terriann Shell	X	
364	Glenda Ledford	X	
365	Kevin McKinley	X	
366	Mae Canady	X	
367	Mitch Black	X	
368	Michelle McMullin	X	

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370 **THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY FOR CASE 2017-000090, TURN-N-HEADS.**

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372 **On a motion duly made by Jennifer Lombardo, seconded by Mitch Black, and**
373 **approved by roll call vote, it was**

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375 **RESOLVED to accept the Consent Agreement as written for case 2017-000213,**
376 **Marilyn’s Hair Salon.**

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378 Mr. McKinley asked the Board if they would like any further discussion; hearing none Mr.
379 McKinley requested a roll call vote.

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381 **Roll Call Vote**

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383	NAME	YES	NO ABSTAIN
384	Jennifer Lombardo	X	
385	Terriann Shell	X	
386	Glenda Ledford	X	
387	Kevin McKinley	X	
388	Mae Canady	X	
389	Mitch Black	X	
390	Michelle McMullin	X	

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392 **THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY FOR CASE 2017-000213, Marilyn’s Hair Salon.**

393 **On a motion duly made by Jennifer Lombardo, seconded by Mitch Black, and**
394 **approved by roll call vote, it was**

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396 **RESOLVED to accept the Surrendered License for case 2012-000800, Angela**
397 **Thies.**

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399 Mr. McKinley asked the Board if they would like any further discussion; hearing none Mr.
400 McKinley requested a roll call vote.

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402 **Roll Call Vote**

403	NAME	YES	NO ABSTAIN
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405	Jennifer Lombardo	X	
406	Terriann Shell	X	
407	Glenda Ledford	X	
408	Kevin McKinley	X	
409	Mae Canady	X	
410	Mitch Black	X	
411	Michelle McMullin	X	

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413 **THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY FOR CASE 2012-000800, Angela Thies.**

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415 Karina Medina, Probation Monitor asked the Board if they had any questions regarding the
416 probation report.

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418 Mae Canady asked Ms. Medina about Jeff Staha.

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420 Ms. Medina stated that Mr. Staha has been paying his fines with his Permanent Dividend Funds,
421 and will be released from probation once all his fines have been paid.

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423 Ms. Medina stated that Loretta Overway's probation has been put on hold due to her license
424 lapsing. Ms. Medina confirmed that once her license is renewed, her probation will re-calculate.

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426 Ms. Medina indicated that Kelly Nash requested an extension to pay her fines, and she did
427 request an extension during the January, 2017 Board meeting but her request got denied. Ms.
428 Medina relayed that Mr. Nash got confused and thought she was denied to make payments, so
429 she has made zero payments as of today, October 9, 2017. Ms. Medina stated that she relayed
430 to Ms. Nash that 4,000 dollars is due because she is passed her due date; originally 4,000 was
431 due but 2,000 suspended, she now owes the full fine. Ms. Medina stated she was offered the
432 PFD garnishment option, but she did not submit the required paperwork.

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434 Dawn Bundick stated that if there are any violations in the probation period that the suspended
435 portion of the fine would be due immediately. Ms. Bundick asked the board if they would like
436 to change the wording from immediately, to not until probation has been finished. She stated
437 that it says it is immediately due, which means Ms. Nash must pay the 4,000 now.

439 Ms. Black asked Ms. Bundick how long has the board been dealing with Ms. Nash's probation
440 and has she had an extension? Ms. Bundick responded that she has been in contact with her
441 since 2015 and she has had one extension but requested a second extension, which got denied.
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443 Sher Zinn asked Korina Medina for clarification regarding when Ms. Nash received her first
444 extension because the case number opened up January of 2017.
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446 Ms. Medina responded that her consent agreement was adopted December, 2016 and her fine
447 was due within 180 days. Ms. Medina stated this is the first consent agreement, and she made
448 a request in January, 2017 for an extension, the board denied her request and she still has not
449 made any payments.
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451 Ms. Zinn stated that she needs clarification because Ms. Medina is stating that this started in
452 2016, but on the probation report it states it started in January, 2017. Ms. Zinn asked if the
453 January, 2017 is a second agreement.
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455 In response, Ms. Medina stated that the January, 2017 consent agreement is the first
456 agreement. Ms. Medina stated that she started January, 2017 and is unsure why she requested
457 for an extension.
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459 Mitch Black asked for clarification if she submitted a letter of hardship with her extension in
460 January, 2017. Ms. Black stated she had got denied because the board has been dealing with
461 Ms. Nash since 2016, and she still had not made any payments. Ms. Black stated she is trying to
462 get another extension, yet she has had 10 months to make a payment, and she has not
463 submitted any.
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465 Chief Investigator, Greg Francois, clarified that Ms. Nash case first opened in 2015, her consent
466 agreement was signed in December of 2016, and her probation started January, 2017. Mr.
467 Francois stated that they have been in contact with Ms. Nash for a while regarding this case.
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469 The board discussed payment options regarding if Ms. Nash should pay the 4,000 immediately
470 or if they should accept payment plans.
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472 Mr. McKinley stated that Ms. Nash should have 30 days to make a payment, and if she does not
473 make a payment within 30 days or if she ever comes out of compliance, then she must pay her
474 4,000 fine immediately.
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476 Ms. Medina stated she will notify Ms. Nash with a certified letter stating she must make a
477 payment within 30 days, and continue to make payments monthly; if she doesn't stay in
478 compliance she will owe 4,000 immediately.
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480 **On a motion duly made by Mitch Black, seconded by Michelle McMullin, and**
481 **approved by roll call vote, it was**
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483 **RESOLVED to accept the hardship request for an extension 2017-000099,**
484 **Kelly Nash.**

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486 Mr. McKinley asked the Board if they would like any further discussion on this motion; hearing
487 none Mr. McKinley polled the Board.

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489 **Roll Call Vote**

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	NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN					
	Terriann Shell		X						
	Glenda Ledford		X						
	Mae Canady		X						
	Mitch Black		X						
	Jennifer Lombardo		X						
	Kevin McKinley		X						
	Jeannine Jabaay		X						
	Michelle McMullin		X						

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501 **THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY TO DENY THE EXTENSION REQUEST AND ENFORCE THE**
502 **FULL FINE DUE FOR CASE 2017-000099, KELLY NASH.**

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505 **Item 9. Business/Discussion**

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507 ❖ **Regulation Project & Discussion**
508 ❖ **12 AAC 09.056(e), 09.060(e), 09.065(d), 09.066(c), 09.070(e) – Allow foreign**
509 **language translator(s) for written exam.**

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511 Mr. McKinley greeted licensing examiner, Cynthia Spencer.

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513 Cynthia Spencer stated to the board that the foreign language translator for the written exam is
514 upon candidate request. Ms. Spencer explained that the foreign language translated exams
515 would be set up almost identical as the current verbal exams, there would be a group of people
516 taking the exam and the translator would read. Ms. Spencer explained to the Board that in
517 accordance with the NIC Administrative Manual, foreign language translators are allowed,
518 however it would require a regulation change. Ms. Spencer stated the only program we could
519 not provide this opportunity for is for tattooing and body piercing examinees.

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521 The board reviewed the NIC Administrative Manual regarding foreign translation.

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523 Mitch Black asked Ms. Spencer if they could charge the examinees a fee for requesting a
524 translator. Ms. Spencer responded, that the board could charge the examinees but the
525 translator would be getting paid the same amount as the proctors.

527 Ms. Spencer relayed to the board that Alaska would be one of the very few states to offer this
528 service, and some states may not recognize the translated written exam. Ms. Spencer stated
529 that the licensee could possibly have to re-test if the state they tried getting licensed in did not
530 recognize the verbal written exam.

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532 Sher Zinn stated that states that go through NIC would have to accept the verbal translated
533 examination.

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535 Ms. Spencer explained to the board that this will be a regulation change for 12 AAC 09.056(e),
536 09.060(e), 09.065(d), 09.066(c), 09.070(e), if they decide to use translators.

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538 Glenda Ledford expressed her concern that if the NIC exam is compromised, then the board is
539 looking at thousands of dollars in fines.

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541 Ms. Ledford stated that years ago there was a problem with a group of barbers and hairdresser
542 who couldn't speak English, and they found out they needed to be able to speak English for the
543 examinations, they were able to do it.

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545 Michelle McMullin stated that she isn't concerned that this will be an issue until the manicurist
546 and the advanced endorsement is clearly defined.

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548 Mr. McKinley stated that he believes instead of making a regulation change right away, that the
549 board should reach out to the community for their views, and that the board needs more
550 information until making a decision.

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552 Glenda Ledford asked Ms. Spencer if an applicant applied for an exam through the American
553 Disability Act (ADA) and requested a translator, would they be denied.

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555 Ms. Spencer responded with the request would have to go through supervisor approval, and
556 then up the chain. Ms. Spencer also stated, if it did get approved, staff would have to find a
557 translator, which could take up to a few months.

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559 Jennifer Lombardo stated that this isn't a pressing issue, and the board could wait to address it
560 after reaching out for the community input.

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562 Board decided to table discussion about a new regulation project for 12 AAC 09.056(e),
563 09.060(e), 09.065(d), 09.066(c), 09.070(e) – Allow foreign language translator(s) for written
564 exam until the May, 2018 Board meeting.

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566 **❖ Allow hold of apprentice hours for payment issues.**

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568 Cynthia Spencer stated that this was previously talked about with the Board during public
569 comment. Ms. Spencer relayed that this was put on the agenda after having a conversation

570 with Heather Picard. Ms. Spencer stated that it would be similar to the hold we do for the
571 schools.

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573 Mr. McKinley stated that Ms. Picard is wanting to hold apprentice hours for another reason, not
574 for payment.

575
576 Mr. McKinley stated that there are instructors in the tattoo industry that constantly will not
577 sign off the completion paperwork. Mr. McKinley explained that he had a staff person that
578 completed her training but the instructor would not sign her completion paper work so she had
579 to completely re-do her training.

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581 Ms. Spencer responded that she would be very hesitant to give instructors more power due to
582 the already uprising issues with instructors not completing monthly reports, signing completion
583 and termination paperwork.

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585 Mr. McKinley asked the Board what are ways to cut out instructors that do an inadequate job
586 as a trainer and won't sign the apprentices completion paperwork; who are also constantly in
587 non-compliance with the state and they are repeated offenders to apprentices.

588
589 Ms. Spencer responded that this is something that would possibly have to be worked out with
590 the investigative unit. Mr. Spencer agreed that it would be accommodating to have some kind
591 of check and balance where we could notify the apprentices if we see an instructor name show
592 up on their application, which constantly is in non-compliance. Ms. Spencer also stated that
593 another option is to flag the instructor license and not let them instruct for an amount of time.

594
595 Mae Canady stated that the board sees this problem more with tattoo artist and body piercer
596 apprentices because they do not have the option to go to a school, like hairdressers, barbers,
597 and estheticians do.

598
599 Jennifer Lombardo suggested that the tattooing and body piercing instructors be required to
600 hold their license for longer than one year and obtain instructor training. Ms. Lombardo stated
601 that if the requirements were higher to become an instructor, it could potentially weed out the
602 unprofessional trainers.

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604 Michelle McMullin suggested that the tattoo and body piercer instructors should be required to
605 take the instructor written examination, like the beauty industry instructors.

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607 Mr. McKinley stated that even if the requirements were to be increased for instructors, there
608 will still be bad instructors. Mr. McKinley stated that the board needs to step in once instructors
609 start becoming non-compliant, but right now the board does not have the authority to do
610 anything regarding vindictive instructors. Mr. McKinley stated that he considers the board
611 should have the authority to tell an instructor they can no longer apprentice, if they start to
612 become non-compliant.

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614 Mae Canady stated that the board should take into account that since the tattooing hour
615 requirements are increasing, the instructor should have more training hours to obtain. Mae
616 Canady discussed that the board should consider requiring trainers to take the instructor
617 written examination, due to the rise in training requirements.

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619 Mr. McKinley discussed that if the investigative staff had more authority then they could
620 suspend the instructors license if the instructor continued to be non-compliant.

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622 Michelle McMullin discussed about allowing manicurists to enroll into apprenticeship program
623 outside of a school.

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625 Ms. Spencer informed Ms. McMullin that allowing manicurists to be in an apprenticeship
626 program is a statute change, not a regulation change. Ms. Spencer stated that all manicurist
627 and advanced endorsement training must be in a school.

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629 Michelle McMullin stated that if adding the advanced endorsement under the apprenticeship is
630 a statute change, then the board should be certain to grandfather the 12 hour manicurist
631 license.

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633 The board discussed briefly about manicurists instructing.

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635 Ms. Spencer stated that pre-nail technician training, the only time manicuring could be taught
636 through an apprenticeship was if they were doing hairdressing, all other manicuring training
637 was required to be done in a school licensed by the board. Ms. Spencer continued that once the
638 nail technician license was adopted, then nail technicians could be enrolled into an
639 apprenticeship program; however since June 17, 2017 the apprenticeship option has been
640 removed via the statute change.

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642 Glenda Ledford asked Ms. Spencer, do you have to have an advanced endorsement to be an
643 instructor? Ms. Spencer responded that licensees must have an advanced endorsement license
644 in order to qualify to be an instructor for advanced endorsement.

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646 Mitch Black asked Ms. Spencer if a licensed hairdresser instructor could teach the 12-hour
647 manicurist license. Ms. Spencer responded that a licensed hairdresser instructor can, if they
648 had the training in manicuring, however it must be in a licensed school, and the student must
649 be enrolled at that same school.

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651 Ms. Spencer stated that if a school wants to add the 12-hour manicuring course, they have to
652 submit a written request, curriculum, and a board member must go to their school for an
653 inspection. Ms. Spencer specified that schools cannot start teaching the 12 hour manicuring
654 course without following the proper steps.

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656 Board decided to table discussion regarding instructors not complying with turning in
657 apprentice documentation until the May, 2018 Board meeting.

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Item 10.Business/Discussion

❖ Application Review

- Linardo Santos Quezada, Barber by Examination with Out of Country Training

The Board reviewed the application and documentation for Mr. Santos Quezada. The Board did a transcript evaluation and discussed he didn't meet the minimum training requirements of 12 AAC 09.160.

The Board discussed Mr. Santos Quezada needed additional training to reflect the requirements of 12 AAC 09.160 and tabling the application until the additional training is obtained.

On a motion duly made by Mitch Black, seconded by Glenda Ledford and approved by roll call vote, it was

RESOLVED to table the application of Linardo Santos Quezada and request 250 practical operations to be completed to meet the training requirements of 12 AAC 09.160.

Mr. McKinley asked the Board if they would like further discussion on this motion; hearing none, Mr. McKinley requested a roll call vote.

Roll Call Vote

NAME	YES	NO ABSTAIN
Kevin McKinley	X	
Terriann Shell	X	
Jennifer Lombardo	X	
Glenda Ledford	X	
Mae Canady	X	
Mitch Black	X	
Michelle McMullin	X	

THE MOTION PASSED BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE.

❖ Online Blood Borne Pathogen Course Approval

Mr. McKinley asked the board to review the online blood borne pathogen packet by State Food Safety provided in the board packet.

Mr. McKinley asked Cynthia Spencer if the program will let you stop for a period of time and then continue where you left off. Ms. Spencer stated that there is not a time limit, they can

701 pause and continue, they must actively engage with the program, and they will customize a
702 certificate for Alaska once the licensee completes.

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704 Glenda stated that this program has more information than the program she took, and the
705 board approved the other program.

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707 **On a motion duly made by Terriann Shell, seconded by Mitch Black, and**
708 **approved unanimously, it was**

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710 **RESOLVED to approve the online blood borne pathogen course.**

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712 **Roll Call Vote**

713	NAME	YES	NO ABSTAIN
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715	Mitch Black	X	
716	Terriann Shell	X	
717	Michelle McMullin	X	
718	Jennifer Lombardo	X	
719	Glenda Ledford	X	
720	Mae Canady	X	
721	Kevin McKinley	X	

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723 **THE MOTION PASSED BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE.**

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725 ❖ **Microblading**

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727 Michelle McMullin suggested to the board that they should consider providing an advanced
728 endorsement for the esthetician license, which would allow microblading. Glenda Ledford in
729 response said the board has already decided to not create an advanced esthetician license.

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731 Jennifer Lombardo proposed to create an endorsement for microblading that both an
732 esthetician and tattoo artist could obtain.

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734 Sher Zinn stated to the board that in accordance with statute 08.13.100, the board has the
735 authority by regulation to create areas of limited professional licensing in the field of esthetics.
736 Sher Zinn explained the board could, with, additional training outlined in regulation, add a
737 limited professional licensing field to an esthetics license. Ms. Zinn continued that if the person
738 could prove they had however many hours of training in microblading, then the board could
739 put that on an esthetician license.

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741 Michelle McMullin stated that most microblading courses are only three days, and she is
742 hesitant to allow people to hold an endorsement after three days of training.

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744 Glenda Ledford stated that the board could create an endorsement and then regulate what the
745 endorsement requirements entails, it won't matter if you are an esthetician or a tattoo artist
746 with this endorsement.

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748 Mr. McKinley stated that the next meeting he would like an outline of what the endorsement
749 will look like from Jennifer Lombardo, Michelle McMullin, and Terriann Shell.

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751 ❖ **Esthetician Practical Exam**

752 Cynthia Spencer stated this was a request from one of our proctors. Ms. Spencer relayed that
753 she has already spoke with a board member regarding this request and it may sound like a good
754 idea to switch around the order of procedures for the esthetician practical examination, but the
755 exam is not set up to clean a full face of make up within the time allotted for the examination.

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757 Mr. McKinley asked the board if anybody wanted to change the flow of the esthetician practical
758 exam. The board all agreed that they did not want to change the flow of the esthetician
759 practical exam.

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761 ❖ **Alaska State Law Questions for National Written Examinations**

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763 Alexa Adelmeyer stated to the board that all board members were asked to submit at least 5
764 state law questions for the national written examination, and only one board member has
765 submitted questions.

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767 Mr. McKinley asked the Board to submit their questions by the December 1, 2018.

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769 The Board decided to table this discussion until the May, 2018 meeting.

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771 Mae Canaday discussed briefly about her concerns regarding proctoring at the examinations.
772 The board agreed to table this discussion for the January, 2018 meeting.

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774 *The Board adjourned at 3:13 p.m.*

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Respectfully submitted:

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/s/
Alexa Adelmeyer, Licensing Examiner

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Approved:

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/s/
Kevin McKinley, Chairperson
Board of Barbers and Hairdressers

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