1	STATE OF ALASKA
2	DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
3	DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS, BUSINESS, AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING
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5	STATE MEDICAL BOARD
6	MINUTES OF MEETING
7	Friday, May 16, 2025
8	111ddy, 10, 2025
9	These are DRAFT minutes prepared by staff of the Division of Corporations, Business and Professional
10	Licensing. They have not been reviewed or approved by the Board.
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12	By authority of AS 08.01.070(2) and in compliance with the provisions of AS 44.62, a quarterly meeting
13	of the Alaska State Medical Board was held Friday, May 16, 2025.
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15	1. Call to Order/ Roll Call
16	The meeting was called to order by Chair Taylor at 8:31 a.m.
17	Roll Call
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20	Board members present: David Barnes, DO
20	Matt Heilala, DPM
22	Lydia Mielke, Public Member (Secretary)
22	David Paulson, MD
23 24	Brent Taylor, MD (Chair)
25	David Wilson, Public Member
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27	It was noted by Ms. Mielke that the new appointee to the Board, Samantha Smith, Physician Assistant,
28	failed to be confirmed by the legislature and will no longer be serving on the Board.
29	Talled to be committed by the legislature and will no longer be serving on the board.
30	Staff present: Kendra Wardlaw, Senior Investigator, Aaron Poland, Investigator, Karina Medina,
31	Probation Monitor, Charley Larson, Investigator, Shelley Irons, Investigator, Natalie Norberg, Executive
32	Administrator; Jason Kaeser, Licensing Supervisor, Jacob Olsen, Licensing Examiner, Alisa Perkins,
33	Licensing Examiner
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35	2. Review / Approval of Agenda
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37	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Barnes, and approved by roll call vote,
38	the Alaska State Medical Board approved the agenda as presented.
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40	Roll Call: Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor, and Mr. Wilson.
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42	3. Review/Approval of Minutes
43	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor, and approved by roll call vote,
44	the Alaska State Medical Board approved the minutes for the February 21, 2025, March 20,
45	2025, March 28, 2025, and April 17, 2025, meetings.
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1 2	Roll Call: Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor, and Mr. Wilson.
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3 4	4. Ethics Disclosures
5	Ms. Norberg queried each board member. There were no ethical disclosures made by board members.
6 7	5. Deliberative Session
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9	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by a roll call vote,
10	the Alaska State Medical Board entered a deliberative session under AS 44.62.310(d) solely to
11	make a decision concerning the Office of Administrative Hearing's proposed decision
12	make a decision concerning the office of Administrative frearing s proposed decision
13	In the Matter of C.D.
14	Office of Administrative Hearings Case Number 23-0112-MED
15	Board Case Numbers: 2022-001189
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17	with Administrative Judges Chris Kennedy or Cheryl Mandala or special counsel to the Board,
18	AAG Robert Bacaj to join the Board if invited, and others to be excluded during the deliberative
19	session.
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21	Roll Call: Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor, and Mr. Wilson.
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23	The Reviewing Board Member, Dr. Heilala was also excluded from the deliberative session.
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25	The Board entered a deliberative session at 8:36 a.m. and returned on the record at 8:49 a.m.
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27	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by a roll call
28	vote, the Alaska State Medical Board adopted the decision as proposed to revoke Alaska
29	license #199122 issued to Dr. C.D. and affirm the summary suspension of license #199122 on
30	February 10, 2023.
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32	Roll Call: Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor, and Mr. Wilson.
33	Abstained: Dr. Heilala
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35	Ms. Mielke stated, "It is the Board's position in the interest of public safety and transparency that all
36	information related to this case should be released publicly." Ms. Mielke put forth a motion for all
37	information related to this case to be released. The motion was seconded by Dr. Paulson. During the
38	discussion, ALJ Judge Mandala was recognized to address the Board. ALJ Mandala questioned how the
39	Board is defining "all the information" in the case. It was suggested by Ms. Norberg that the Board may
40	want to delay a decision on this matter to consider a more nuanced position. Several board members
41	voiced their support for delaying a decision on this matter. In a roll call vote, the Board did not approve
42	the motion.
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44	Roll Call: Nays, Dr. Barnes, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor, and Mr. Wilson.
45	Abstained: Dr. Heilala
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47	6. Public Comments & Board Correspondence
48	Chair Taylor opened the floor for members of the public to address the Board.

2 • Michael Kramer advised he wanted to address a procedural issue concerning the "confidentiality issue." He stated, "The state statute is clear that the Medical Board is a 3 Peer Review Organization, subject to the same confidentiality rules as hospital peer review 4 organizations, there is no exception. We briefed it extensively in front of ALJ Kennedy, and 5 6 he said that the law applies." Mr. Kramer noted that the AAG's office disagreed with ALJ's 7 determination and appealed it to the superior court. Mr. Kramer stated several times that 8 he found it distressing that the Board would act so quickly to determine that all records 9 should be released, given the ALJ's ruling that the confidentiality rules apply to the Board. 10 He opined that the Board may have acted quickly because they were influenced during the executive session by the AG. Mr. Kramer disputed the notion that public safety is an issue in 11 this case since there was "no finding that this surgeon was dangerous to the public 12 13 regarding his surgical skills." Mr. Kramer asserted that the only public safety matter in this 14 case would have to relate to the doctor's failure to disclose a prior investigation. Mr. 15 Kramer also observed that Dr. Heilala was in the executive session with the Board although 16 he abstained from voting because he was a Reviewing Board Member.

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Ms. Norberg requested that the Board identify for the record who was present in the deliberative
session. Chair Taylor clarified that Dr. Heilala was asked to leave the room shortly after the Board
went into the deliberative session and returned only after the meeting was opened. Board
members present during the session included Mr. Wilson, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Paulson, Ms. Mielke and
Dr. Taylor. AAG Bacaj was invited in for a procedural question as well.

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24 Harriet Dinegar Milks thanked the board for pausing on making a decision related to the • confidentiality issue, affirming that it is a complex issue. She stated that the Peer Review 25 Statute does not shield everything from public disclosure, rather "it was written specifically 26 27 to enable hospitals and other review organizations to conduct an investigation without 28 interference or without fear of liability." Ms. Milks affirmed that she believes the Board is a 29 review organization and encouraged the Board to read the statute carefully, and the 30 pleadings, and consult with your AG. Ms. Milks asserted that once the Board received the case, there is no longer a need to protect the information from disclosure. She stated that it 31 32 is the division's opinion, that "the public needs to know not only what you decide, but how 33 you decide it." Ms. Milks stated that the basis for the decision, including the evidence and 34 testimony considered, are all things that historically have been made available to the public. 35 Ms. Milks acknowledged that this issue is on appeal to the Superior Court, and that "it's 36 probably time to let a court decide." Finally, Ms. Milks asserted that it is not true that Judge 37 Kennedy found no negligence in the case. Ms. Milks stated that Judge Kennedy found in his 38 proposed decision, that the Board has now adopted, that the negligence was in selecting 39 this particular patient for this particular operation which related to the fact that the patient 40 died.

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• **Dr. Cosmin Dobrescu** advised that he was calling in to "request or ask if the Board wishes to ask me any questions or to speak to me."

- 1 Chair Taylor queried the Board to see if there were any questions for Dr. Dobrescu. There were no
- 2 questions or comments raised by board members to Dr. Dobrescu.
- 3 Chair Taylor asked board members if they had reviewed this quarter's correspondence to the Board.
- 4 Ms. Norberg highlighted the Psychedelic Medicine Task Force recommendations, noting that if the FDA
- 5 does approve the use of psychedelic medications, and if they are approved in Alaska, there will be
- 6 implications for the Medical Board to update its Guidelines for Prescribing Controlled Substance. Board
- 7 members opined on the likelihood of psychedelic medications being approved and the legalization and
- 8 public consumption process being similar to cannabis.
- 9 Acknowledging the 3rd Quarter Budget Report, Dr. Taylor observed that legal expenses for the Board
- 10 have increased since last year. Ms. Norberg explained that legal expenses have increased due to the
- 11 number of litigated cases coming before the Board. Questions regarding the Governor's Administrative
- 12 Order's halt on regulation projects and how that will impact the Board were also addressed.
- 13 The Prescription Drug Monitoring Program 3rd Quarter Report was briefly discussed. Board members
- were reminded that technical violations, cases involving a licensee's failure to register for the PDMP in a
- 15 timely manner, have been delegated to the Executive Administrator for resolution.

16 7. Full Board Review

17	Harold Hollander, D.O.
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19	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by a roll call
20	vote, the Alaska State Medical Board entered executive session in accordance with AS
21	44.62.310(c)(2), and the Alaska Constitutional Right to Privacy Provisions for the purpose of
22	discussing doctors Hollander and Stephenson's applications for licensure with Board staff
23	remaining during the session.
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25	Roll Call: Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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27	The Board went off the record at 9:18 a.m. and returned on the record at 9:29 a.m.
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29	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by a roll call
30	vote, the Alaska State Medical Board approved Harold Hollander, D.O. for a full medical
31	license.
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33	Roll Call: Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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35	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by a roll call
36	vote, the Alaska State Medical Board decided to postpone a decision regarding licensure for
37	Dr. Jacob Stephenson until further information is gathered.
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39	Roll Call: Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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41	8. Break

42 The Board went off the record for a break at 9:30 a.m. and returned on the record at 9:47 a.m.

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2	9. Interviews
3	Adam Fitzgerald, M.D.
4	Dr. Fitzgerald requested to have his interview conducted in an executive session.
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6	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by a roll call
7	vote, Alaska State Medical Board entered into an executive session in accordance with AS
8	44.62.310(c)(2), and the Alaska Constitutional Right to Privacy Provisions for the purpose of
9	discussing Dr. Adam Fitzgerald's application for licensure with Dr. Fitzgerald remaining for part
10	of the session and Board staff remaining during the entire session.
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12 13	Roll Call: Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
13 14	The Board went off the record at 9:49 a.m. and returned on the record at 10:13 a.m.
15	The board went on the record at 9.49 a.m. and returned on the record at 10.15 a.m.
16	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by a roll call
17	vote, Alaska State Medical Board decided to table a decision regarding whether to grant Dr.
18	Fitzgerald a license pending further information to be gathered.
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20	Roll Call: Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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22	Justin Sterett, M.D.
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24	Dr. Sterett requested to have his interview conducted in an executive session.
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26	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by roll call vote,
27	the Alaska State Medical Board entered executive session in accordance with AS
28	44.62.310(c)(2), and the Alaska Constitutional Right to Privacy Provisions for the purpose of
29	discussing Dr. Justin Sterett's application for licensure with Dr. Sterett remaining for part of the session
30 31	the session and Board staff remaining during the entire session.
32	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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34	The Board went off the record at 10:16 a.m. and returned on the record at 10:38 a.m.
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36	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by roll call vote,
37	the Alaska State Medical Board approved Dr. Justin Sterett for a full medical license.
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39	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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41	10. New Business
42	Notice regarding Industrial Hemp. Sara Chambers, Boards and Regulations Advisor for the
43	Commissioner's Office, was invited to address the Board to introduce the topic. Ms. Chambers
44	explained the Department of Commerce is helping to ensure that licensees of health care
45	related boards are notified of the recent announcement regarding the State's laws regarding
46	industrial hemp. The notice is that industrial hemp is regulated by the Division of Agriculture
47	and requires that all hemp derived products and any retailers of industrial hemp products to be

- registered by the division. Intoxicating hemp products that are sometimes used in the
 healthcare context such as CBD oil and other hemp seed products all require registration.
 Registration is considered a straightforward process, and the department is wanting to ensure
 all medical board licensees are aware of the requirement. Board members expressed no
 concerns or comments.
- 6 Medical Spa Workgroup Update. Ms. Chambers was invited to introduce this topic. It was 7 explained that the Medical Spa Workgroup is a non-statutory body comprised of representatives 8 from six boards. Dr. Paulson represents the Medical Board on the group. The purpose of the 9 group is to learn about, discuss and propose potential board actions related to ensuring that the 10 various and numerous aesthetic procedures, which are frequently changing due to new 11 technology, are safely administered in Alaska. A key consideration right now from the Medical Board's perspective is clarifying the existing statutes and regulations regarding the role of the 12 13 medical director, this includes the oversight, delegation and supervision of unlicensed assistants 14 in the administration of some of these procedures. Alaska's department of law has weighed in 15 on this question and provided a response in the memo provided to the Board.
- 16 Dr. Paulson affirmed that the issues under consideration in the workgroup are complex. He 17 alluded to business models in Alaska which are embracing a crossover between medicine, 18 wellness and cosmetics where we are "discovering vulnerabilities" and he believes this is 19 "dangerous territory." Dr. Paulson asserted that part of the solution may be to resurrect a 20 concept introduced in the legislature in 2017, in SB 108, which would have created a pathway to 21 certify medical assistants. Dr. Paulson endorses creating a tiered level of certified medical 22 assistants that could have training with minimum standards in aesthetics. He believes 23 physicians or advanced practitioners would need to evaluate the patient and develop the 24 treatment plan and then certain treatments can be administered by the certified medical 25 assistant by protocols. Dr. Paulson suggested that nurses could have jurisdiction over medical 26 assistants.
- Board members discussed and agreed that there are frequently questions and gray areas in the
 aesthetic arena as they relate to the practice of medicine. Laser tattoo removal, deep facial
 peels, IV hydration and compounding issues were examples identified where questions are
 often raised. It was acknowledged that there are many variables to consider, such as a
 practitioner's training and industry specific devices that are being used, when determining
- 32 whether a procedure requires complex medical judgement to administer.
- Ms. Chambers offered to work with Dr. Paulson and the Board to make a recommendation for
 the Board to consider whether a solution requires statutory or regulatory change and to possibly
- 35 engage with the Board of Nursing on a solution.

36 Malpractice Case Reviews

Acknowledging that the meeting was ahead of schedule it was suggested to and then agreed to by Chair
Taylor to address item # 15, "Malpractice Case Reviews" at this point in the agenda.

39On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor and approved by a roll call40vote, the Alaska State Medical Board entered into an executive session in accordance with AS4144.62.310 (c)(3), and Alaska Constitutional Right to Privacy Provisions, with board staff42remaining in the session for the purpose of discussing malpractice cases involving the43following practitioners:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	 Daniel Bade, MD David Christianson, MD James Cagle, DO Kara Perrelli, MD Ravi Patel, DO Scott Boruchov, MD Stephen Kujansuu, MD Thomas Kelley, DO
9 10	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
11 12 13	The Board went off the record at 11:06 a.m. and returned on the record at 11:26 a.m.
13 14 15 16	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, and seconded by Dr. Taylor, the Alaska State Medical Board decided to take no further action with respect to malpractice cases related to the following physicians:
17	Daniel Bade, MD
18	David Christianson, MD
19	James Cagle, DO
20	Kara Perrelli, MD
20	Scott Boruchov, MD
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23	Thomas Kelley, DO
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25	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
26	On a mation duly mode by Ma Mielka and accorded by Dy Tayloy the Alaska State Madical
27	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, and seconded by Dr. Taylor, the Alaska State Medical
28	Board decided to refer the malpractice case involving Ravi Patel, D.O. to the Investigations
29	Unit for the purpose of gathering additional information.
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31	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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33	Old Business
34 25	Noting the meeting was still ahead of schedule, Chair Taylor decided to address item # 13, "Old
35	Business" at this point in the agenda.
36	• 2025-2026 Board Priorities and Goals
37	Chair Taylor invited board members to introduce ideas for board priorities to be addressed in the
38	upcoming fiscal year.
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40	Mr. Wilson stated he had two priorities for the Board to consider. First, he would like to revisit the
41	"Reviewing Board Member" matter. Mr. Wilson asserted that the Reviewing Board Members are subject
42	matter experts, and the most knowledgeable about investigative cases yet he is concerned that their
43	recommendations are not consistently presented to the Board by the investigators, because on occasion
44	it has been revealed that the opinion or recommendation of the RBM was not supported by the Dept. of
45 46	Law. Mr. Wilson is concerned that the Board is only getting the perspective of the investigators
46 47	because they do not have access to the RBM during deliberations. Mr. Wilson would like the Board to explore a better solution.

1	Second, Mr. Wilson suggested that the Board should issue a statement in opposition to the MRNA
2	vaccines for COVID, especially as they are part of the childhood vaccine schedule in the State of Alaska
3	from the Department of Health. Mr. Wilson stated that there is an overwhelming amount of evidence
4	that now shows that the MRNA vaccines are not safe. He is concerned that the MRNA Covid Vaccine is
5	considered a part of the childhood vaccine schedule in Alaska. Other board members voiced support for
6	reviewing vaccine recommendations and to possibly issue a statement that is narrow in focus or that
7	encourages pediatricians to practice prudential judgement when considering the CDC guidelines.
8	Opposing restrictions placed on people if they do not follow the CDC guidelines was also suggested.
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10	Ms. Mielke reminded the Board regarding a loophole in the licensing regulations, whereas if someone
11	lies on their application, and the falsehood is not discovered until after the license is issued, there is not
12	a simple process for the board to rescind the license. It was agreed that this priority should be added to
13 14	the list for exploring.
14 15	Dr. Heilala stated that he strongly feels that it is important for Alaskans to understand that there is no
16	limit on abortion of any kind in Alaska. Other board members agreed that transparency and knowledge
17	is important, and an important role of the State Medical Board is to communicate information to the
18	public. Additional board members supported discussing a statement that informs the public that there
19	are zero limits to abortion in Alaska.
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21	Annual Board Report
22	Chair Taylor suggested that the draft annual report presented for the Board's review was
23	straightforward. There were no questions or comments from board members.
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25	On a motion duly made by Mr. Wilson, and seconded by Dr. Barnes, the State Medical Board
26	approved the FY2025 Annual Board Report as presented.
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28	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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30	Reauthorization – Delegation of Authority
31	Chair Taylor confirmed that it is a requirement for delegated authority to be annually confirmed by the
32	Board. There were no questions or comments from board members.
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34	In accordance with 12 AAC 40.910, in a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke and seconded by
35	Dr. Taylor, the State Medical Board approved to reauthorize Natalie Norberg, Executive
36	Administrator, to execute the following duties:
37	1) To issue full license or temporary permits to applicants who meet the requirements
38	for licensure and have no professional fitness concerns or findings on their FSMB or
39	NPDB Clearance reports.
40	2) To review technical violations related to the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program for
41	review and recommendations.
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43	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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45	In accordance with 12 AAC 40.910, in a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke and seconded by
46	Dr. Taylor, the State Medical Board approved to reauthorize Jason Kaeser, Licensing
47	Supervisor, to issue temporary permits to applicants who meet the requirements for a

1 2	temporary permit and have no professional fitness concerns or findings on their FSMB or NPDB Clearance reports.	
3 4 5	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson	
6 7	11. Lunch Break – The Board recessed for lunch at 11:45 a.m. and returned on the record at 12:45 p.m.	
8	12. Investigation Updates	
9	Probation Quarterly Report.	
10	Karina Medina, Probation Monitor for the State Medical Board, provided an overview of the quarterly	
11	probation report, advising that all licensees are in compliance unless otherwise noted, and one licensee	
12	was released since the last Board meeting. There is one request for the Board today, which will be	
13	addressed in executive session.	
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15	• <u>Case #2023-001023</u>	
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17	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor, and approved by roll call vote,	
18	the Alaska State Medical Board entered executive session in accordance with AS	
19	44.62.310(c)(4), for the purpose of discussing Case# 2023001023, with Board and	
20	Investigative staff remaining during the session and the Reviewing Board Member or the	
21	Board's designee excluded from the session.	
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23	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson	
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25	The Board entered executive session at 12:47 p.m. The Board returned on the record at 12:49 p.m.	
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27	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor, and decided by roll call vote,	
28 29	the Alaska State Medical Board decided to impose a civil fine as presented in Case# 2023 001023	
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31	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson	
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33	• <u>Case #2024-001176</u>	
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35	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor, and approved by roll call vote,	
36	the Alaska State Medical Board entered an executive session in accordance with AS	
37	44.62.310(c)(4), for the purpose of discussing Case# 2024-001176, with Board and	
38	Investigative staff remaining during the session and the Reviewing Board Members excluded	
39	from the session.	
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41	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson	
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43	The Board entered executive session at 12:50 p.m. The Board returned on the record at 12:58 p.m.	
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45	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Barnes, and decided by roll call vote,	
46	the Alaska State Medical Board decided not to approve a license reinstatement in Case# 2024-	
47	001176.	
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1	Mr. Wilson noted that the Board is concerned about the numerous allegations that R.C. engaged in acts
2	of deceit; fraud; intentional or negligent performance of patient care by persons under the licensee's
3	supervision; professional incompetence; and unprofessional conduct that resulted in his criminal
4	conviction in 2024 of a misdemeanor offense related to Attempted Medicaid Fraud. These allegations
5	are in violation of AS 08.64.326(a)(2), (4) (6), (8), (9), 12 AAC 40.967(10), 12 AAC 40.976(2) and 12 AAC
6	40.920(f)(6).
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8	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, and Mr. Wilson
9	Abstained: Dr. Heilala and Dr. Taylor
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11	• Case #2024-001224
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13	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Barnes, and approved by roll call vote,
14	the Alaska State Medical Board entered executive session in accordance with AS
15	44.62.310(c)(4), for the purpose of discussing Case# 2024-001224, with Board and
16	Investigative staff remaining during the session and the Reviewing Board Member excluded
17	from the session.
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19	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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21	The Board entered executive session at 1:01 p.m. The Board returned on the record at 1:04 p.m.
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23	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor, and approved by roll call vote,
24	the Alaska State Medical Board decided to impose a consent agreement as presented in Case#
25	2024-001224.
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	Voor Dr. Dorner Dr. Heilele, Mr. Mielko, Dr. Deuleen, Dr. Touler and Mr. Wilson
27	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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29	• <u>Case #2023-000549</u>
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31	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Taylor, and approved by roll call vote, the
32	Alaska State Medical Board entered executive session in accordance with AS 44.62.310(c)(4),
33	for the purpose of discussing Case# 2023-000549, with Board and Investigative staff remaining
34	during the session.
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36	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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38	The Board entered executive session at 1:05 p.m. The Board returned on the record at 1:15 p.m.
	The Board entered executive session at 1.05 p.m. The Board returned on the record at 1.15 p.m.
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40	On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor, and approved by roll call vote,
41	the Alaska State Medical Board decided to make no change to the consent agreement in case#
42	2023-000549.
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44	Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
45	Abstained: Dr. Paulson
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1	•	Case #2024-000094
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3		On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor, and approved by roll call vote,
4		the Alaska State Medical Board entered executive session in accordance with AS
5		44.62.310(c)(4), for the purpose of discussing Case# 2024-000094, with Board and
6		Investigative staff remaining during the session and the Reviewing Board Member excluded
7		from the session.
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9		Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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11	The Bo	pard entered executive session at 1:16 p.m. The Board returned on the record at 1:24 p.m.
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13		On a motion duly made by Ms. Mielke, seconded by Dr. Taylor, and approved by roll call vote,
14		the Alaska State Medical Board decided to impose a consent agreement as presented in Case#
15		2024-000094.
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17		Yeas, Dr. Barnes, Dr. Heilala, Ms. Mielke, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Taylor and Mr. Wilson
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19	16. Wr	ap up/Adjourn
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21	Board	members agreed to move the meeting scheduled for June 19 to June 18, 2025, at 4:00 p.m.
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23	The me	eeting was adjourned by unanimous consent at 1:27 p.m.