MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS MINUTES OF July 25, 2019

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Residence Inn in Ridgeland, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:13 a.m. by Chair Dr. Dottie Pernell.

Those present:

Dorothey Pernell D.C., Chairperson

David Allen, D.C. L.A. Norville, D.C.

Mary Gayle Armstrong, M.D.

Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Ken Walley, Board Attorney

Absent: B. Tripp Henderson, D.C.

Chairperson Pernell declared a quorum at 8:14 a.m.

Dr. Allen motioned to nominate Dottie Pernell, D.C. as Chairperson. There being no other nominations, she was elected by acclamation. Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Armstrong motioned to nominate Dr. Allen as Vice Chair. There being no other nominations, he was elected by acclamation. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned for the acceptance of the minutes for the April 25, 2019 board meeting. Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to accept the following Treasurer's report:

YTD FY 2019 Expenditures \$80,621.03 Cash in State Treasury \$199,692.09 Revenue for FY 2019 \$100,247.87 Appropriation FY 2019 \$106,351.00

Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Continuing Education: Dr. Allen motioned to look into a CA seminar in Picayune, MS. Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Rules and Regulations: No report.

Dr. Allen motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: Sweta Mukeshkumar Patel, D.C., Austin Baker Davis, D.C., Robert Paul Franco, D.C., and Hollie Nicole O'Neal, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no legislative report.

Old Business:

Dr. Allen motioned to accept all committee reports. Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning Complaint 31-40 this complaint is still active as the doctor is on probation.

Complaint 31-48 remains tabled.

Claims Reviewer status remains tabled.

Concerning changes in CA guidelines remains tabled.

Complaint 31-51 is continued.

Complaint 31-52 is continued.

Concerning complaint 31-50 remains tabled due to absence of Board attorney.

New Business:

Dr. Allen motioned to approve Ryan Leach as CA (under 18). Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to approve the reinstatement of Eric M. Patten, DC. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to approve the Corner Stone contract. Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to approve the Attorney General's contract. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Austin Davis, D.C. met with the Board to discuss his application for licensure.

Dr. Norville motioned to have our Board attorney render a legal opinion on a question raised by Robert Youngblood, D.C. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to hold a hearing at the October Board meeting concerning Complaint number 31-53. Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to issue licenses to the following graduate chiropractors: Sweta Mukeshkumar Patel, D.C., Austin Baker Davis, D.C., Robert Paul Franco, D.C., and Hollie Nicole O'Neal, D.C. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned that the online x-ray tech class given by the medical board would not be eligible for continuing education. Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed unanimously. Dr. Allen motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business, Dr. Armstrong motioned for adjournment. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 10:40 a.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting: October 24, 2019 Next scheduled examination: October 24, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Walker, D.C. Approved by Board