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Board of Engineering Appeals OPSI Tewksbury 365 East Street Tewksbury, MA 01876 August 22, 2024 at 9:00a.m.

Board Members Present:

Daniel Kilburn, Chair Dan Callahan, Member Stanley Lamb, Member

Staff Present:

Jean McCarthy Charles Kilb Guests Present:
Yessenia M. Pleitez-Hernandez

License exam results appeal of Yessenia M. Pleitez-Hernandez-Chairman Daniel Kilburn introduced himself and members of the board. Chairman Kilburn stated he read her appeal which was she didn't understand the reading and writing of English. Chairman Kilburn asked her if she had anything else to add. Ms. Pleitez-Hernandez stated she has a difficult time reading and understanding the questions. She has her children assist her with studying. Chairman Kilburn stated that basically English is not your first language. She answered in the affirmative. Chairman Kilburn asked the board members if they had any questions. Inspector Stanley Lamb did not. Inspector Dan Callahan asked Ms. Pleitez-Hernandez if she remembered any of the questions, and she stated she did not. Chairman Kilburn asked if she took a course. She indicated she did not, but she got study materials through an online program. Chairman Kilburn stated that no decision would be announced during the hearing and concluded the hearing. After the public hearing concluded, the Board deliberated in quasi-judicial session and unanimously denied the appeal.

Items Relied Upon Agenda Appeal application

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