Commonwealth of Massachusetts Division of Professional Licensure

Board of Registration of Chiropractors

1000 Washington Street Boston, MA 02118

JUNE 6, 2019

A posted public meeting of the Massachusetts Board of Registration of Chiropractors (the Board) was held in Room 1D, 1000 Washington Street, Boston, Massachusetts.

Dr. Dodes noted a quorum of members present and called the meeting to order at 10:07 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Dr. Glenn Dodes, Chair

Dr. Peter Martone, Vice Chair

Dr. Kirk Shilts, Secretary

Ms. Barbara Bush, Public Member

Dr. Daniel Fanselow, Member

Dr. Gabrielle Freedman, Member

Dr. Candace Maddalo, Member

STAFF PRESENT (at various times):

Richard Lawless, Board Executive Director Sheila York, Esq., Board Legal Counsel Ellen D'Agostino, Office of Investigations Clinton Dick, Esq., Deputy General Counsel of Enforcement

CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

None provided

CONFLICT OF INTEREST REMINDER

Dr. Dodes briefly reviewed the state's conflict of interest process and procedures for Board member recusals.

AGENDA

Dr. Dodes reviewed the draft agenda with the Board.

Thereafter, a motion was made by Dr. Fanselow, seconded by Dr. Freedman and VOTED (unanimous); to approve the meeting's agenda as drafted.

PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES

The Board reviewed the draft public meeting minutes of May 9, 2019.

Thereafter, a motion was made by Dr. Shilts, seconded by Dr. Fanselow and VOTED (unanimous); to approve the public meeting minutes of May 9, 2019 as drafted.

NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS OF BOARD OFFICERS

The Board prepared to hold Board officer nominations and elections for the 2019/20 term commencing on July 1st.

• Dr. Dodes called for nominations for the position of Board Chairman.

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Following brief statements by Drs. Martone and Dodes, Dr. Dodes was ELECTED (majority); to the position of Board Chairman for the 2019/20 term.

• Dr. Dodes called for nominations for the position of Board Vice Chairman. Dr. Dodes nominated Dr. Martone. No other nominations were offered.

Thereafter, Dr. Martone was ELECTED (unanimous); to the position of Board Vice Chairman for the 2019/20 term.

• Dr. Dodes called for nominations for the position of Board Secretary. Dr. Freedman nominated Dr. Shilts. No other nominations were offered.

Thereafter, Dr. Shilts was ELECTED (unanimous); to the position of Board Secretary for the 2019/20 term.

CHIROPRACTOR OF RECORD (CHOR) WAIVER APPLICATION

The Board interviewed Dr. Junji Zang for the position of CHoR for licensed Chiropractic Facility (CF) "Prime Care Chiropractic" in Malden.

Thereafter, a motion was made by Dr. Martone, seconded by Dr. Shilts and VOTED (unanimous); to grant a CHoR waiver to Dr. Junji Zang relative to CF #483.

NEW & OPEN CASES:

The Board prepared to discuss investigative matters involving new and open cases.

Thereafter, a motion was made by Dr. Martone, seconded by Dr. Maddalo and VOTED (unanimous); to enter into Closed Session under G.L. c. 112, s. 65C at 10:40 a.m. for the purpose of discussing investigatory matters.

Dr. Dodes estimated that open session would resume in about 30 minutes.

Open Session resumed at 12:08 p.m.

During Closed Session the Board took the following actions:

• 2018-000667-IT-ENF [RR]	Gave Direction to Staff
• 2018-000692-IT-ENF [KC]	Postponed
• 2018-000952-IT-ENF [JG]	Gave Direction to Staff
• 2019-000070-IT-ENF [TG]	Gave Direction to Staff
• 2019-000216-IT-ENF [TC]	Sent to Office of Prosecutions
• 2019-000265-IT-ENF [CCC]	Dismissed without Prejudice
AIB Report Update	Gave Direction to Staff

LEGAL REPORT

Atty. York updated the Board on the proposed updates to the chiropractic regulations.

NEW BUSINESS

None

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

None offered

NEW LICENSEE INTERVIEWS

After the meeting, the following candidates were scheduled to complete their new licentiate orientation/interview:

• Ross Weber (FL); Peyton O'Connor (MA) & Olu Buraimoh (KS)

ADJOURNMENT

Dr. Dodes noted there were no more agenda items.

Thereafter, a motion was made by Dr. Maddalo, seconded by Dr. Fanselow and VOTED (unanimous); to adjourn the June 6, 2019 public meeting at 12:13 p.m.

*The above minutes were approved during the open meeting of the Board held on August 1, 2019.

Kirk Shilts, D.C., Secretary

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Documents used by the Board during open session:

- Proposed meeting agenda for 6/6/19
- Draft public meeting minutes from 5/9/19
- Change of Chiropractor of Record application materials for Prime Care Chiropractic