

**BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN MEDICINE**

**178 Albion Street, Suite 330z  
Wakefield, Massachusetts 01880**

**(Teleconference)**

**January 5, 2023**

**10:31 a.m.**

**Public Session I**

**Members Participating Remotely:**

Julian N. Robinson, M.D., Physician Member, Chair

Holly Oh, M.D., Physician Member, Secretary

Booker T. Bush, M.D., Physician Member

Frank O'Donnell, Esq., Public Member

**Member(s) absent:**

Nawal Nour, M.D., M.P.H., Physician Member

John McGahan, Public Member

**Staff Present and Participating:**

George Zachos, Executive Director

Vita P. Berg, General Counsel

Michael Sinacola, Director of Licensing

Steven Hoffman, Division of Law and Policy Manager

Eileen A. Prebensen, Senior Policy Counsel

Minutes taken by: Donald LaPointe, Paralegal, Division of Law and Policy.

Marsha Johnson, Stenographer, present to record the Board meeting.

Dr. Robinson called the meeting to order at 10:31 a.m.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll to confirm that there was a quorum of the Board.

Dr. Oh -Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell – Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motion carried 4-0 (unanimous).

Dr. Robinson informed those individuals in attendance that the Board meeting was being conducted via teleconference. Additionally, the Board meeting was being recorded by a stenographer.

**Open Meeting Law Complaint received December 13, 2022:**

Vita P. Berg, General Counsel, provided the Board members with an overview of an Open Meeting Law complaint (hereinafter “complaint”) filed against the Board of Registration in Medicine (BORIM) by Dr. Mary Kelly Sutton. The Board of Registration in Medicine has an adjudicatory matter that it is pursuing against Dr. Sutton. This adjudicatory matter is pending at the Division of Administrative Law Appeals (DALA).

Dr. Sutton’s complaint was that she did not receive written notice when the Board considered her matter. Ms. Berg explained that the Complaint Committee and the Board’s 65C Sessions are statutorily exempt from the Open Meeting Law. Additionally, Dr. Sutton’s complaint was filed well past the 30-day time limit, pursuant to the Open Meeting Law’s regulatory requirements, from the date that any of the meetings were held which she had included in her complaint.

Accordingly, Ms. Berg recommended the Board approve the draft letter responding to Dr. Sutton’s complaint

Dr. Bush moved to submit the prepared letter of response to the Open Meeting complaint.  
Dr. Oh seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh -Aye  
Dr. Bush – Aye  
Mr. O’Donnell – Aye

The Chair voted Aye.  
Motion carried 4-0 (unanimous).

**Minutes:**

The Board considered the Public Session Minutes of the December 15, 2022 Board meeting.

Dr. Bush moved to approve the Public Session Minutes of the December 15, 2022 Board meeting.  
Dr. Oh seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh- Aye  
Dr. Bush – Aye  
Mr. O’Donnell – Aye

The Chair voted Aye.  
Motion carried 4-0 (unanimous).

**Licensing:**

Dr. Robinson is recused from license applications from Newton Wellesley Hospital, Dr. Oh is recused from applications involving The Dimock Center and Cityblock Health, and Dr. Bush is recused from applications involving Baystate Medical Center, Springfield.

Michael Sinacola, Licensing Director, presented the licensing data as of January 5, 2023, including data since the October 2022 inception of the Online Licensing System.

**Licensing Applications:**

Dr. Robinson asked for a motion to approve the following applications for licensure:

- Applications for Full Licensure Approved by the Executive Director on December 16, 2022 (Barmettler – Rao)
- Application for Limited Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 16, 2022 (Sagiraju)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 19, 2022 (Burton – Zolno)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 20, 2022 (Chen – Taibi)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 21, 2022 (Aje - Wajnsztajn Yungher)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 22, 2022 (Bi – Wang)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 23, 2022 (Frost – Woods-Grim)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 27, 2022 (Abood – Sinha)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 28, 2022 (Bandla – Tatara)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 29, 2022 (Abramovich – Wester)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on December 30, 2022 (Bacic Lima – Rahman)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Executive Director on January 4, 2023 (Andreeva – Watts)
- Applications for Full Licensure approved by the Licensing Committee (Jacobson – Thrailkill)

- Applications for Full Licensure with Waiver approved by the Licensing Committee (El-kilany – Saad)

Dr. Oh moved to approve the above-listed applications for licensure.

Mr. O'Donnell seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh- Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell – Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motion carried 4-0 (unanimous).

Dr. Robinson stated that the Board would meet in Executive Session as authorized by Mass.

General Law, chapter 30A, section 21 for purposes set at subsections (a)(1) and (a)(7).

Specifically, the Board would consider a Petition to Terminate Probation Agreement and would discuss the reputation, character, physical condition or mental health, rather than professional competence, of the petitioner, or the discipline or dismissal of, or complaints or charges against the petitioner, as permitted under purpose 1 and information that may not be publicly disclosed pursuant to Mass. General Law, chapter 112, section 5 and Mass. General Law, chapter 66A, section 2, as permitted under purpose 7. The Board would also be reviewing Executive Session Minutes.

Following the Executive Session, the Board would meet in closed Adjudicatory Session, and then in closed Mass. General Law, chapter 112, section 65C session. The Board would reconvene in Public Session following the conclusion of the 65C Session.

Dr. Robinson asked for a motion to go into Executive Session.

Dr. Bush moved to go into Executive Session.

Dr. Oh seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh-Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell – Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motion carried 4-0 (unanimous).

Dr. Robinson stated that the Board would go into Executive Session.

Public Session I ended at 10:38 a.m.

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**January 5, 2023**  
**11:20 a.m.**  
**Public Session II**

**Members Participating Remotely:**

Julian N. Robinson, M.D., Physician Member, Chair  
Holly Oh, M.D., Physician Member, Secretary  
Booker T. Bush, M.D., Physician Member  
Frank O'Donnell, Esq., Public Member

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**Motions and Votes**

In the **Coolbaugh** matter, Dr. Robinson moved to approve the Petition to Terminate the November 22, 2017 Probation Agreement. Dr. Robinson further moved to issue the Statement of Allegations and approve the Consent Order for a Reprimand.  
Mr. O'Donnell seconded the motions.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh - Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell - Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motions carried 4-0 (unanimous).

In the **Heywood** matter, Dr. Robinson moved to issue the Final Decision and Order, revoking Dr. Heywood's inchoate right to renew his license to practice medicine.

Dr. Bush seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh - Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell - Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motion carried 4-0 (unanimous).

In the **Gosselin** matter, Dr. Robinson moved to issue the Statement of Allegations and Order of Reference to the Division of Administrative Law Appeals.

Mr. O'Donnell seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh - Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell - Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motion carried 4-0 (unanimous).

In the **Kim** matter, Dr. Robinson moved to issue the Statement of Allegations and Order of Reference to the Division of Administrative Law Appeals.

Dr. Bush seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh - Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell - Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motion carried 4-0 (unanimous).

In the **Tangban** matter, Dr. Robinson moved to terminate the Voluntary Agreement Not to Practice. He further moved to issue the Statement of Allegations and approve the Consent Order for Indefinite Suspension. Dr. Robinson further moved to approve Dr. Tangban' Petition to Stay Suspension, approve the Probation Agreement, allow Dr. Tangban's request for retroactive

approval of an evaluator, and approve his request to commence the probationary term retroactive to the date of his Physician Health Services contract.

Dr. Bush seconded the motions.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh - Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell - Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motions carried 4-0 (unanimous).

In the **Tzvetanov** matter, Dr. Robinson moved to issue the Statement of Allegations and Order to Use Pseudonyms and Impound Identities and Medical Records and approve the Consent Order for an Indefinite Suspension. Dr. Robinson further moved to approve Dr. Tzvetanov's Petition to Stay Suspension, approve the Probation Agreement and approve the Proposed Practice Plan. Dr. Bush seconded the motions.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh - Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell - Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motions carried 4-0 (unanimous).

In the **Keroac** matter, Dr. Robinson moved to issue the Statement of Allegations and approve the Consent Order for a Reprimand.

Dr. Bush seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh - Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell - Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motions carried 4-0 (unanimous).

In the **Holuk** matter, Dr. Robinson moved to ratify the acceptance of the Voluntary Agreement Not to Practice.

Mr. O'Donnell seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh - Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell - Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motions carried 4-0 (unanimous).

### **Board Member Availability**

The Board discussed their anticipated availability to attend the January 19, 2023, February 2, 2023 and February 16, 2023 Board Meetings.

Dr. Robinson indicated that he did not anticipate attending the February 16, 2023 Board Meeting. Dr. Robinson asked Dr. Oh to serve as Acting Chair for the February 16, 2023 Board Meeting.

The Board members did not indicate any other scheduling conflicts that would prevent them from attending the Board meetings.

Dr. Robinson asked for a motion to adjourn the Board meeting.

Dr. Bush moved to adjourn the Board meeting.

Dr. Oh seconded the motion.

Dr. Robinson called the Roll:

Dr. Oh - Aye

Dr. Bush – Aye

Mr. O'Donnell - Aye

The Chair voted Aye.

Motion carried 4-0 (unanimous).

Meeting adjourned at 11:26 a.m.

### **Documents Considered in Public Sessions I and II:**

- Memorandum RE: Open Meeting Law Complaint received December 13, 2022
- Public Session Minutes of the December 15, 2022 Board Meetings
- Motions and Votes
- Licensing Applications Lists