

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Bureau of Health Professions Licensure
Board of Registration of Chiropractors
250 Washington Street
Boston, MA 02108**

Public Meeting Minutes

June 5, 2025

A public meeting of the Massachusetts Board of Registration of Chiropractors (the Board) was held remotely with video and audio conference as an alternate means of public access pursuant to Chapter 107 of the Acts of 2022, An Act Relative to Extending Certain State of Emergency Accommodations, signed into law on July 16, 2022.

Attendees were informed that the meeting was being recorded.

Dr. Grosso noted a quorum of members present via video or phone and called the meeting to order at 09:59 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Dr. Joseph Grosso, Chair
Dr. Jacyn Debs, Vice Chair
Dr. Mary Connors, Secretary
Dr. Kathleen O'Malley
Dr. Sunit Jolly
Dr. Janine Pulley

MEMBERS ABSENT

none

STAFF PRESENT

Lisa Guglietta, Board Executive Director
Katie Goldrick, Board Associate Executive Director
Sheila York, Esq., Board Counsel
Lauren McShane, Investigations Supervisor
Jacob Edwards, Investigator
Ellen D'Agostino, Investigator
Anastasia Bouikidis, Investigations Intern

ATTENDANCE:

Dr. Grosso took attendance by roll call and a quorum of board members was recorded with the following members present via video conference: *Grosso, Connors, O'Malley, Debs, Jolly, Pulley*

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Dr. Grosso asked for a motion to approve the meeting agenda. Thereafter a motion was made by Dr. O'Malley, seconded by Dr. Debs and VOTED (roll call); **to approve the June 5, 2025 agenda as drafted.**

in-favor: Grosso, O'Malley, Debs, Jolly, Pulley, Connors

opposed: none

PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES

Dr. Grosso asked for a motion to approve the draft May 1, 2025 meeting minutes. Thereafter a motion was made by Dr. Pulley seconded by Dr. O'Malley and VOTED (roll call); **to approve the public meeting minutes of May 1, 2025 as drafted.**

in-favor: Connors, Grosso, O'Malley, Debs, Jolly, Pulley

opposed: none

CORRESPONDENCE

Letter dated 4/28/25 from Roger A. Russell, DC, President of International Academy of Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine, regarding Importance of Authentic Board Certification and Maintenance of Certification. Board discussed and took it under advisement.

REACTIVATION APPLICATIONS

James Galeas – License No CHI2821 (Expired 3/31/2020 – 60 CEUS required)

The Board discussed the reactivation application. Thereafter, a motion was made by Dr. Debs, seconded by Dr. Pulley and VOTED (roll call); **to accept the reactivation application and to allow Dr. Galeas to continue in the licensing process.**

in-favor: Connors, Grosso, O'Malley, Debs, Jolly, Pulley

opposed: none

Brian Applebee – License No CHI2523 (Expired 3/31/2024 – 12 CEUs required.)

The board discussed the reactivation application. Thereafter, a motion was made by Dr. Debs, seconded by Dr. O'Malley and VOTED (roll call); **to accept the reactivation application.**

in-favor: Connors, Grosso, O'Malley, Debs, Jolly, Pulley

opposed: none

Marc Cohen – License No CHI2186 (Expired 3/31/2009 -180 CEUs required)

The board discussed the reactivation application. The Board had concerns about whether the applicant met the good moral character requirement for licensure due to previous history and that the applicant had not practiced as a chiropractor in any jurisdiction for thirteen years. The Board gave direction to staff to send a letter to the applicant addressing these concerns and to request a response from the applicant.

ADJOURNMENT

At 10:09 a.m. a motion was made by Dr. O'Malley seconded by Dr. Debs and VOTED (roll call); **to end the public session.**

in-favor: Connors, Grosso, O'Malley, Debs, Jolly, Pulley

opposed: none

Respectfully submitted,

Mary M. Connors, D.C., Secretary
Board of Registration of Chiropractors

Documents used by the Board during open session:

- *Posted agenda 6/5/2025*
- *Draft public meeting minutes of 5/1/2025*
- *Letter dated 4/28/25 from Roger A. Russell, DC*
- *Reactivation Application CHIRA100026 James Galeas CHI2821*
- *Reactivation Application CHIRA100037 Brian Applebee CHI2523*
- *Reactivation Application CHIRA100033 Marc Cohen CHI2186*