

## BOARD OF REGISTRATION OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

May 12, 2017

Board Members Present: Michelle Jacobo, Ph.D., Co-Chair  
Robert Carey, Ph.D., Co-Chair  
Kimberly Bistis, Psy. D., Vice Chair  
Marshaun Glover, Ph.D., Secretary  
William Sanchez, Ph.D.  
William Hudgins, Ph.D.  
David Scherer, Ph.D.  
Betty Allen

Staff Present: Erin LeBel, Executive Director  
Peter Kelley, Board Counsel  
Thomas Burke, Ph.D. Administrative Assistant  
Doris Luongo, Board Investigator  
Matthew Runge, Board Investigator

### **Board Business:**

1. At 9:01 a.m., the meeting was called to order.
2. Dr. Jacobo reviewed evacuation instructions.
3. On a motion by Dr. Sanchez, seconded by Dr. Scherer, the Board voted to approve the Board Meeting and Executive Session minutes for the April 14, 2017 meeting. All in favor with Dr. Bistis and Ms. Allen abstaining.
4. There was no correspondence.
5. Discussed Dr. Podsiadlo applicant. The board, by unanimous vote on a motion by Dr. Scherer and seconded by Ms. Allen, agreed to require the applicant to take a racial-ethnic 3 credit course to meet the educational requirements for licensure.
6. Discussed applicant, Dr. Schinaman. The board agreed, by unanimous consent, to invite the applicant to meet with the board for review of ethical and moral character for consideration of license.
7. Discussed applicant, Dr. Ronayne. The board, by unanimous vote on a motion by Dr. Scherer and seconded by Dr. Bistis, denied the applicant's appeal of the board's decision.
8. On a motion by Dr. Sanchez, and seconded by Ms. Allen, the board agreed to approve all of the administratively reviewed applicants.
9. The board engaged in discussion of board member appointments and the process for renewals.

10. At 9:12 a.m., on a motion by Dr. Bistis, and seconded by Dr. Scherer, all were in favor, the Board voted to enter into closed session for the purpose of conducting investigative conferences, pursuant to G. L. c. 112, § 65C, for: 20150928PY012-IT-ENF (Attorney Pixley presented counter offer submitted the by counsel of the licensee), and PY 2016-000884-IT-ENF (Attorney Puelo present representing licensee).

11. At 11:06 a.m., on a motion by Dr. Scherer, seconded by Ms. Allen, the board voted to exit closed session and to enter open session. Following a roll call vote, all in favor, the motion passed. The board met with applicant Dr. Estrada. On a motion by Dr. Sanchez, seconded by Dr. Glover, the board agreed to grant the five-year waiver and to allow the applicant to move forward with their application.

12. At 11:33 am, on a motion by Dr. Bistis, seconded by Dr. Hudgins, followed by a roll call vote, the board agreed to enter executive session for the purposes of discussing medical record information and to comply with the public record law, pursuant to G. L. c. 66, § 10; G. L. c. 4, §7, ¶ 26(c)).

13. At 11:36am, on a motion by Dr. Bistis, and seconded by Ms. Allen, followed by a roll call vote, the board agreed to exit executive session and enter into closed session for the purpose of conducting investigative conferences, pursuant to G. L. c. 112, § 65C, for: PY-2017-000402-IT-ENF and PY-2016-000876-INT-ENF.

14. At 11:56 am, on a motion by Dr. Bistis, seconded by Dr. Scherer, the board agreed to move from investigative conference to open session. All were in favor. The board made the following actions:

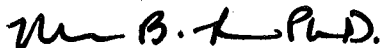
15. PY-2016-000884-INT-ENF: on a motion by Dr. Hudgins, seconded by Ms. Allen, the board voted unanimously to forward to prosecutions.

16. PY-2016-000876-INT-ENF: on a motion by Dr. Bistis, seconded by Dr. Scherer, the board voted to dismiss the complaint with no further actions. All in favor.

17. PY-2016-000402-INT-ENF: on a motion by Ms. Allen, seconded by Dr. Scherer, the board voted to close the case, with no further action. All in favor.

18. At 12:00 p.m., on a motion by Dr. Sanchez, seconded by Dr. Scherer, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,



Marshaun B. Glover, Ph.D.

Board Secretary

Documents reviewed:

1. Dr. Schinaman application.
2. Dr. Ronayne appeal letter.
3. Communications by complainant Bunch
4. Accommodations letter for Dr. Harvey