

BOARD OF REGISTRATION OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

September 14, 2018

Board Members Present: Robert Carey, Jr., Ph.D. Chair
David Scherer, Ph.D., Vice-Chair
Marshaun B. Glover, Ph.D., Secretary
William Hudgins, Ph.D.
Vicky Anderson, Psy.D.
Tammy Jones, Ph.D.
John Marshall D.C.

Staff Present: Erin LeBel, Executive Director
Sheila York, Board Counsel
Ellen D'Agostino, Board Investigator

Board Business:

1. At 9:16 a.m., the meeting was called to order by Dr. Carey.
2. Dr. Carey reviewed evacuation instructions.
3. At 9:25 am, met with Dr. DePaul and proposed supervisor. Dr. Glover recused himself and left the room during this discussion. On a motion by Dr. Scherer and seconded by Dr. Anderson, the board voted to approve of the supervisor. All were in favor with Dr. Glover recused.

Dr. Glover returned to the meeting.

4. Meeting with Dr. Alcheck will be postponed until the October meeting.

At 10:13am, on a motion by Dr. Anderson, and seconded by Dr. Jones, the board voted to go from open session to closed session to conduct investigative conferences pursuant to M. G. L. c. 112, § 65C; and adjudicative conference pursuant to c. 30A, § 18, ¶ 5(d) for 2018-000459-IT-ENF. All were in favor.

5. At 10:25am, on a motion by Dr. Scherer and seconded by Dr. Jones, the board voted to go into open session, all were in favor.

6. At 10:30 am, the board met with Dr. Ratner and proposed supervisor. On a motion by Dr. Jones and seconded by Dr. Scherer, the board agreed to approve the supervisor. All were in favor.

7. At 11:15 am, met with Dr. Gentile and proposed supervisor. On a motion by Dr. Anderson and seconded by Dr. Hudgins, the board voted to approve the supervisor. All were in favor.

8. At 11:36am, on a motion by Dr. Scherer and seconded by Dr. Jones, the board voted to move from open to closed session to conduct an investigative conference pursuant to M. G. L. c. 112, § 65C for 2018-000459-IT-ENF. All were in favor. Attorneys for licensee were present.

9. At 12:52, On a motion by Dr. Glover and seconded by Dr. Jones, the board voted to move to open session. All were in favor.

10. The Board reviewed an email from licensee Lachapelle. The board determined that a licensee did not need to give up their license to engage in a coaching business. However, the licensee is still bound by the ethical codes and regulatory standards of psychology when providing coaching services.

At 1:13pm, on a motion by Dr. Scherer and seconded by Dr. Jones, the board voted to go from open session to closed session pursuant to M. G. L. c. 112, § 65C; for PY 2018-000630-IT-ENF. All were in favor.

11. At 1:43 pm, on a motion by Dr. Glover and seconded by Dr. Jones, the board voted to go into open session. All were in favor.

12. PY 2018-000459-IT-ENF: On a motion by Dr. Glover, and seconded by Dr. Jones, the board voted to forward to prosecutions. All were in favor, Dr. Hudgins abstains.

13. PY 2018-000630-IT-ENF: On a motion by Dr. Jones, and seconded by Dr. Glover, the board voted to dismiss the complaint.


14. Reviewed letter, dated August 17, 2018, from the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPBB) concerning recent decision regarding the EPPP.

15. Reinstatement request for Dr. Ikeda. On a motion by Dr. Jones, and seconded by Dr. Glover, the board voted to reinstate the license and subsequently open a complaint against the applicant for unlicensed practice. All were in favor.

16. On a motion by Dr. Scherer, seconded by Dr. Glover, the board meeting minutes were unanimously approved from the July meeting.

17. At 2:20 pm, on a motion by Dr. Marshall and seconded by Dr. Jones, the board voted to adjourn the meeting. All were in favor.

Respectfully submitted,


Marshaun B. Glover, Ph.D.
Board Secretary

Documents reviewed:

1. Dr. Alcheck correspondence
2. Dr. Bluestone CV and executed consent agreement
3. Dr. Alexander CV and Executed consent agreement
4. Letter from ASPBB
5. Pollack Letter
6. Dr. LaRochelle Correspondence
7. License Reinstatement Correspondence for Dr Ikeda