THE LOUISIANA STATE  
BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS  

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JULY 15, 16, 2013  
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA  

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A meeting of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners, pursuant to lawful notice, was duly convened and called to order at 8:30 a.m., Monday, July 15, 2013, by order of the President, at the offices of the Board, 630 Camp Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Board Members were present as follows:

   Melvin G. Bourgeois, M.D., President
   Kweli J. Amusa, M.D., Secretary-Treasurer
   John Michael Burdine, M.D.
   Mark Henry Dawson, M.D.
   Kenneth Barton Farris, M.D.
   Cynthia Gail Montgomery, M.D.

Board Member absent as follows:

   Joseph D. Busby, Jr., M.D.

The following members of the Board’s staff were present:

   Cecilia Ann Mouton, M.D., Executive Director
   Emily Diane Eisenhauer, M.D., Assistant Director of Investigations
   Thania Elliott, RN, Investigator
   Grace Hammons, Program Compliance Officer Supervisor
   Christine Holder, Program Compliance Officer III
   Lilly Rodgers, Administrative Program Specialist A
   Merian Glasper, Director of Licensure
   Rita L. Arceneaux, Executive Assistant

Legal counsel to the Board was present as follows:
Minutes of Meeting
July 15, 16, 2013

Judge Frederick S. Ellis
Philip O. Bergeron

First Session
Monday, July 15, 2013

1. Minutes of June 17, 2013 Meeting. The Board reviewed the minutes of its meeting held June 17, 2013. On the motion of Dr. Dawson duly seconded by Dr. Amusa and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board approved the minutes of the meetings with all necessary corrections.

2. General Administrative Matters; Financial Reports.

   Financial Statement - The Board reviewed a statement on the revenue and expenses for the period ending April 30, 2013 and approved all expenditures as noted therein. The Board also reviewed the status of investments as of April 30, 2013. The Board also reviewed a balance sheet and income statement for Clinical Laboratory Personnel for the period ending April 30, 2013 and approved all expenditures as noted therein. The Board also reviewed the status of investments for Clinical Laboratory Personnel as of April 30, 2013.

   Credit Card Fees – The Board discussed credit card fees currently charged to the Board for each payment by credit card and the feasibility of passing the fee onto its licensees. Following review and discussion, it was the consensus of the Board not to pursue the collection of credit card fees at this time.

3. Status Report on Action Items of Prior Board Meetings; Report on Assignments to Counsel. The Board noted the action items as assigned to staff and counsel from previous meetings. The Board noted that a response had not been received from the Louisiana Physical Therapy Board (“Physical Therapy Board”) on the Board’s request for a rulemaking effort to amend their rules with respect to the procurement of legend drugs and “dry needling”. It was the consensus of the Board to file a separate complaint with the Physical Therapy Board with respect to the utilization of legend drugs by a physical therapist.

4. Communication and Information; National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners, Inc., (“NBOME”) The Board reviewed an invitation from the NBOME to attend a Visitation Day at the NBOME National Center for Clinical Skills Testing, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on Monday, October 14, 2013. No further action was required or taken on this matter.

5. Communication and Information; The Center for Personalized Education for Physicians (“CPEP”). The Board reviewed correspondence inviting members of the Board to the CPEP Learning Summit to be held in Denver, Colorado on November 7 & 8, 2013. No further action was required or taken on this matter.
6. **General Administrative Matters; Executive Director’s Report.** The Board received the report of its Executive Director on her activities since the last meeting of the Board. Dr. Mouton reported on facility management, information technology, the meeting with the Board of Nursing to discuss various issues, concerns with the BON’s proposed rules relative to APRNs and the Board’s current telemedicine rules. Following review and discussion, the Board asked for more information on the telemedicine rules for further review and consideration.

7. **Rules and Regulations.**

   a. **Final Rules/Amendments:** None published since the last meeting of the Board.
   
   b. **Rules/Amendments – Noticed for Intent:** None published since the last meeting of the Board.
   
   c. **Rules/Amendments Under Development:** **Perfusionist:** The Perfusion Advisory Committee prepared an initial draft of rules for this category of allied health care professionals. A revised draft was received and is being studied. As soon as it has been refined, it will be presented to the Board for consideration. **Polysomnography** - The Board received a proposed draft of new rules for polysomnographers from its Advisory Committee on Polysomnography. Following modification, a revised draft was presented to the Advisory Committee for review and comment. The draft was approved, with suggested modifications, during the Committee’s meeting on September 16, 2011. During its October 2011 meeting, the proposed rules were presented to the Board along with the Committee’s suggestions for initial review and discussion. Following discussion, the Board proposed certain modifications to the draft and asked that a revised draft be presented at its next meeting. The Board subsequently received from two national organizations nearly the identical suggestions as those of the Committee’s. Following review and discussion at its December 2011 meeting, the Board approved a response to the committee and organizations, along with a revised draft of the rules that incorporated the suggestions of its staff as well as the committee and organizations to the extent the Board found them acceptable and voted to provide Notice of Intent to adopt the rule amendments. Following changes to the law during the 2012 session of the Legislature and the input of the Polysomnography Advisory Committee, the Board reviewed a revised draft of rules for consideration during its April and May 2013 meetings. During the June 2013, the Board noted that the Respiratory Therapy Advisory Committee had no objection to the draft rules in that an exemption had been carved out for licensed respiratory therapists. The Board reviewed the current draft of the proposed rules and on the motion of Dr. Amusa, duly seconded by Dr. Montgomery, and passed by unanimous voice vote, voted to provide Notice of Intent to adopt the proposed rules in the *Louisiana Register.* **Physicians and Surgeons – Office-Based Surgery:** The Board considered suggestions for amendment to its office-based surgery rules. A revised draft incorporating the suggested changes was considered by the Board, and following review, discussion and further suggestions, the Board voted to provide Notice of Intent to adopt the proposed rules in the *Louisiana Register.* **Midwifery:** Given changes to the Louisiana Midwifery Practice Act during the 2012 session of the Legislature, staff anticipates presenting revisions to its existing rules in due course for the Board’s
consideration and discussion. **Physicians and Surgeons - Collaborative Drug Therapy Management ("CDTM"):** During the August 2012 meeting, the Board discussed the concept of certain potential amendments to the existing rules which were jointly promulgated with the Board of Pharmacy in 2007. Following review and discussion, the Board expressed a willingness to consider a draft of the proposed amendments in due course. Following discussions with a representative from the Board of Pharmacy, a draft detailing proposed amendments to the CDTM rules was submitted to the Board for consideration at its April 2013 meeting. During its May 2013 meeting further review and discussion took place and it was the consensus of the Board to seek input from the Louisiana State Medical Society ("LSMS"). During the June 2013 meeting, the Board reviewed the comments offered by the LSMS on the proposed rules. Following review and discussion of the proposed rules, on the motion of Dr. Dawson, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board voted to provide *Notice of Intent* to adopt the rule amendments in the *Louisiana Register*. **Physicians and Surgeons – Licensure:** The Board expressed a desire to consider alternatives to the requirement for passage of the SPEX/CONVEX-USA for those who had taken and passed a written medical competence examination more than 10 years prior to the date of application. A draft was considered by the Board at its December 2012 meeting. Following review and discussion of various options at its January and February 2013 meetings, the Board made additional recommendations. Following review and discussion of a revised draft incorporating the suggested changes at the March 2013 meeting, the Board voted to provide *Notice of Intent* to adopt the proposed amendments in the *Louisiana Register*. **Physicians and Surgeons – Out of State Physician Orders:** Pursuant to Act 44 of the 2011 session of the Louisiana Legislature, rules are being developed to accommodate out-of-state physicians (those licensed in any state other than Louisiana) who order routine diagnostic testing for established patients in this state provided: the physician-patient relationship was initiated through an in-person, face-to-face visit with the physician in another state; the order can be verified; and the results of all testing are provided directly to the ordering out-of-state physician. The Board considered and discussed an initial draft of the proposed rules at its December 2012 meeting. Following review, several modifications were made and incorporated in a subsequent draft reviewed by the Board at its January 2013 meeting. Following review and discussion at the March 2013 meeting, the Board voted to provide *Notice of Intent* to adopt the rule amendments in the *Louisiana Register*. It is anticipated that the *Notice of Intent* will appear in the August 2013 edition of the *Louisiana Register*. **Occupational Therapy:** The Board received a request to consider alternatives to the limit on the number of examination attempts currently permitted by its rules for licensure as an occupational therapist. Following discussion, the Board requested that a draft be prepared for its review. A draft was presented for initial Board consideration at the December 2012 meeting. The Board further considered the issue at its January and February 2013 meetings and requested a revised draft be returned to the March 2013 meeting. Following further review and discussion at the March 2013 meeting, the Board voted to provide *Notice of Intent* to adopt the amendments. It is anticipated that the *Notice of Intent* will appear in the August 2013 edition of the *Louisiana Register*. **Physicians and Surgeons – Dispensing:** During its February 2013
meeting, the Board gave further consideration to a request to provide for a dispensing registration for non-controlled substances following a physician’s successful completion of a graduate medical education training program and passage of an online or other Board offered course on its dispensing rules. Following review and discussion of a draft amendment to Section .6513 of its dispensing rules at its March 2013 meeting, the Board voted to provide Notice of Intent to adopt the rule amendment. It is anticipated that the Notice of Intent will appear in the August edition of the Louisiana Register. **Physicians and Surgeons – Unprofessional Conduct:** During its April 2013 meeting, the Board expressed a desire to consider the development of rules correlating a physician representing himself/herself as a specialist in a particular field of practice without appropriate formal training. Pursuant to the Board’s directions, a draft of such rules is being prepared for the Board’s consideration.

8. **General Administrative Matters; Proposed Rule Amendment to the Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (“APRN”) by the Louisiana State Board of Nursing.** The Board noted that a response to the request for substantive changes to the proposed APRN rules amendment, as well as the copy of Legislative Oversight Report had not been received. Following review and discussion it was the consensus of the Board to send a letter to the Legislative Oversight Committee calling for a legislative oversight hearing in the event the BON did not address the concerns submitted at the public hearing on the proposed rules relative to APRNs.

[9.] **Minutes of July 15, 2013 Executive Sessions.** On the motion of Dr. Amusa, duly seconded by Dr. Montgomery and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to review the minutes of its executive sessions conducted during the meeting of June 17, 2013. Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session and on the motion of Dr. Dawson, duly seconded by Dr. Montgomery, approved the minutes of the executive sessions conducted during its meeting of June 17, 2013 with all necessary corrections.

[10.] **Report on Pending Litigation.** On the motion of Dr. Burdine, duly seconded by Dr. Dawson, the Board convened in executive session to receive the report of legal counsel on pending litigation to which the Board was a party and the status of proceedings for judicial review of prior Board decisions, La. Rev. Stat. § 42:17A(2). No further action was required or taken on this matter.

[11.] **Personal Appearances/Docket Calendar.** Continuing in executive session, the Board reviewed the calendar of personal appearances and docketed hearings, as matters relating to the character and professional conduct of a licensee and allegations of misconduct, La. Rev. Stat. 42:17 A(1), (4). No further action was required or taken on this matter.

[12.] **Investigative Reports.** Continuing in executive session, the Board considered the investigative reports as matters relating to the character and professional conduct of a licensee, and allegations of misconduct, La. Rev. Stat. §42:17A(1) and (4). Following review and
discussion the Board resumed in open session. Upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board approved the following:

a. **Administrative Complaints:** The following administrative complaints were approved for filing and scheduling of a formal hearing:

   Docket No., 10-I-980
   Docket No., 12-I-1126

b. **Consent Orders:** The following Consent Orders were accepted:

   Pamela Jean Combest, OTA, Docket No., 13-I-168
   Paula Morris, OTT, Docket No., 12-I-968
   Dan John Lafleur, M.D., Docket No., 13-I-113
   Edozie Chukwudinma Okereke, DPM, Docket No., 13-I-598

c. The following matter was closed/dismissed:

   Docket No., 13-I-052

d. The following matters were closed/dismissed with a Letter of Concern:

   Docket No., 13-I-423
   Docket No., 13-I-056

e. **Closed Complaint Cases:** The Board reviewed the Closed Complaint Cases Report. No further action was required or taken on this matter.

f. **Interim Actions:** The Board approved the Interim Actions that had been handled by the President:

   Docket No., 13-I-626
   Docket No., 13-I-596
   Docket No., 13-I-620
   Docket No., 13-I-670
   Docket No., 13-I-649
   Docket No., 13-I-043
   Docket No., 13-I-735

[13.] **Professional Liability Report.** On the motion of Dr. Amusa, duly seconded by Dr. Burdine and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the report of Dr. Eisenhauer, on professional liability cases reviewed since the last meeting of the Board as matters relating to the character and professional conduct of a licensee
and allegations of misconduct, La. Rev. Stat. § 42:17A(1) and (4). No further action was required or taken on these matters.

**[14.] General Disciplinary Matters.** Continuing in executive session, the Board considered the Collaborative Practice Report and requests relating to the execution or modification of a Decision and/or Consent Order as matters relating to the character and professional conduct of licensees, pursuant to La. Rev. Stat. §42:17A(1) and (4). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session and upon motion made and passed by unanimous voice vote, took the following actions:

a. **Lang, Erich Karl, M.D.** – To deny the request of Erich Karl Lang, M.D., for expungement of his disciplinary record.

b. **Edwards, Antonio D., M.D.** – To deny the request of Antonio Edwards, M.D., for early reinstatement of his license to a full, unrestricted status, off probation.

c. **Moody, Kasimu S., M.D.** – To approve the request of Kasimu S. Moody, M.D., for reinstatement of his license to a full, unrestricted status.

d. **Hebert, Glynn Arthur, M.D.** – To approve the request of Glynn Arthur Hebert, M.D., for reinstatement of his license to a full, unrestricted status, to include his prescribing privileges.

**[15.] Physicians Health Program.** On the motion of Dr. Montgomery, duly seconded by Dr. Amusa and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to receive the report of Julie Alleman, M.Ed., LPC, LMFT, LAC, Administrative Director, Physicians’ Health Foundation (“PHP”) on the participants in the Physicians’ Health Program who were either appearing before the Board or had matters before the Board for review and discussion, as matters relating to the character and professional conduct and allegations of misconduct of a licensee, La.Rev.Stat.§ 42:17A(1) and (4). Ms. Alleman was accompanied by Louis Cataldie, M.D., Medical Director. No further action was required or taken on this matter.

**[16.] General Disciplinary Matters; Personal Appearance; Richard Wayne Harmon, M.D.** On the motion of Dr. Dawson, duly seconded by Dr. Burdine and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session for the personal appearance of Richard Wayne Harmon, M.D., as a matter relating to the character and professional conduct and allegations of misconduct of a licensee, La.Rev.Stat.§ 42:17A(1) and (4). Dr. Harmon appeared before the Board in connection with his request for reinstatement of his license to a full, unrestricted status, off probation. Following his dismissal, the Board resumed in open session, and on the motion of Dr. Amusa, duly seconded by Dr. Montgomery, and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the request of Richard Wayne Harmon, M.D., for reinstatement of his license to a full, unrestricted status, off probation, to include his prescribing privileges.
[17.] *General Disciplinary Matters; Personal Appearance; Jodi Allen Parks, M.D.* On the motion of Dr. Montgomery, duly seconded by Dr. Amusa and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session for the personal appearance of Jodi Allen Parks, M.D., as a matter relating to the character and professional conduct and allegations of misconduct of a licensee, La.Rev.Stat.§ 42:17A(1) and (4). Dr. Parks, accompanied by her attorney, Deborah Juneau, appeared before the Board to request reinstatement of her license to a full, unrestricted status off probation. Following her dismissal, the Board resumed in open session, and on the motion of Dr. Amusa, duly seconded by Dr. Dawson, and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved reinstatement of the license of Jodi Allen Parks, M.D., to a full, unrestricted status, off probation.

[18.] *General Disciplinary Matters; Personal Appearance; Fred Lee Reed, Jr., M.D.* On the motion of Dr. Dawson, duly seconded by Dr. Amusa and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session for the personal appearance of Fred Lee Reed, Jr., M.D., as a matter relating to the character and professional conduct and allegations of misconduct of a licensee, La.Rev.Stat.§ 42:17A(1) and (4). Fred Lee Reed, Jr., M.D., accompanied by his wife, appeared before the Board to request reinstatement of his revoked license. Following his dismissal, the Board resumed in open session, and on the motion of Dr. Burdine, duly seconded by Dr. Montgomery, and passed by unanimous voice vote, denied the request for reinstatement of his revoked license advising Dr. Reed that he is not eligible for licensure until completion of a postgraduate clinic training program in an accredited medical internship program.

[19.] *General Disciplinary Matters; Personal Appearance; Dion Lynn Armstrong, M.D.* On the motion of Dr. Farris, duly seconded by Dr. Dawson and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session for the personal appearance of Dion Lynn Armstrong, M.D., as a matter relating to the character and professional conduct and allegations of misconduct of a licensee, La.Rev.Stat.§ 42:17A(1) and (4). Dr. Armstrong, accompanied by his attorney, Newton T. Savoie, JD, LLM, CPA, appeared before the Board to request reinstatement of his suspended license. Following his dismissal, the Board resumed in open session, and on the motion of Dr. Dawson, duly seconded by Dr. Montgomery, and passed by unanimous voice vote, denied the request of Dion Lynn Armstrong, M.D., for reinstatement of his suspended license.

[20.] *Licensure and Certification; Clinical Laboratory Personnel.* Upon the motion of Dr. Burdine, duly seconded by Dr. Dawson and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the non-routine applications for licensure as a matter of the character, professional competency, or physical or mental health of an applicant pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the following for licensure provided all requirements has been met:

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[21.] **Licensure and Certification; Occupational Therapy.** On motion of Dr. Burdine, duly seconded by Dr. Amusa and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the non-routine application for licensure as a matter of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an applicant, pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

**Occupational Therapy Assistant**

Hardman, Angela

**Occupational Therapists**

Duhon, Katrina Renee  Gray-Brooks, Kewisha Renee

[22.] **Licensure and Certification; Physician Assistants.** On motion of Dr. Dawson, duly seconded by Dr. Montgomery and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the non-routine applications for licensure as a matter of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an applicant, pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the following for licensure upon receipt of additional information provided all other requirements had been met:

Haines, Erin Leigh

[23.] **Licensure and Certification; Athletic Trainer.** On motion of Dr. Montgomery, duly seconded by Dr. Burdine and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the application for licensure as a matter of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an applicant, pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the following for licensure upon receipt of additional information provided all other requirements had been met:

Prince, Eric Robert

[24.] **Licensure and Certification; Respiratory Therapy.** On motion of Dr. Farris, duly seconded by Dr. Dawson and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the non-routine applications for licensure as a matter of the
character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an applicant, pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the following for licensure provided all other requirements had been met:

Shellhorn, Janice Karee

[25.] Licensure and Certification; Physicians and Surgeons; Foreign Medical Graduates. On motion of Dr. Farris, duly seconded by Dr. Burdine and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the non-routine applications for licensure as a matter of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an applicant, pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Hamed, Hatem Fikry Ahmed  
Vila, Ashish Kanti

[26.] Licensure and Certification; Physicians and Surgeons; U.S./Canadian Medical Graduates. On motion of Dr. Amusa, duly seconded by Dr. Burdine and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the non-routine applications for licensure as a matter of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an applicant, pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Bakotic, Bradley W., DO
Demir, Richard Haines
Hixson, Rosetta Dawn

Miller, Daniella
Northern, Theresa, DO
Reynolds, Timothy L.

b. Denied – To deny the request of the following for a waiver of the licensure requirements:

Grisbaum, Garic C.

[27.] Licensure and Certification; Other Licensure Matters; Fingerprint Discrepancies Report. On motion of Dr. Burdine, duly seconded by Dr. Montgomery and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to review the report of Cecilia Ann Mouton, M.D., Investigating Officer, on the applicants for licensure with fingerprint discrepancies as a matter of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an applicant, pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in
open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

**Clinical Laboratory Personnel**

- Barriere, Florena E.
- Duncan, Kione N.
- Richard, Matthew J.
- Strother, Donna R.
- Wolfe, Andrea E.

**Physicians and Surgeons**

- Charpentier, Sandra R.
- Lee, Stacy L.
- McGraw, Patrick T.
- Womac, Daniel J.

**Physician Assistant**

- Edstrom, Bobbie S.

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[28.] **Licensure and Certification; Other Licensure Matters; Intern/Examination Registration.** On motion of Dr. Farris, duly seconded by Dr. Montgomery and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the application for intern/examination registration as a matter of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an applicant, pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, made the following decisions:

a. **Approved** – To approve issuance of an intern/examination registration for the following provided all other requirements had been met:

**U.S. Medical Graduates**

- Billeaud, Craig Buchanan
- Crutcher, Clifford Lemont II
- Desai, Anand Manoj
- Genesio, Kimberly Cynthia
- Gosey, Gregory Maxwell
- Raj, Marc Alexander
- Satovsky, Ryan Scott
- Siegel, Eric Todd
- Walwyn, Emron Osborne
- Tran, Kimberly

**International Medical Graduate (GETP)**

- Campbell, Ryan Robert
- Collins, Hunter
- Dave, Mit Pankaj
- Kosztowski, Anna Christina
- Manhas, Kamaldeep Singh
- Palmer, Derek Scott
- Tiffee, Aaron Scot
- Thakur, Jai Deep
[29.] **Licensure and Certification; Other Licensure Matters; Relicensure/Reinstatement.**
On motion of Dr. Dawson, duly seconded by Dr. Amusa and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session to consider the non-routine application for relicensure/reinstatement as a matter of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an applicant, pursuant to La.Rev.Stat. 42:17A(1). Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session, and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the following for reinstatement of licensure provided all requirement had been met:

Cooper, Jeffrey Donovan

30. **Licensure and Certification; Other Licensure Matters; Licensees for Suspension.**
The Board reviewed the list of licensees, who had failed to renew their licenses by June 30, 2013. No further action was required or taken on this matter.

Upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m., to reconvene at the Board at 8:30 a.m., Tuesday, July 16, 2013.

Second Session
Tuesday, July 16, 2013

The meeting of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners reconvened at 8:30 a.m., Tuesday, July 16, 2013 at the offices of the Board with everyone in attendance except for Drs. Amusa and Busby.

[31.] **Personal Appearance/Docket Calendar; Formal Hearing; Donald Peter Auzine II, M.D.**
On the motion of Dr. Dawson, duly seconded by Dr. Burdine and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board convened in executive session for the formal hearing in the matter of Donald Peter Auzine II, M.D., as a matter relating to allegations of misconduct and the character and professional conduct of a licensee, La.Rev.Stat § 42:17A(4) and (10) and conduct an administrative hearing as provided by the Legislature in the Louisiana Administrative Procedure Act, La.Rev.Stat.49:951, et.Seq.

32. **Next Meeting of Board.** The President reminded the members that the next meeting of the Board was scheduled for August 19, 20, 2013.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a full, true and correct account of the proceedings of the meeting of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners, save for executive session of the Board conducted therein, held on July 15, 16, 2013 as approved by the Board on the 19th day of August, 2013.
Witness my hand and seal of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners this 19th day of August, 2013.

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Kweli J. Amusa, M.D.
Secretary-Treasurer

Attest:
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Melvin G. Bourgeois, M.D.
President