

NEW MEXICO MEDICAL BOARD
Interim Meeting
January 6, 2011

MINUTES

Members Present:

Steven Weiner, M.D., Chairman
Rebecca Cochran, CPMSM, CPCS, Vice-Chair, Public Member – by teleconference
Paul Kovnat, M.D., Secretary Treasurer
Roger Miller, M.D.
Kathy Abeles, Public Member
Steve Jenkusky, M.D. – by teleconference
Ann Wehr, M.D. – by teleconference
Albert Bourbon, P.A. – by teleconference

Members Absent:

Frank Crespín, M.D.

Also Present:

Lynn Hart, Executive Director
Grant La Farge, M.D., Medical Director
Andrea Buzzard, Assistant Attorney General – by teleconference
Lynn Tipton, Administrative Assistant
JJ Walker, Compliance / Public Information Officer
Debbie Dieterich, Senior Investigator
Leann Adams, Investigator
Amanda Quintana, Licensing Manager

1. CALL TO ORDER

The interim meeting of the New Mexico Medical Board convened at 4:00 p.m., Thursday, January 6, 2011 in the Board Conference Room, 2055 S. Pacheco, Santa Fe, New Mexico, **Steve Weiner, M.D.** presiding. A quorum was declared.

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Ms. Abeles **MOVED** to approve the agenda. Ms. Cochran **SECONDED**. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Dr. Miller, Ms. Abeles, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Kovnat. **ABSENT:** Dr. Wehr **MOTION CARRIED.**

3. APPROVE MINUTES

Dr. Weiner **MOVED** to approve the minutes of the November 18-19, 2010 Quarterly Board meeting. Dr. Miller **SECONDED**. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Dr. Miller, Ms. Abeles, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Kovnat. **ABSENT:** Dr. Wehr **MOTION CARRIED.**

- 4. CHAIR REPORT – Dr. Weiner **MOVED** to **Amend** the 2011 Calendar. The Fourth Quarter Board Meeting will be changed from November 17 - 18, 2011 to November 10 - 11, 2011. Dr. Miller **SECONDED**. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky, and Dr. Wehr. **MOTION CARRIED.****

5. **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR** – Ms. Hart informed the Board that Julie Meade, Prosecuting Attorney, has resigned to accept another position. Jerry Marshak has entered into a contract to serve as the Board's Administrative Prosecutor until such time as the Board receives permission to hire a permanent prosecutor.
6. **2011 LEGISLATIVE SESSION** - Ms. Hart discussed the upcoming legislative session. As in previous administrations, the new administration did not request information from our Agency on any proposed legislation prior to start of the session. Ms. Hart advised that Staff, in collaboration with the Medical Society will review and track any bills that may impact the Board. Ms. Cochran shared a proposal regarding "Advertisement of Health Care Services" that deals with all health care providers wearing a name tag during all patient encounters that clearly identifies the type of license or certification held by the health provider [Article 21 Section 57-21-1 to 51-21-3 NMSA 1978]. She thought the Board might consider endorsing this concept.

Executive Session: **MOTION** was made by Dr. Weiner and **SECONDED** by Ms. Abeles to go into executive session to discuss matters of licensure and discipline. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Wehr. **MOTION CARRIED.**

The Board returned to open session. Dr. Weiner stated for the record that the matters discussed in executive session were limited to only those specified in the motion for closure.

7. LICENSING REQUESTS AND ACTIONS, NEW APPLICANTS/REINSTATEMENTS:

- A. **Stella Chou, M.D. – Consider Settlement**
MOTION was made by Dr. Weiner to **ACCEPT** the Stipulated Agreement and the proposed Order as presented. **SECONDED** by Ms. Abeles. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Wehr. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- B. **David M. Melamed, M.D. – Consider Settlement**
MOTION was made by Dr. Weiner to **ACCEPT** the Stipulated Agreement and the proposed Order as presented. **SECONDED** by Dr. Wehr. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Wehr. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- C. **Sally D'Angelo, M.D. – Consider amending Stipulation and grant reinstatement of Stipulated License**
MOTION was made by Dr. Weiner to **ACCEPT** the amended proposed Stipulation as presented and **GRANT** a reinstatement of Stipulated License. **SECONDED** by Dr. Miller. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Wehr. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- D. **Magdy Khalil, M.D. – Final interview in consideration of licensure**
Ms. Abeles and the licensing staff interviewed Dr. Magdy Khalil and he was issued an unrestricted license to practice medicine in New Mexico.
- E. **Cindy Khalil, M.D. – Final interview in consideration of licensure**
Ms. Abeles and the licensing staff interviewed Dr. Cindy Khalil and she was issued an unrestricted license to practice medicine in New Mexico.

- F. Barbara Mora, M.D. – Review Mini-Sabbatical assessment and consider granting unrestricted license**
MOTION was made by Dr. Wehr to **GRANT** an unrestricted license to practice medicine in New Mexico. **SECONDED** by Ms. Abeles. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Wehr. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- G. Arturo Leon, M.D. – Consider medical experience in lieu of 3 months of post graduate training**
MOTION was made by Dr. Weiner to **ACCEPT** his medical experience in lieu of 3 months of post graduate training and **ISSUE** Dr. Leon a license to practice medicine in New Mexico. **SECONDED** by Dr. Wehr. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Wehr. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- H. Jack King-Kiet Wong, M.D. – Consider medical experience in lieu of 2nd year of post graduate training**
MOTION was made by Dr. Weiner to **ACCEPT** his medical experience in lieu of 2nd year of post graduate training and **ISSUE** Dr. Wong a license to practice medicine in New Mexico. **SECONDED** by Dr. Miller. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Wehr. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- I. Peter Ilievski, M.D. – Consider medical experience in lieu of 2nd year of post graduate training**
MOTION was made by Dr. Weiner to **ACCEPT** his medical experience in lieu of 2nd year of post graduate training and **ISSUE** Dr. Ilievski a license to practice medicine in New Mexico. **SECONDED** by Ms. Abeles. **YES:** Dr. Weiner, Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Wehr. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- J. Robert Terdiman, M.D. – Consider alternative Physician evaluation program for proof of current competency**
The University of New Mexico is unable to include Dr. Terdiman in their Mini-Sabbatical program at this time. Dr. Terdiman has the option to seek an alternative program for presentation to the Board for approval. No specific recommendation at this time.


8. INVESTIGATIONS

- **Complaint Committee E:**
Case No. 2010-E-068 (Robert Knight, M.D.) **RECOMMENDATION** was made by Dr. Weiner to **APPROVE** the alternate educational program at UNM as arranged by Dr. Cosgrove. **YES:** Ms. Abeles, Dr. Miller, Dr. Kovnat, Mr. Bourbon, Ms. Cochran, Dr. Jenkusky and Dr. Wehr. **ABSTAINED:** Dr. Weiner. **RECOMMENDATION PASSED.**

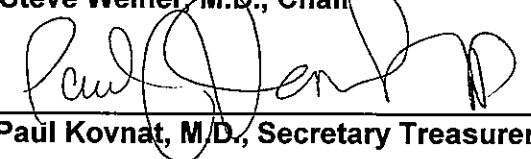
9. ADJOURN: There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

SUBMITTED BY: 
Lynn Hart, Executive Director

DATE: 2/18/2011

APPROVED BY: 
Steve Weiner, M.D., Chair

DATE: 2/17/2011


Paul Kovnat, M.D., Secretary Treasurer

DATE: 2/17/2011