

KENTUCKY BOARD OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY MEETING MINUTES

March 12, 2019

A regular meeting of the Kentucky Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology was held at the Department of Professional Licensing in Frankfort, KY March 12, 2019.

MEMBERS PRESENT

George Purvis, Chairman Audiologist
Margaret Adkins, Audiologist
Christina LaCharite, SLP
Douglas Keefe, SLP
Virginia Rose, SLP
Melanie Driscoll, Audiologist

Department of Professional Licensing STAFF

Megan Norton, Board Administrator
Isaac VanHoose, Commissioner
Robin Vick, Administrative Section Supervisor

OTHERS

Carson Kerr, Office of Legal Services

MEMBERS ABSENT

Matthew Bush, Otolaryngologist

Chairman Purvis called the meeting to order at 1:00pm.

Consent agenda – Minutes and Monthly Financial Report

Minutes of the February 12, 2019 meeting were presented for the Board's review. Ms. LaCharite motioned to approve the minutes with correction. Mr. Keefe seconded the motion and it carried.

The financial report for February 2019 was presented for the Board's review. No further action required.

DPL Report

Commissioner VanHoose advised House Bill 178 also known as the Reorganization Bill was introduced this legislative session but did not make it passed committee. He also advised the Department of Professional Licensing is scheduled to move to the new office building downtown Frankfort late summer.

Licensure Status Report

The Licensure Status Report was reviewed.

Pending Complaints

2018SLP00003-ongoing
2018SLP00004-ongoing

Board Attorney's Report

Old Business

Ms. Norton advised that 142 licensees did not renew by the expiration date of March 2. All received Cease and Desist letters via certified mail to their best-known address.

Ms. Norton also advised that many licensees that renewed have been added to the tracking sheet due to using continuing education obtained after the renewal cutoff date.

New Business

Chairman Purvis assign Board members regulations to review and prepare a brief statement justifying its necessity. It was decided each member should email Carson Kerr with his or her statements for compilation.

The Board discussed questions received via email. Ms. Norton is to respond to inquiries as discussed.

Applications Review

The Application Review Committee met at 11am. Ms. Rose motioned, seconded by Ms. Driscoll to approve recommendations made from today's committee meeting of the following applicants in the appropriate areas. The motion carried.

AUDIOLOGY- APPROVED -

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- CHANGE IN SUPERVISION: Shelby Carter, Molly Lynn

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM-EXTENSION REQUEST- APPROVED: Lindsey Farmer, Jessica Miller

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- APPROVED: Brooke Shaw

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM -DEFERRED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT INTERIM- APPROVED: Cassidy Pickens

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT- APPROVED Sonja Salley

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- APPROVED: Christina Buchanan, Sarah Oliver, Michelle Hudspeth, Bridgitt Pauly, Kristen Weidner, Lauren Fineman, Haley Davis, Valerie Perkins, Brittani Loeser, Cecily Chambers, Megan Martin, Carly Ann Gass, Heather Reffitt, Carly Jarboe, Austin Hunt

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- DEFERRED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- APPROVED: Amber Wheeler, Tamala Miller, Amy Collins, Alisa White, Haley Rinella, Heather Goodman, Sarah Lewis

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- DEFFERED: Kimberly Hensley

Approval of Travel and Per Diem

A motion was made by Ms. LaCharite to approve travel and per-diem for today's meeting. The motion, seconded by Ms. Adkins carried.

Adjournment

Chairman Purvis made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 2:12 PM

The next regular meeting of the Kentucky Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology is scheduled for at 1 PM on Tuesday April 9, 2019 at the Department of Professional Licensing 911 Leawood Drive Frankfort, KY 40601.