KENTUCKY BOARD OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY MEETING MINUTES October 10, 2023

A meeting of the Kentucky Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology was hosted by the Department of Professional Licensing on October 10, 2023, in PPC Conference Room 127 CW at 1:00 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Jennifer Lutes, SLP Tamara Cranfill, SLP

Deborah Harmon, Citizen-at-large

Cierra Mills, SLP

Margaret Adkins, Audiologist

MEMBERS ABSENT

Beth McNulty, Otolaryngologist Angela Mikel, Audiologist

DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL

LICENSING STAFF

Kristen Lawson, DPL Commissioner
Jamar Carter, Executive Staff Advisor

Gabriel Dent, Boards & Commissions Support

Specialist

Lyndsay Sipple, Administrative Section

Supervisor

Courtney Cook, Operations Section Supervisor

Jenna Wells, Administrative Specialist III

OTHERS

Barry Sullivan, Board Counsel

Emily Cox

Call to Order

Chairman Lutes called the meeting to order at 1:03 p.m.

Newly appointed board member Tamara Cranfill was sworn in by administrative section supervisor Lyndsay Sipple.

Consent Agenda - Minutes and Monthly Financial Report

Minutes of the September 12, 2023, meeting were presented for the Board's review. Chairman Lutes motioned to approve the minutes. Ms. Harmon seconded the motion and the motion carried.

The financial report for September 2023 was presented to the board for review. There were no additional questions.

DPL Report

Commissioner Lawson presented the DPL report to the board.

Licensure Status Report

Mr. Dent presented the licensure status report to the board.

Pending Complaints

A complaints committee meeting was not held on 10/10/23. There were no updates to pending complaints provided or discussed.

Board Attorney's Report

Mr. Sullivan advised he had no report at this time.

Old Business

- Tracking sheet discussion was held. Board administrator reported that there were no updates to report at this time.
- CEU regulations for ASHA & Kentucky were discussed by the board. There were no updates or decisions on CEU regulations made at this time.
- The board discussed possible NCSB membership renewal. There was no decision made on NCSB membership at this time.

New Business

- The board reviewed one email question on an international AUD externship and provided a response to the inquiry. Follow up correspondence to be sent by the Boards & Commissions Support Specialist.
- On September 20, 2023, Tamara Cranfill and Angela Mikel were appointed by the Governor to serve on the board. Douglas Keefe's term has now expired.
- Appointments for the Complaints Committee and the ASLP-IC delegate were tabled until the November 14, 2023, meeting.

Applications Review.

Chairman Lutes moves, and Ms. Adkins seconds the motion entering closed session at 1:30 p.m. pursuant to KRS 61.810(1)(j) for deliberations of quasi-judicial bodies regarding the applications at which information protected by KRS 61.810(k) may be discussed.

Chairman Lutes moves to return to open session. Ms. Harmon seconds the motion and the motion carried.

Chairman Lutes announces time returned from closed session at 1:33 p.m.

The Application's Committee reviewed the following applications prior to today's meeting and provided the resulting recommendations. Ms. Adkins motioned to accept the committee's recommendations. Ms. Harmon seconded the motion and the motion carried.

AUDIOLOGY- APPROVED: Anne Tucker

AUDIOLOGY-APPROVED WITH PROVISIONS:

AUDIOLOGY- DEFERRED:

AUDIOLOGY-DENIED:

AUDIOLOGY-REINSTATEMENTS-APPROVED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- CHANGE IN SUPERVISION Approved: Julie Rogers, Cassie Shea

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- CHANGE IN SUPERVISION-Deferred-

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM-EXTENSION REQUEST-APPROVED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- EXTENSION REQUEST- DENIED:

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM-EXTENSION REQUEST DEFERRED-

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- APPROVED: Emily Cox, Jordan Frodge, Bryana Rogers, Brooke Shackelford

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM-APPROVED WITH PROVISIONS:

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- DEFERRED:

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM-DENIED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM ASSISTANT- APPROVED: Kaitlyn Canales, Lauren Straub, Camryn Wise

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM ASSISTANT-APPROVED WITH PROVISIONS -

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM ASSISTANT PPE REPORT/EVALUATION -

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT- APPROVED: Abriana Page

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT - REINSTATEMENT - APPROVED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT CHANGE IN SUPERVISION- APPROVED: Laura Lee Harris Armstrong

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- APPROVED: Mallory Bishop, Sydney Carpenter, Phoebe Chang, Alyssa Freitas, Ann Grevious, Ellen Hunley, Sarah Morgan Lewis, Mary Magnant, Joy Merritt, Nikki Miner, Lynsey Moore, Alison Morse, Amanda Owens, Emma Prigge, Valerie Reichert, Kaelyn Spowart, Emily Wells, Ashton Young

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- APPROVED WITH PROVISIONS:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- DEFERRED:

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY-DENIED

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- APPROVED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS – APPROVED WITH PROVISIONS: *Elizabeth Nicholson, Lyndsey Watkins*

SPEECH- LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- DEFFERED:

SPEECH- LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- DENIED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY-RENEWAL-APPROVED:

RATIFICATION OF LICENSURE: Amber Brown, Sydney Carpenter, Rebecca Duvall, Abriana Page, Cassie Shea, Kaelyn Spowart

REIMBURSEMENT: Valerie Reichert

Approval of Travel and Per Diem

A motion was made by Chairman Lutes to approve travel, food delivery, and per-diem for today's meeting as well as any additional dates to handle board duties. Ms. Harmon seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Adjournment

Ms. Lutes made a motion to adjourn the board meeting at 1:34 p.m. Ms. Adkins seconded the motion and the motion carried.

The next regular meeting of the Kentucky Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology board is scheduled for Tuesday, November 14, 2023, at 1 p.m. hosted by the Department of Professional Licensing.