

The **Board of Examiners for Nursing** held a meeting on March 2, 2011 at 61 Woodland Street, Room B-39, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Patricia Bouffard, RN, Chair
Mary M. Brown, RN
Jennifer Long, APRN
Jeffrey T. Marvin, Public Member
Danielle O'Connell, RN
Katherine Pellerin, RN

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Tarah Cherry, Public Member
Heidi Darling, LPN
Maria Pietrantuono, RN

ALSO PRESENT: Joanne V. Yandow, Counsel to the Board, DPH
Jennifer Filippone, Section Chief, DPH
Diane Cybulski, Supervising Nurse Consultant, DPH
Pamela Pelletier, Nurse Consultant, DPH
Nancy Stefanski, Nurse Consultant, DPH
Bonnie Pinkerton, Nurse Consultant, DPH
Deborah M. Brown, Health Program Assistant, DPH
Janine Cordero, Licensing and Applications Specialist, DPH
Linda Fazzina, Staff Attorney, Legal Office, DPH
Joelle Newton, Staff Attorney, Legal Office, DPH
Ellen M. Shanley, Staff Attorney, Legal Office, DPH
Diane Wilan, Staff Attorney, Legal Office, DPH
Janice E. Wojick, Administrative Assistant, DPH
Tynan E. Cooney, Court Reporter

Chair Patricia Bouffard called the meeting to order at 8:35 AM.

STUDENTS

Chair Bouffard welcomed students from the University of Connecticut.

Chair Bouffard provided the students with an overview of the Board's responsibilities, jurisdiction, and nursing education programs.

OPEN FORUM

No requests or issues were raised by the audience.

ADDITIONAL AGENDA ITEMS AND REORDERING OF AGENDA

Revised agendas were provided to the Board Members.

CHAIR UPDATES

Jennifer Long and Mary Brown attended the APRN Seminar in San Diego

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Jennifer Filippone provided the Board with a Legislative update.

SCHOOL ISSUES – CT TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL – FACULTY UPDATE

Consultant Patricia Fennessy was present to provide a faculty update regarding the Norwich program. Norwich currently has four faculty and 40 students. Some students will be attending clinical in April and others in May.

BRIDGEPORT HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING – INTERIM ADMINISTRATOR

The Department received a letter of notification on February 7, 2011 that Carol Papp, RN, DNP, has been serving as Interim Administrator of the Nursing Program effective December 21, 2010. The Board reviewed and approved Carol Papp as Interim Administrator of the Bridgeport Hospital School of Nursing. The Board approved this interim position with the understanding that Ms. Papp's priority must be at the school of nursing and regardless of any additional duties assigned to her, her primary responsibility must be the administrative oversight of the nursing education program. It is expected that no more than 10% of her time will be spent on duties outside of the nursing education program. The Board also understands that this position as Interim Administrator is temporary until a permanent replacement can be found. Once a suitable Administrator is found, the Board Office must be notified.

CHARTER OAK NURSE REFRESHER – SIX MONTH REVIEW

Susan Deane and Jane Murdock were present to report on the first cohort of students that began the RN Refresher Program after the program received approval for a virtual hospital setting instead of direct case patient experiences on June 2, 2010. Students began the first module on August 16, 2010 and completed the entire four modules on December 17, 2010. The program does have a plan to evaluate student outcomes which includes a six-month and a twelve-month follow-up with both students and employers. Since the students did not complete the course until December, it is most likely that they would not start employment until after January 1st. At this meeting they presented the student demographics, student performance in each of the four modules, student evaluation/feedback regarding the course, and course revisions (if necessary) based on the student and faculty evaluations.

In June 2011 six-month follow-up surveys will be sent to the refresher students and the employers. Feedback from the students and employers will be presented to the Board at the September 7, 2011 meeting along with the NCLEX results, if available at that time.

The Board had concerns that there were no stats available on student's employment after the completion of the program. Also, out of the 13 students in the program, five had inactive licenses, three needed to take the NCLEX again. Did the three pass the NCLEX? Did the other two licenses get reactivated? Another question the Board had was regarding the student who had been out of practice for 20 years, is she without a license and/or in inactive status?

As stated above, Susan Deane and Jane Murdock will return to the Board on September 7, 2011 with an update and answers to the Board's concerns.

STONE ACADEMY – SURVEY VISITS – HAMDEN AND EAST HARTFORD CAMPUSES

Eleanor Davio, Program Administrator for the Stone Academy programs, along with Donna Bys, Program Director for the Hamden Campus, and Dale DeMille, Program Director for the East Hartford Campus, were present for the survey review. The Board reviewed the documents presented along with Pam Pelletier's report. After reviewing the report, the Board had several questions which were unanswered. Mary Brown moved, seconded by Katherine Pellerin, to provide the missing information to the Board by April 15, 2011 and this survey review will be placed on the May 4, 2011 agenda. The motion passed unanimously.

STONE ACADEMY – HAMDEN CAMPUS CONTINGENCY PLAN

Donna Bys, Program Director for the Hamden Campus, was present to present the contingency plan to the Board for make-up days missed due to roof integrity problems at the Hamden campus. The documentation was not provided. Katherine Pellerin moved, seconded by Mary Brown, to table this item also and place on the May 4, 2011 agenda. The motion passed unanimously.

NCLEX SEMINAR

Pam Pelletier provided the Board with an oral presentation regarding the NCSBN 2010 NCLEX Invitational Seminar which she attended in Atlanta, Georgia on September 13, 2010. The two areas that she was able to attend were the *psychometrics* of the exam using computer adaptive testing and *Mountain Measurement's* ability to extrapolate data from test takers and designing future NCLEX exam questions.

Computer adaptive testing, known as CAT, is a method of administering tests that merges existing computer technology with modern measurement theory to increase the efficiency of the testing process. The NCLEX exam is administered via CAT with a variety of response formats. Regardless of the response or display formats, all items are scored as right or wrong; there is no partial credit. The NCLEX exam is not based on the number or percentage of times answered correctly, but rather on the difficulty of the items that a candidate can answer correctly 50% of the time. The computer compares the candidates estimated ability level to the passing standard and makes one of three decisions:

- If the candidate is clearly above the passing standard, the examination ends, and the candidate passes.
- If the candidate is clearly below the passing standard, the examination ends, and the candidate fails.
- If the candidates' ability estimate is too close to the passing standard to determine with 95% certainty whether the candidate should pass or not, the computer continues to administer items.

All candidates have ample opportunity to demonstrate their ability, as the examination does not end until a stable pass/fail result is determined or time runs out. Maximum questions for RNs is 265 and is timed for up to 6 hours and for LPNs is 205 questions and is timed for up to 5 hours. This includes any tutorials and optional breaks if needed.

Mountain Measurement explained the purpose and benefits of the NCLEX program reports. They provided a history of the program, a walk through of the reported data, and how to interpret some of the data collected. The most interesting thing that was discussed was that an annual report & semi annual report is now available. By subscribing to both the semi and annual report which ranges from \$200 for LPN-\$300 for RN - larger nursing programs will maximize their interpretation by comparing their performance to three different reference groups, the fall cohort, spring cohort, and cohort of students testing throughout the year.

- The NCLEX-RN report documents how the graduates from a particular RN program rank compared to the graduates of other programs in the area, similar programs nationwide (ie: ADRN, BSN, Diploma) and other programs nationwide. In addition, the report will identify how the school's graduates ranked overall in 8 areas of the exam – 5 phases of the nursing process, 8 categories of human functioning, 10 categories of health alterations, 4 areas of wellness/illness continuum, 6 stages of maturity, and 4 aspects of stress, adaptation, and coping.

- The NCLEX LPN report documents how the graduates from the program ranked compared to graduates of other programs in the area and other programs nationwide. The report also identifies how the school program ranked along the 6 different content dimensions of the exam - 4 phases of the nursing process, 8 categories of human functioning, 10 categories of health alterations, 4 areas of wellness/illness continuum, 6 stages of maturity, and 4 aspects of stress, adaptation, and coping.

NCLEX SCORES

The Connecticut RN First Time Pass Rate for 2010 was 91.35% and the National was 87.5%.

The Connecticut LPN First Time Pass Rate for 2010 was 91.5% and the National was 87.41%.

The NCLEX-RN scores for the fourth quarter of 2010 exceeded 80% as required by the regulations. Goodwin College ADN Program had a reported rate of 80% for September 2010. This rate is not reflective of the actual percentage rate as their actual percentage rate for the first time takers is 83.3% based upon the August, September, and October figures provided.

The NCLEX-PN scores for the fourth quarter of 2010 exceeded 80% as required by the regulations.

As reported in September 2010, Lincoln Tech's Shelton Campus Evening Program has been on probation following a pass rate of 80.56%. The program's plan of action was approved at that time by the Board. Scores reported for this timeframe identified a 100% pass rate. Mary Brown moved, seconded by Katherine Pellerin, to remove the Lincoln Tech Shelton Campus from conditional approval and place the program on full approval. The motion passed unanimously.

Lincoln Tech's Hamden Campus Evening Program for this time period demonstrated a pass rate of 50%. Jo-Ann Dean, Program Administrator, was contacted and identified that the numbers were not reflective and that a few students took the exam later. Their first time pass rate is 83.72%.

Patricia Fennessy, Consultant for the CT Technical High School System, was contacted regarding the pass rate for the part-time program at Vinal Tech. The yearly report showed a pass rate of 75% with 16 students. Ms. Fennessy identified that there were 22 students in the program and that as of December 31, 2010, 16 of the 22 students had taken the NCLEX and two had failed. Since January 1, 2011, two additional students took the exam and passed and one student took the exam in another state and passed. One student has yet to take the exam. Ms. Fennessy noted that if we include the student who took the NCLEX out-of-state, then the pass rate would be 86.3%.

CORRESPONDENCE/STATISTICS ON INQUIRIES

Diane Cybulski reviewed the November, December, and January scope of practice inquiries which were received in the Board Office and the Department.

NCSBN UPDATE

- The Consensus Model for APRN Regulation Seminar was held in San Diego, California in January 2011. The NCSBN sponsored the Seminar and paid expenses for two attendees from Connecticut to attend. Jennifer Long and Mary Brown attended the seminar. This consensus model's goal is to provide conformity in professional standards for all APRN's across the nation, to improve public safety, and increase mobility for APRN's. The model includes standards for licensure, accreditation, certification, and education. It covers four roles: CRNA, CNM, CNS, and CNP. These roles will fit into six population foci from family/individual across the lifespan, adult gerontology, neonatal, pediatrics, women health/gender related to psych mental health.

An APRN will not be allowed to be licensed solely in a specialization such as oncology. Education standards would ensure that all APRN's had courses in pathophysiology, pharmacology and physical assessment across the life span. The Institute of Medicine Report stated that all APRN's should be allowed "to work to their highest level education and competency by authority through legal scope of practice." Presently scopes of practice are not consistent across states and APRN's are not able to practice to the full extent of their education and training. The consensus model will allow for consistency and independent practice based on their education and certification.

- Chair Bouffard and Jennifer Long will attend the NCSBN Mid Year meeting in Chicago mid March
- The NCSBN endorsed the Robert Wood Johnson Report
- The NCSBN will be funding multistate transition to practice internship program in three or four states
- Jennifer Filippone updated the Board on the Uniform Core Licensure Committee and her NURSIS work with Nur Rajwany, NCSBN IT Director, and the vendor

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the following minutes.

NOVEMBER 3, 2010

Mary Brown moved and Jeffrey Marvin seconded to approve the minutes as written. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception of Katherine Pellerin and Jennifer Long who abstained.

NOVEMBER 17, 2010

Mary Brown moved and Jeffrey Marvin seconded to approve the minutes as written. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception of Katherine Pellerin who abstained.

DECEMBER 1, 2010

Mary Brown moved and Jeffrey Marvin seconded to approve the minutes as written. The motion passed with all in favor Katherine Pellerin and Danielle O'Connell who abstained.

DECEMBER 15, 2010

Jeffrey Marvin moved and Jennifer Long seconded to approve the minutes as edited. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception of Katherine Pellerin who abstained.

JANUARY 19, 2011

Jeffrey Marvin moved and Jennifer Long seconded to approve the minutes as written. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception of Katherine Pellerin and Danielle O'Connell who abstained.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION – KATY DUCLOS, LPN

The Board reviewed the Memorandum of Decision for Ms. Duclos. Mary Brown moved, seconded by Katherine Pellerin, to affirm the Board's prior decision to revoke Ms. Duclos' license. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception Patricia Bouffard who abstained.

Break 11:00 AM – 11:15

ORAL ARGUMENT: PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF FINAL DECISION – JENNIFER PRENTISS RN

Attorney Stephen Cowherd was present with Jennifer Prentiss to present Oral Argument regarding Ms. Prentiss' Petition for Reconsideration of Final Decision. Joelle Newton was present representing the Department of Public Health. The Board moved into Executive Session and the room was cleared of counsel and observers. Upon conclusion of the Executive Session, the Board heard Oral Argument from Attorney Cowherd and Attorney Newton. Katherine Pellerin moved to deny Ms. Prentiss' Petition for Reconsideration of Final Decision. The motion was seconded by Jennifer Long and passed unanimously.

MOTION TO VACATE SUMMARY SUSPENSION AND REINSTATE LICENSE – CARLA COLLINS, RN

Attorney Frederick D. Paoletti was present with Carla Collins presenting the Board with a Motion to Vacate Summary Suspension and Reinstate Licenses. Legal Office Attorney Linda Fazzina was present representing the Department of Public Health. The Board reviewed the documentation provided. Katherine Pellerin moved, seconded by Jennifer Long, to deny the Motion to Vacate Summary Suspension and Reinstate License. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION FOR SUMMARY SUSPENSION – TODD STOCKHEIMER, RN

Legal Office Attorney Linda Fazzina presented the Board with a Motion for Summary Suspension for Todd Stockheimer. Mr. Stockheimer was present without representation at this meeting.

Mary Brown moved and Jeffrey Marvin seconded to grant the Motion for Summary Suspension. The motion passed unanimously. Chair Bouffard signed the Summary Suspension Order and the Notice of Hearing and Mr. Stockheimer was hand delivered the Motion for Summary Suspension, the Summary Suspension Order, and the Notice of Hearing documents at this meeting

CONSENT ORDER – DONALD MUSGRAVE, RN

Legal Office Attorney Ellen M. Shanley presented the Board with a Consent Order for Donald Musgrave. Mr. Musgrave was present without representation at this meeting.

Mary Brown moved and Jennifer Long seconded to accept this Consent Order as written. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception of Katherine Pellerin who recused herself from this case.

CONSENT ORDER – LAUREN B. PECK, RN

Legal Office Attorney Ellen M. Shanley presented the Board with a Consent Order for Lauren B. Peck. Ms. Peck and her attorney, John Woodcock, III, were not present at this meeting.

Jennifer Long moved and Mary Brown seconded to deny this Consent Order as written. The motion passed unanimously.

It was the recommendation of the Board Members present to place Ms. Peck's license on probation for two years with a \$2,000.00 civil penalty, monthly employer reports, coursework in Ethics and Scope of Practice, she will be restricted from working for a personnel provided service.

CONSENT ORDER – WANDA DOMINGUEZ-WATTS, RN

Legal Office Attorney Ellen M. Shanley presented the Board with a Consent Order for Wanda Dominguez-Watts. Ms. Dominguez-Watts and her attorney, Wayne Tillinghast, were not present at this meeting.

Jennifer Long moved and Katherine Pellerin seconded to accept this Consent Order as written. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception of Katherine Pellerin and Patricia Bouffard who were opposed and Danielle O'Connell who abstained. Chair Bouffard signed the Consent Order.

CONSENT ORDER - KATHRYN ARMITAGE, RN

Legal Office Attorney Ellen M. Shanley presented the Board with a Consent Order for Kathryn Armitage. Ms. Armitage was present with counsel, Attorney Martha Murray.

Katherine Pellerin moved and Mary Brown seconded to accept this Consent Order as written. The motion passed unanimously. Chair Bouffard signed the Consent Order.

CONSENT ORDER – ALICE MILLER, RN

Legal Office Attorney Ellen M. Shanley presented the Board with a Consent Order for Alice Miller. Ms. Miller was present with counsel, Attorney Charles Tiernan.

Mary Brown moved and Jennifer Long seconded to accept this Consent Order as written. The motion passed unanimously. Chair Bouffard signed the Consent Order.

CONSENT ORDER – PHYLLIS COX-GARVEY, RN

Legal Office Attorney Joelle Newton was present representing the Department. Ms. Cox-Garvey and her attorney, Michael Rigg, were not present at this meeting. Attorney Rigg and his client were aware that this Consent Order was being presented to the Board at this meeting.

Katherine Pellerin moved and Mary Brown seconded to accept the Consent Order as presented for Ms. Cox-Garvey. The motion passed unanimously.

PREHEARING REVIEW – DENISE LaBONTE, RN

Legal Office Attorney Joelle Newton was present representing the Department. Ms. LaBonte was not present and did not have representation at this meeting.

It was the recommendation of the Board to issue a Statement of Charges and schedule a hearing.

HEARING – CARLA COLLINS, RN

Legal Office Attorney Linda Fazzino was present representing the Department of Public Health. Ms. Collins was present with counsel, Attorney Frederick D. Paoletti, at this hearing. Attorney Paoletti made an Oral Motion to Sequester the Witnesses. The Board granted the motion and the patient and her husband left the room. Testimony was provided by Ms. Liza Ramos, Medical Assistant.

Break – 1:30 PM – 2:00 PM

Testimony was provided by Robin Parent, the patient, followed by Joshua Parent, the patient's husband. During the testimony Katherine Pellerin and Danielle O'Connell left for the day. Testimony ended at 3:00 PM and the hearing was rescheduled for May 4, 2011 at 9:30 AM.

HEARING – BELINDA GARNETT, LPN

Legal Office Attorney Diane Wilan was present representing the Department of Public Health. Ms. Garnett was present without representation at this hearing. Testimony was provided by Bonnie Pinkerton, RN. Ms. Garnett Provided the Board with an oral admittance to all of the charges. The hearing completed. Due to lack of a quorum, Fact Finding was rescheduled for April 7, 2011.

HEARING – STACEY L. WILLIAMS, LPN

Legal Office Attorney Diane Wilan was present representing the Department of Public Health. Ms. Williams was not present and did not have representation at this hearing. There was no testimony provided. Documents were entered into the record. Legal Office Attorney Diane Wilan made an Oral Motion to Deem the Allegations Admitted. Due to lack of a quorum, the hearing will be continued to April 7, 2011 followed by Fact Finding.

ADJOURNMENT

It was the unanimous decision of the Board Members present to adjourn this meeting at 3:53 PM.

The **Board of Examiners for Nursing** held a meeting on March 9, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, Room 470-A/B, 410 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Patricia Bouffard, RN, Chair
Mary M. Brown, RN
Jennifer Long, APRN
Jeffrey T. Marvin, Public Member
Danielle O'Connell, RN
Katherine Pellerin, RN

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Tarah Cherry, Public Member
Heidi Darling, LPN
Maria Pietrantuono, RN

ALSO PRESENT: Stacy Owens, Counsel to the Board, DPH
Jennifer Filippone, Section Chief, DPH
Diane Cybulski, Supervising Nurse Consultant, DPH
Pamela Pelletier, Nurse Consultant, DPH
Linda Fazzina, Staff Attorney, Legal Office, DPH
David Tilles, Staff Attorney, Legal Office, DPH
Diane Wilan, Staff Attorney, Legal Office, DPH
Janice E. Wojick, Administrative Assistant, DPH
Pohn Kwee, Secretary II, DPH
Gail Gregoriades, Court Reporter

Chair Patricia Bouffard called the meeting to order at 8:30 AM.

STUDENTS

There were no students at this meeting.

GOVERNOR'S PROPOSAL RE: CT TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL SYSTEM & THE LPN PROGRAMS

Patricia Fennessy, CT Technical High School Consultant, was present to discuss with the Board the Governor's proposed budget including a plan to transfer operations of the CT Technical High School System LPN Programs under the jurisdiction of Local Boards of Education. If the legislation passes, the A.I. Prince Program (Hartford) and the Vinal Program (Middletown) are slated to move to the jurisdiction of their Local Boards of Education for the July 2011-2012 school year, and four more programs would move for the school year 2013-2014, and the rest thereafter.

Proposed Legislation HB6385:

Sec. 16. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2011*) The Commissioner of Education, in consultation with the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management, or the secretary's designee, the local and regional boards of education for the school districts in which a regional vocational-technical school is located and the regional educational service centers serving areas in which such schools are located, shall develop a plan for the transfer of operations of the regional vocational-technical schools to the local or regional boards of education for the school district in which such schools are located or the regional educational service centers serving areas in which such schools are located. Such plan shall include, but not be limited to, (1) a requirement that the transfer of operations of the regional vocational-technical schools shall be completed on or before the school year commencing July 1, 2015, (2) provisions outlining the procedure for the four-year phase-in of the transfer of operations of the regional vocational-technical schools, and (3) a provision allowing the local or regional board of education for the school district in which

the regional vocational-technical school is located to vote to inherit the operations of such school, and a provision requiring the regional educational service center serving the school district in which such school is located to inherit the operations of such school if such local or regional board of education votes to not inherit the operations of such school. On or before January 1, 2012, such plan shall be submitted to the Governor.

STATE ETHICS COMMISSION UPDATE

Stacy Owens, Counsel for the Board and the Ethics Liaison for DPH, was present to provide the Board with an update from the State Ethics Commission regarding out-of-state travel. Attorney Owens distributed the Office of State Ethics Guide to the Code of Ethics for Public Officials and State Employees to the Board Members. If a Board Member attends a seminar/meeting in their official capacity as a Board Member, and the expenses are paid by a third party, i.e, NCSBN, the Board Member must file within 30 days of receiving payment or reimbursement of necessary expenses for lodging or out-of-state travel, as a state employee or a public official, the Board Member must file an ETH-NE form with the OSE. CGS 1-84(k). A new, online form is available on the OSE's Web site. This form is not required if your necessary expenses were paid by the federal government or by another state government. For further information Attorney Owens can be contacted at 860-509-7648.

CONSENT ORDER – KERRI WHITE, LPN

Legal Office Attorney Linda Fazzina presented the Board with a Consent Order for Kerri White. Ms. White was not present and did not have representation at this meeting. Mary Brown moved and Jennifer Long seconded that the Consent Order be accepted as written. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception of Katherine Pellerin who was opposed.

INTERIM CONSENT ORDER – JENNIFER A. SAYWARD, RN

Legal Office Attorney Linda Fazzina presented the Board with an Interim Consent Order for Jennifer Sayward. Ms. Sayward was not present and did not have representation at this meeting. Katherine Pellerin moved and Jennifer Long seconded that the Interim Consent Order be granted. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION TO REOPEN HEARING – LYNN GUION, RN

Ms. Guion filed a request with the Board Office on February 25, 2011 to reopen the hearing in Petition No. 2010-5622. This case was heard before the Board on November 19, 2010. Ms. Guion did not attend the hearing, nor did she contact the Board Office or Department stating that she would not be attending the hearing, nor did she did not file an answer to the charges. The Board Members were provided with Ms. Guion's written request and the Department's Objection regarding the Motion to Reopen Hearing. Mary Brown moved and Jennifer Long seconded to deny Ms. Guion's request to reopen the hearing. The motion passed unanimously.

MEMORANDA OF DECISION

Janice E. Wojick presented the Board with the following Memoranda of Decision.

CHERYL DUBOVIK, LPN

Katherine Pellerin moved and Mary Brown seconded to affirm the Board's prior decision to revoke Ms. Dubovik's license. The motion passed unanimously.

MICHELLE LEONARD, LPN

Jennifer Long moved and Jeffrey Marvin seconded to affirm the Board's prior decision to revoke Ms. Leonard's license. The motion passed unanimously.

JENNIFER PECCERILLO, RN

Jennifer Long moved and Katherine Pellerin seconded to affirm the Board's prior decision to revoke Ms. Peccerillo's license. The motion passed unanimously.

HEARING – DAVID ZABOROWSKI, LPN

Legal Officer Attorney Diane Wilan was present representing the Department of Public Health. Mr. Zaborowski was present with counsel, Attorney Ellen Costello. Testimony was provided by Karen Solosky, David Zaborowski, LPN, and Kimberly Saucier, APRN.

Mary Brown moved and Jennifer Long seconded that Mr. Zaborowski be found on all charges with the exception of 4b. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception of Chair Bouffard who was opposed.

Mary Brown moved and Jennifer Long seconded that Mr. Zaborowski's license be placed on probation for six months or until the successful completion of a course in anger management and a course in caring for patient's with dementia and delirium, followed by a report from his nursing supervisor which is to be received by the Department within one month of the completion of the coursework. Probation ends upon the successful completion of the coursework and receipt of the employer report to the Department. The motion passed with all in favor with the exception of Chair Bouffard who was opposed.

ADJOURNMENT

It was the unanimous decision of Board Members present to adjourn this meeting at 2:07 PM.