

**Ohio State Dental Board
Board Meeting
July 21, 2004**

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MINUTES

ATTENDANCE

The Ohio State Dental Board (Board) met in room 1952, 19th Floor of the Vern Riffe Center for Government and the Arts, 77 South High Street, Columbus, Ohio on Wednesday, July 21, 2004, beginning at 1:00 p.m. Board members present were:

Lynda L. Sabat, R.D.H., President
Paul Vesoulis, D.D.S., Vice-President
Edward R. Hills, D.D.S., Secretary
Mark T. Armstrong, D.D.S.
Phillip J. Beckwith, D.D.S.
Berta I. Howard, D.D.S.
Billie Sue Kyger, D.D.S.
Mark Landes, Esq.
Gregory A. McDonald, D.D.S.
T. Michael Murphy, D.D.S.
Ann E. Naber, R.D.H.
Sandra L. Wise, R.D.H.
Frank A. Wright, D.D.S.

The following guests were also in attendance: Jonathan Fulkerson, Esq., Assistant Attorney General, Greg Fouche, Assistant Director of the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR); Denise Bowers, R.D.H. and Linda Hewetson, R.D.H. of the Ohio Dental Hygienists' Association (ODHA); Rebecca Hockenberry, Esq., Assistant Director, Jayne A. Smith, Licensure Coordinator, and Malynda Franks, Executive Secretary, of the Ohio State Dental Board; and other guests.

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Sabat extended greetings to everyone and noting that there was a quorum present called the meeting to order at 1:05 p.m. She requested all members and guests sign the attendance roster and proceeded to introduce the Board.

INTRODUCTION OF BOARD MEMBERS

Ms. Sabat took a moment to introduce the Board. She introduced herself as the Board President, a dental hygiene member from Brecksville. She then introduced the other Board members: Dr. Paul Vesoulis, the Board Vice-President, a general dentist from Toledo, Dr. Edward Hills, the Board Secretary, a general dentist from Cleveland, Dr. T. Michael Murphy, an oral and maxillofacial surgeon from Marion, Dr. Gregory McDonald, a general dentist from Springboro, Dr. Mark Armstrong, a general dentist from Troy, Dr. Phillip Beckwith, an orthodontist from Columbus, Dr. Berta Howard, a general dentist from Hamilton, Dr. Billie Sue Kyger, a general dentist from Gallipolis, Dr. Frank Wright, a general dentist from Cincinnati, Mr. Mark Landes, the Board's Public member from Gahanna, Ms. Ann Naber, a dental hygienist from Bellbrook, and Ms. Sandra Wise, a dental hygienist from Fremont.

REVIEW OF THE JUNE BOARD MEETING MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes of the June 2nd, 2004 Board meeting.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Ms. Wise, to approve the June 2nd, 2004 Board meeting minutes as presented.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATIVE RULES HEARING

An administrative rules hearing was held on amended Ohio Administrative Code 4715-12-02.

A court reporter was present to take down and transcribe the details of the testimony and discussions of the Board. The original transcript and any written testimony shall be maintained in the exhibits section of this journal.

The Board first heard testimony and received evidence (Appendix A - State's Exhibit's 1 through 6) from Rebecca Hockenberry, Esq., Assistant Director, Ohio State Dental Board.

Upon completion of Ms. Hockenberry's testimony, Mr. Fulkerson inquired whether the Board had received any written testimony. Ms. Hockenberry indicated that there had been one (1) letter (Appendix B) submitted from Keith Kerns, Esq., Director of

Legal and Legislative Services for the Ohio Dental Association. She stated that copies had been made available to the Board members for their review and consideration. Mr. Fulkerson noted that it was marked as Exhibit A.

At the conclusion of testimony, the Board took a brief recess.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. Kyger, to withdraw current 4715-12-02 as originally filed and to refile amended Ohio Administrative Code 4715-12-02 with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR).

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Sabat stated that this concluded the administrative rules hearing. She stated that the Board would resume its regular meeting agenda beginning with item #3; Executive Session.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Dr. Murphy, to move the Board into executive session pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 121.22(G)(3) to confer with counsel on matters that are the subject of pending or imminent court action and pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 121.22(G)(1) to discuss matters involving personnel.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Sabat invited Ms. Hockenberry and Mr. Fulkerson to attend the executive session.

OPEN SESSION

At 3:30 p.m., the Board resumed open session. Ms. Sabat approved the agenda for the afternoon as presented with the notation that the Chair may modify the agenda due to timing constraints or extenuating circumstances.

REVIEW OF LICENSE APPLICATIONS

LICENSURE REPORT

Jayne Smith, Licensure Coordinator, had prepared a report of the licenses issued since the June 2004 meeting, for Board member review. Ms. Sabat then requested the Board's vote of approval for the Licensure Report.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve the licensure report for the following dental and dental hygiene licenses issued by North East Regional Board, Inc. (NERB) examination, for the following dental assistant radiographer licenses issued by; acceptable certification or licensure in another state, certification by the Dental Assisting National Board (DANB) or the Ohio Commission on Dental Assistant Certification (OCDAC), or successful completion of the DANB Radiation, Health and Safety examination:

DENTAL

*Nisha N. Murugadampoondy, DDS
Robert H. Muster, DDS
Kirsten L. Olson, DDS
Patrick B. Parsons, DDS
Jordan L. Pelshovitz, DDS
Pierpaolo Preceruti, DDS
Rockland A. Ray, DDS
Chandice A Richards, DDS
Douglas N. Robertson, DDS
Cynthia L. Rohrbough, DDS*

*Avneet K. Sandhu, DDS
Frank A. Selega, DDS
Kevin T. Silva, DDS
Stephen Sim, DDS
Andrew E. Skasko, DDS
Erin M. Slattery, DDS
Nihar A. Vasavada, DDS
Harmon K. Vredevelde, DDS
Dors M. Wilkinson, DDS*

DENTAL HYGIENE

*Susanna Achildiyeva, RDH
Connie J. Adams, RDH
Misty D. Argo, RDH
Kimberly L. Arra, RDH
Eve M. Arthur, RDH
Shannon L. Beshara, RDH
Deborah L. Betivas, RDH
Katrina L. Beyer, RDH
Lisa M. Biddison, RDH
Holly A. Billenstein, RDH*

*Kelly I. Blair, RDH
Jennifer M. Boeckman, RDH
Julie E. Bope, RDH
Rashida R. Bradley, RDH
Amber E. Bragg, RDH
Tami R. Brown, RDH
Lindsay N. Brown, RDH
Cassi A. Bucher, RDH
Christine M. Bucholtz, RDH
Katie L. Carpentier, RDH*

Jennifer A. Collingsworth, RDH
Gail A. Cotterman, RDH
Jody L. Creamer, RDH
Sandy M. Davies, RDH
Julia M. DeLombard, RDH
Adrianna R. Dicks, RDH
Melissa K. Drake, RDH
Gina M. Drane, RDH
Aileen R. Egolf, RDH
Diane J. Ehrman, RDH
Rebecca R. Falcone, RDH
Rebecca L. Fedor, RDH
Michelle L. Freedman, RDH
Theresa Galli, RDH
Jeni L. Gannet, RDH
Heather N. Garmann, RDH
Kellie A. Geyer, RDH
Lena Gumennik, RDH
Sarina B. Gutman, RDH
Michele L. Hafer, RDH
Jennifer K. Harding, RDH
Jennifer A. Harrison, RDH
Beth A. Hayward, RDH
Jessica G. Hill, RDH
Michelle D. Hill, RDH
Heather A. Hinojosa, RDH
Michelle L. Hinrichsen, RDH
Shana L. Howell, RDH
Tara L. Hughes, RDH
Theresa S. Iker, RDH
Zamira Jani, RDH
Kara M. Johnson, RDH
Elizabeth E. Kelley, RDH
Elham Khaksarfard, RDH
Joan M. Kibler, RDH
Jean A. Kiggins, RDH
Kari M. Knight, RDH
Bernadett Kobor, RDH
Yelena Kofman, RDH
Kaukab A. Kohlmann, RDH
Brandy A. Korby, RDH
Margaret L. Ladan, RDH
Jessica A. Landsberger, RDH

Toni E. Larrymore, RDH
Heather D. Lautzenheiser, RDH
Kathleen G. Letzelter, RDH
Shelley A. Lucas, RDH
Lisa M. Marshall, RDH
Oksana A. Martynyuk, RDH
Julie L. Mazzaro, RDH
Elizabeth J. Melia, RDH
Chelsea A. Menke, RDH
Leslie D. Mitchell, RDH
Melinda L. Moore, RDH
Rachel A. Musselman, RDH
Brooke L. Myers, RDH
Amy M. Newman, RDH
Loan T. Nguyen, RDH
Samara N. Nonnemacher, RDH
Joy D. Nzimiro, RDH
Lia Orazio, RDH
Jessica N. Paden, RDH
Traci M. Patek, RDH
Dawn R. Peffers, RDH
Lauren N. Percio, RDH
Lydia A. Petersen, RDH
Lori J. Petit, RDH
Kerry A. Phillips, RDH
Jennifer A. Pieren, RDH
Brandie L. Plattner, RDH
Holly R. Ramoz, RDH
Natalie M. Richey, RDH
Katie L. Rife, RDH
Jodelle S. Sakamoto, RDH
Devin S. Sampson, RDH
Emily M. Schaffer, RDH
Lindsay S. Seibert, RDH
Maria C. Sharples, RDH
Sarah L. Spivey, RDH
Patricia A. Springs, RDH
Lynn M. Strong, RDH
Minh-Khue Su, RDH
Lisa A. Summersett, RDH
Rebecca D. Taylor, RDH
Mary M. Terry, RDH
Rachel R. Vaughn, RDH

Vicki L. Vertin, RDH
Marna L. Wackerman, RDH
Kelly L. Walker, RDH
Jaymie S. Wells, RDH
Stephanie J. Will, RDH

Candice E. Williams, RDH
Tiffany R. Wolfe, RDH
Anne E. Wright, RDH
Rosa R. Zarbakhsh, RDH
Lisa L. Zeh, RDH

DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER

Jennifer A. Adams
Alice C. Adams
Lori A. Atherton
Irina Bederman
Joyce A. Berning
Myling Bonilla
Alison J. Boyd
Sheila M. Brady
Heather R. Burdge
Jodee L. Christy
Cindi C. Coleman
Keri A. Couch
Dana M. Cremeans
Michelle Glenn
India L. Gore
Tracy L. Hammer
Lindsey E. Hill
Theresa A. Hursch
Cathy A. Kelleher
Jakob R. Kelly
Anna N. Kemler
Julie A. Kipple
Michelle M. Lewkowica

Regina M. Lomaka
Kelly A. Martin
Luchania M. McKenzie
Sara P. Miller
Danyelle J. Nunley
John E. O'Keeffe
Denise C. Parete
Nirali V. Patel
Jessica R. Price
Lisa A. Rausch
Marie E. Rivera
Melissa A. Ross
Vida O. Shuey
Nicole R. Siefker
Megan I. Skelley
Kathy J. Slate
Debra M. Stanfield
Angela E. Stewart-Belcher
Steffanie L. Studer
Whitney J. Warden
Stacy D. Woods
Fathia A. Youssef

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Absent
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes

Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright - Yes

Motion carried.

REGIONAL BOARD DENTAL APPLICATION(S)

The following persons applied for dental licenses, based on successful completion of a regional board examination, National Board examination, and the Ohio examination on the statute and regulations:

Zygintas Binkis, DDS
Jeffrey G. Broermann, DDS
Duane A. Degenhardt, DDS
Sukhdeep S. Dhaliwal, DDS
Malin G. Friess, DDS
Steven A. Horn, DDS
John P. Horsley, DDS
Samata Kona, DDS

Manjula Natarajan, DDS
Dale A. Riggs, DDS
Stephanie E. Salter, DDS
Rishad Shaikh, DDS
Prashanthi Vadhi, DDS
Christopher T. Wegley, DDS
Samuel P. Wise, DDS

Motion by Dr. Armstrong, second by Ms. Naber, to approve these fifteen (15) regional board dental license applications.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Absent
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright - Yes

Motion carried.

REGIONAL BOARD DENTAL HYGIENE APPLICATION(S)

The following persons applied for dental hygiene licenses, based on successful completion of a regional board examination, National Board examination, and the Ohio examination on the statute and regulations:

Rhonada K. Collins, RDH
Sarah L. Fellner, RDH
Rebekah V. Fisher, RDH

Deborah M. Gay, RDH
Tara D. Lindley, RDH
Raegan A. St.Denis, RDH

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. Wright, to approve these six (6) regional board dental hygiene license applications.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Absent
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright - Yes

Motion carried.

GRADUATES OF UNACCREDITED DENTAL COLLEGES LOCATED OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES

The following person applied for a license to practice dentistry in the state of Ohio, he has completed the requirements necessary to obtain a license as a graduate of an unaccredited dental school located outside the United States.

Dr. Nimisha Somaiya

Motion by Dr. Armstrong, second by Dr. Kyger, to approve this graduate of unaccredited dental colleges located outside the United States license application.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Absent
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright - Yes

Motion carried.

LIMITED RESIDENT'S LICENSE APPLICATION(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no Limited Resident's license applications for review at this time.

LIMITED TEACHING LICENSE APPLICATION(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no Limited Teaching license applications for review at this time.

LIMITED CONTINUING EDUCATION LICENSE APPLICATION(S)

The following individual has applied for a limited continuing education license for the purpose of participating in a dental implant externship offered at the *Mid-West Implant Institute* under the direction of Dr. Alfred Heller

Daniel W. Krueger, DDS

Motion by Dr. Kyger, second by Ms. Naber, to approve Dr. Krueger's application for limited continuing education license.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

DENTAL APPLICATION(S) WITH SPECIALTY DESIGNATION

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no license applications for dentists with a specialty designation for review at this time.

DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER LICENSE APPLICATION(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no dental assistant radiographer license applications for review at this time.

CRITERIA APPROVAL LICENSE APPLICATION(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no criteria approval license applications for review at this time.

REINSTATEMENT LICENSE APPLICATION(S) INTERVIEWS

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no reinstatement license interviews at this time.

REINSTATEMENT LICENSE APPLICATION(S) NO INTERVIEW

WAYNE V. CAMPAGNI, D.D.S.

The Board reviewed and considered the licensure information for Wayne V. Campagni, D.D.S. that was prepared by Ms. Smith.

Motion by Dr. Kyger, second by Dr. Vesoulis, to approve Dr. Campagni's reinstatement application for licensure as a dentist in the state of Ohio.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

MICHELLE N. KEARNS, R.D.H.

The Board reviewed and considered the licensure information for Michelle N. Kearns, R.D.H. that was prepared by Ms. Smith.

Motion by Dr. Hills, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve Ms. Kearns' reinstatement application for licensure as a dental hygienist in the state of Ohio.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

IRINCO M. PANTANGCO, D.D.S.

The Board reviewed and considered the licensure information for Irinco M. Pantangco, D.D.S. that was prepared by Ms. Smith.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Dr. Vesoulis, to approve Dr. Pantangco's reinstatement application for licensure as a dentist in the state of Ohio.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

CHRISTINE R. WALDRON, D.D.S.

The Board reviewed and considered the licensure information for Christine R. Waldron, D.D.S. that was prepared by Ms. Smith.

Motion by Ms. Wise, second by Dr. Kyger, to approve Dr. Waldron's reinstatement application for licensure as a dentist in the state of Ohio.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

ENFORCEMENT REPORT

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no Report and Recommendations for the Board to consider at this time.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE(S)

CHRISTOPHER T. KIRKUP, D.D.S.

Ms. Sabat began by stating that this was Dr. Kirkup's first appearance before the Board at his request. She stated that Dr. Kirkup requested to meet with the Board as a stipulation of his agreement with the Ohio Physicians Effectiveness Program (OPEP).

Dr. Kirkup explained that he had received outpatient treatment at Talbott Hall in December, 2003 for alcohol addiction. He stated that he relapsed and was then evaluated and completed inpatient treatment at Shepherd Hill Hospital from March to June 2004 for thirteen (13) weeks. Dr. Kirkup stated that at the time of his suspension he had been a fourth year resident at The Ohio State University Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Program. He stated that during his suspension he has completed his treatment at Shepherd Hill.

Dr. Kirkup further explained the reason for appearing before the Board by stating he is not requesting reinstatement of his Limited Resident's license and is aware that he is ineligible for an Ohio dental license as he has not taken a regional board examination. He further clarified his reasons for appearing by requesting the Board's assistance should he apply to complete his residency in another state.

Tom Smith informed the Board that Dr. Kirkup is doing well with his contracted agreement with OPEP and has been in compliance with his consent agreement with the Board. He stated that Dr. Kirkup is aware of a similar consent agreement with a previous Limited Resident's license holder and is here requesting the same consideration should Dr. Kirkup be appointed to a residency program in another state.

Further discussion ensued wherein Dr. Kirkup was assured that the Board would respond appropriately to any inquiries so long as he remained in compliance with the terms of his consent agreement.

VANESSA STRAYER, R.D.H.

Ms. Sabat then requested Vanessa Strayer, R.D.H. to address the Board regarding her second appearance after suspension of her dental hygiene license. Ms. Strayer explained that she has been busy working on recovery issues, has been seeing her counselor on a regular basis, and attending Alcoholics Anonymous/Narcotics Anonymous (AA/NA) meetings four (4) to five (5) times per week. She stated that she was scheduled to see Dr. Collins in August and was looking forward to letting him know that this is the best she has felt in almost three (3) years.

When questioned by the Board as to how she has been coping with this situation, Ms. Strayer explained that she has a really good sponsor and home group, as well as weekly counseling at St. Rita's in Lima, Ohio. She stated that her children and husband have been keeping involved in her recovery by attending family classes. She stated that her caduceus group is small but effective.

Board members questioned Ms. Strayer with regards to the status of pending criminal charges. Ms. Strayer explained that she had contacted the Ohio Board of Pharmacy (Pharmacy Board) several months ago but has had no contact with anyone from their agency since that time. She stated that she has not had any law enforcement contact during that time either.

Ms. Hockenberry explained that in regards to any criminal action, the Board has fulfilled its responsibility in reporting any regulatory administrative action taken against Ms. Strayer. She stated that any law enforcement action taken by the Pharmacy Board was within their purview. Ms. Hockenberry stated that if Ms. Strayer receives a subsequent conviction, the Board can at that time determine whether to file a separate administrative.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve Ms. Strayer's request to reinstate her license to practice dental hygiene in the state of Ohio pursuant to the terms of the consent agreement.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

JAMES JEFFREY YOUNT, D.D.S.

Ms. Sabat requested James Jeffrey Yount, D.D.S. to address the Board. She explained that this was Dr. Yount's first appearance before the Board subsequent to inpatient treatment.

Dr. Yount explained that he had received and completed his inpatient treatment at The Cleveland Clinic Foundation on June 21, 2004. He stated that he attends his Greene Memorial Hospital aftercare program at a satellite office once a week for a few hours. He stated that he continues to attend his weekly caduceus, AA, and support group meetings also. Dr. Yount stated that he receives much of his support from both family and friends.

Continuing on, Dr. Yount stated that since the first day of treatment he has viewed this as a second chance on life and that the treatment is exactly what he needed. He

indicated that he is anxious to get back to actively practicing dentistry in his general practice office.

Ms. Sabat informed Dr. Yount that the Board does not customarily consider licensure reinstatement of impaired licensees on their first appearance before the Board subsequent to inpatient treatment. Therefore, she stated that she would like to see him return for a subsequent interview before the Board in September.

REVIEW OF CASES WHEREIN NOTICE(S) OF OPPORTUNITY WERE ISSUED AND NO HEARING WAS REQUESTED

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no cases wherein notices of opportunity were issued and no hearing was requested for consideration at this time.

REVIEW OF PROPOSED CONSENT AGREEMENT(S)

The Board reviewed five (5) proposed consent agreements.

WILLIAM E. BEACHAM, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the proposed consent agreement for William E. Beacham, D.D.S., license number 30-01-4044.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Absent
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

LENA R. FREEMAN, DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Lena R. Freeman, license number 51-00-7797.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Absent
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

YVONNE C. LABONTE, R.D.H.

Motion by Ms. Wise, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Yvonne C. Labonte, R.D.H., license number 31-00-2838.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

ANDREW J. STROBEL, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. Kyger, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Andrew J. Strobel, D.D.S., license number 30-01-6500.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

James T. Yount, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the proposed consent agreement for James T. Yount, D.D.S., license number 30-02-1208.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes

Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

REVIEW OF PROPOSED VOLUNTARY RETIREMENT(S)

The Board reviewed one (1) proposed voluntary retirement.

Anthony J. Montevideo, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. Kyger, to approve the proposed voluntary retirement for Anthony J. Montevideo, D.D.S., license number 30-02-0136.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

REVIEW OF PROPOSED NOTICE(S) OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

The Board reviewed nine (9) Notices of Opportunity for Hearing. The names of the individuals/licenses were not included in the documents reviewed by the Board. The names of the individuals/licenses have been added to the minutes for public notice purposes.

BARRY I. SCHWARTZ, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Dr. Wright, to approve the notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Barry I. Schwartz, D.D.S., license number 30-01-2762, case number 03-31-1464.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

CHARLES C. WEBER, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Charles C. Weber, D.D.S., license number 30-01-5806, case number 02-25-550.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

CHAUNCEY T. ROUSH, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Chauncey T. Roush, D.D.S., license number 30-01-2100, case number 04-36-0154.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

DONALD STIGGERS, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. Howard, to approve the notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Donald Stiggers, D.D.S., license number 30-01-9283, case number 04-18-0214.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes

Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

MARK S. MISENCIK, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Mark S. Misencik, D.D.S., license number 30-01-7676, case number 04-18-0125.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

MELISSA L. LAVANCE, DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Melissa L. Lavance, license number 51-00-8626, case number 03-25-1990.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes

Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

RHONDA D. KELLY, DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Ms. Wise, to approve the notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Rhonda D. Kelly, license number 51-00-6908, case number 04-13-0112.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

SUSAN L. PROVINCE, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Vesoulis, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Susan L. Province, D.D.S., license number 30-02-0902, case number 03-78-1532 and 04-04-0163.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes

Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

LINDA A. POMMIER, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Linda A. Pommier, D.D.S., license number 30-01-9624, case number 04-77-0277.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Dr. Murphy - Absent
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

ENFORCEMENT UPDATE

Ms. Hockenberry informed the Board that there were currently eight (8) cases pending hearings, of which six (6) have been scheduled. There were currently five (5) cases under appeal, nineteen (19) licensees currently under suspension, and four (4) cases referred to QUIP. Ms. Hockenberry stated that eighty-two (82) cases have been investigated and reviewed by the Board Secretary and are recommended to be closed.

Due to the requirement in Chapter 4715.03(D) of the Ohio Revised Code, that "The board shall not dismiss any complaint or terminate any investigation except by a majority vote of its members,..." Ms. Hockenberry reviewed the cases to be closed with the Board.

The following cases are to be closed:

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|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 02-18-181 | 04-18-0088 | 04-53-0173 | 04-57-0232 |
| 03-43-1330 | 04-50-0105 | 04-43-0187 | 04-25-0242 |
| 03-78-1401 | 04-09-0093 | 04-17-0194 | 04-13-0241 |
| 03-22-1423 | 04-30-0100 | 04-25-0191 | 04-18-0257 |
| 03-41-1470 | 04-77-0101 | 04-71-0190 | 04-05-0260 |
| 03-76-1486 | 04-18-0103 | 04-76-0201 | 04-18-0255 |
| 03-50-1491 | 04-73-0111 | 04-47-0215 | 04-78-0252 |
| 03-25-1510 | 04-50-0117 | 04-25-0216 | 04-77-0251 |
| 03-18-1508 | 04-25-0123 | 04-02-0213 | 04-31-0249 |
| 03-18-1505 | 04-50-0135 | 04-50-0212 | 04-29-0248 |
| 03-18-1519 | 04-70-0136 | 04-89-0211 | 04-57-0247 |
| 03-18-1511 | 04-77-0114 | 04-89-0218 | 04-31-0523 |
| 04-18-0021 | 04-52-0149 | 04-57-0224 | 04-31-0258 |
| 04-18-0025 | 04-48-0164 | 04-83-0225 | 04-09-0266 |
| 04-04-0030 | 04-18-0155 | 04-25-0227 | 04-18-0267 |
| 04-18-0035 | 04-42-0167 | 04-43-0229 | 04-25-0265 |
| 04-18-0032 | 04-18-0158 | 04-29-0234 | 04-12-0278 |
| 04-18-0034 | 04-25-0172 | 04-21-0246 | 04-11-0272 |
| 04-43-0055 | 04-57-0170 | 04-83-0233 | 04-57-0273 |
| 04-18-0059 | 04-53-0174 | 04-57-0230 | |
| 04-48-0081 | 04-18-0182 | 04-09-0231 | |

Prior to the vote to close the above listed cases, Ms. Sabat inquired as to whether any of the Board members had any personal knowledge that the cases that were being voted on today involve either themselves or a personal friend.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – No
Dr. Beckwith – No
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – No
Dr. Kyger – No
Mr. Landes – No
Dr. McDonald - Abstain
Dr. Murphy - No
Ms. Naber – No

Ms. Sabat - No
Dr. Vesoulis – No
Ms. Wise – No
Dr. Wright - No

Ms. Sabat then called for a motion to close the cases and approve the enforcement report.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. Kyger, to approve the enforcement report and close the above eighty-two (82) cases.

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills - Abstain
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Mr. Landes - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Abstain
Dr. Murphy - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Ms. Sabat - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright – Yes

Motion carried.

Ms. Sabat thanked Ms. Hockenberry for the Enforcement Report.

ANESTHESIA COMMITTEE REPORT

NONRESIDENT TERMINAL DISTRIBUTOR OF DANGEROUS DRUGS LICENSE

Dr. Murphy began by stating that approximately a year and a half ago the board became aware of a “Nonresident Terminal Distributor of Dangerous Drugs” license implemented by the Ohio Board of Pharmacy (Pharmacy Board). He stated that many dentists are unaware that this license is required for every office of any dentist who has incorporated their practice and is purchasing controlled substances. Continuing on, Dr. Murphy explained that if the practice was not incorporated, then the license was not

required. He also explained that the license was not required if the incorporated practice purchased the controlled substances with a personal check rather than a corporate check.

Dr. Murphy questioned whether any dentists were aware of this required license. He then asked if the Board should consider posting information on the Board website or possibly a link on the Boards website to the Pharmacy Boards website in order to better inform Ohio licensees. He also suggested that the Ohio Dental Association could run an informational article in an upcoming issue of the ODA Today.

REVIEW OF PROVISIONAL ANESTHESIA AND CONSCIOUS SEDATION PRIVILEGES

Dr. Murphy reported that the following individual has applied for an Anesthesia permit. He explained that the application had been reviewed by the Anesthesia Committee and the applicant is recommended to receive provisional privileges:

Pierpaolo Preceruti, D.D.S. – Provisional general anesthesia privileges

Dr. Murphy then stated that the following individuals have applied for Conscious Sedation permits. He explained that the applications have been reviewed by the Anesthesia Committee and the applicants are recommended to receive provisional privileges:

Jose Aruz-Dutari, D.D.S. – Provisional Conscious Sedation privileges

Michael S. Fioritto, D.D.S. – Provisional Conscious Sedation privileges

George H. Guerrant, D.D.S. – Provisional Conscious Sedation privileges

Motion by Dr. Kyger, second by Ms. Naber, to approve provisional privileges for these four (4) applicants.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

REVIEW OF GENERAL ANESTHESIA PERMIT APPLICATION(S)

Dr. Murphy stated that there were no Anesthesia Permit applications for review at this time.

REVIEW OF CONSCIOUS SEDATION PERMIT APPLICATION(S)

Dr. Murphy stated that there were no Conscious Sedation Permit applications for review at this time.

Ms. Sabat thanked Dr. Murphy for the Anesthesia Committee report.

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Ms. Hockenberry reported that the Communications Committee had nothing new to report at this time.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE REPORT

ADVANCED CARDIAC LIFE SUPPORT – RE-CERTIFICATION

Ms. Sabat stated that the committee had met earlier that morning and again discussed on-line advanced cardiac life support (ACLS) re-certification. She stated that it had been brought to the attention of the Committee that the American Heart Association did not offer an on-line ACLS re-certification course but rather a re-certification course in which the didactic portion could be obtained on-line with the clinical portion and subsequent re-certification being provided through a local ACLS certified instructor. Therefore, she stated that the Committee was recanting its earlier decision and would not accept on-line ACLS re-certification.

MANDATORY CONTINUING EDUCATION

Ms. Sabat stated that the committee had discussed implementing the following mandatory continuing education (CE) requirements:

- Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) for dental licensure renewal
- Substance abuse for dental hygiene licensure renewal
- Infection Control for dental hygiene licensure renewal

She stated that the committee would pursue input from the Ohio Dental Association and the Ohio Dental Hygienists' Association for further discussions.

CORONAL POLISHING COURSE; APPROVAL PROCEDURES

Continuing on, Ms. Sabat stated that the committee began preliminary discussions on the approval of coronal polishing courses, the application and procedures. She stated that the committee hopes to have drafts of the application and procedures to submit for Board review at its next meeting in September.

REVIEW OF BIENNIAL CONTINUING EDUCATION SPONSOR APPLICATION(S)

Ms. Sabat stated that the following individuals/organizations have applied for approval as biennial sponsors of continuing education for the years 2004-2005 and have been recommended for approval by the Education Committee, pending receipt of additional information:

Columbus Institute of Cosmetic Dentistry
Crown & Bridge Laboratory
Northcoast Center for Continued Dental Studies

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Naber, to approve these three (3) applications for biennial sponsorship of continuing education for the 2004-2005 biennium.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

REVIEW OF BIENNIAL CONTINUING EDUCATION SPONSOR RENEWAL APPLICATION(S)

Ms. Sabat stated that there were no renewal applications for biennial sponsorship of continuing education for review at this time.

REVIEW OF DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER INITIAL TRAINING COURSE(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no dental assistant radiographer initial training courses for review at this time.

REVIEW OF ANESTHESIA CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSE(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no anesthesia continuing education courses for review at this time.

REVIEW OF CONSCIOUS SEDATION CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSE(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no conscious sedation continuing education courses for review at this time.

REVIEW OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSE(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no substance abuse continuing education courses for review at this time.

REVIEW OF DENTAL HYGIENE MEDICAL EMERGENCY COURSE(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no dental hygiene medical emergency courses for review at this time.

REVIEW OF SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAM REQUEST(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no special needs program requests for review at this time.

REVIEW OF CONSCIOUS SEDATION COURSE(S)

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no conscious sedation permit courses for review at this time.

REVIEW OF REQUEST FOR WAIVER(S) OF THE CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENT

Ms. Sabat informed the Board that there had been no requests for waiver of the continuing education requirement for review at this time. She indicated that concluded her report and then asked Dr. Murphy to present the Law and Rules Review Committee Report.

LAW AND RULES REVIEW COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. Murphy informed the Board that the Law and Rules Review Committee had met earlier that day and would meet again prior to the Board meeting in September. He stated that based on the earlier discussions during the committee meeting regarding dental assistant radiographer examinations, the Board would now need to consider a motion to initial file amended Ohio Administrative Code rule 4715-12-04 with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review in order to implement the new licensure examination language.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. Vesoulis, to initial file Amended Ohio Administrative Code 4715-12-04 with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

CORONAL POLISHING

Dr. Murphy informed the Board that the committee had reviewed documentation from the Ohio Dental Association (ODA) and the Ohio Dental Hygienists' Association (ODHA) indicating agreed-upon language for Ohio Administrative Code 4715-11-02 regarding coronal polishing. He stated that copies of the rule with the agreed-upon language were in the Board notebooks for review. Dr. Murphy stated that the committee was recommending a vote to refile OAC 4715-11-02 as amended with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR).

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Ms. Naber to refile amended Ohio Administrative Code 4715-11-02 with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Sabat thanked Dr. Murphy for the Law and Rules Review Committee report.

POLICY COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. Vesoulis informed the Board members that a draft of the Policy Regarding Matters to be Addressed at Meetings of the Ohio State Dental Board for Purposes of Agenda Planning (Appendix C) had been provided in the Board notebooks for their review. He stated that the committee had met earlier this morning to discuss this issue. He stated that this policy was meant to discourage last minute submission of issues that were subsequently guiding discussions at Board meetings. Dr. Vesoulis further explained that this policy was being brought forth and recommended by the Board's newest member, Dr. Wright.

Dr. Wright explained that at the previous meeting he noticed that the Board had spent an inordinate amount of time addressing last minute submission of issues. He stated that this policy would allow an opportunity for the Board to be prepared to debate an issue intelligently rather than reactively thus conducting business efficiently.

Dr. Kyger expressed that as a Board member, she felt the need to respond immediately when presented with an issue. Therefore, she stated that she was in support of this policy that would allow the members a sufficient amount of time to consider or research positions or issues.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Dr. Wright, to approve the "Policy Regarding Matters to be Addressed at Meetings of the Ohio State Dental Board for Purposes of Agenda Planning".

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Sabat thanked Dr. Vesoulis for his report.

TREATMENT CENTER APPROVAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Ms. Hockenberry informed the Board that Cornerstone of Recovery, Inc. has requested approval as a treatment provider for Ohio licensees. She stated that an application was submitted and an on-site inspection was not performed, as it is located in Louisville, Tennessee. Tom Smith provided additional information regarding the

facility. Ms. Hockenberry stated that Cornerstone of Recovery, Inc. meets the criteria set by the Board to be a treatment provider. Therefore, she stated that the Treatment Center Approval Committee recommends approval of their request.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve Cornerstone of Recovery, Inc. as an acceptable treatment provider for impaired licensees.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Sabat thanked Ms. Hockenberry for her report.

WAIVER COMMITTEE REPORT

Ms. Sabat informed the Board that the Waiver Committee had no waiver applications to review at this time.

SECRETARY'S EXPENSE REPORT

Dr. Hills reported that he had spent in excess of twenty (20) hours per week attending to Board business.

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve the Secretary's expense report.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

OFFICE EXPENSE REPORT

The report of the Board expenditures was reviewed.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Naber, to approve the expense report and approve payment of the May and June, 2004 Board bills.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Ms. Hockenberry stated that since this was her first Board meeting as Assistant Director, she had nothing to report at this time. However, she stated that she would be happy to answer any questions from the Board members at this time.

Ms. Sabat noted that there were no questions and congratulated Ms. Hockenberry for an excellent job in attending to Board business in Ms. Reitz absence. She then thanked Ms. Hockenberry for her Assistant Director's Report.

CORRESPONDENCE

OHIO DENTAL ASSOCIATION – OHIO STATE DENTAL BOARD: JUNE 20TH, 2004 MEETING

Ms. Sabat informed the Board that copies of correspondence from the ODA and the Board's response regarding a meeting of their officer had been provided in the Board notebooks for their review. She stated that Dr. Vesoulis, Dr. Hills, and herself had met the previous evening with ODA officers. Ms. Sabat stated that the group had discussed issues that appeared on the previously agreed upon agenda which was the last page of the Boards correspondence. Those issues were:

- Delegable duties for auxiliary personnel
- Ensuring accurate information and appropriate presentation in the ODA Today
- Radiographer licensure process
- Alternative pathways to licensure; and
- Communication between the Board and the ODA.

Dr. Hills stated that he felt this first meeting between the officers went well. However, he stated that both groups need to establish a common ground rapport. He suggested further expansion of duties for dental auxiliary and ideas on access to care were two (2) such common ground issues. Dr. Hills further explained that while the Board is content with its dental licensure process the ODA wishes to pursue alternative pathways to licensure. The Board feels this poses a serious risk to the public by lowering the minimum standards for dental licensure in Ohio.

Continuing on, Dr. Hills stated that issues of credibility due to communication and miscommunication between the Board and the ODA were addressed also. He concluded

by stating that there is a clear line between a membership organization and a regulatory licensing board with regards to many of these issues.

Dr. Vesoulis commented that he came away from the meeting encouraged that both groups could work together on some common goals. He stated that although some discussion topics caused tension, both groups behaved appropriately.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH'S TASK FORCE ON ACCESS TO DENTAL CARE 2004

Ms. Hockenberry stated that a copy of the newly revised Director of Health's Task Force on Access to Dental Care 2004 had been provided in the Board notebooks for the members review.

Dr. Hills informed the members that Ohio holds the ninth (9th) lowest Medicaid reimbursement rate in the United States. He stated that nothing will happen regarding addressing the access to care issues until all interested parties are able to present a united front and the monies are there. He stated that a resolution to access to care is two-fold; an increase in delegable duties for dental auxiliary and subsidizing monies/increased reimbursements for providers of dental care.

ANYTHING FOR THE GOOD OF THE BOARD

Dr. Vesoulis expressed a welcome from the Board to its new Assistant Attorney General, Jonathan Fulkerson.

Dr. Murphy reminded members of the Board that they could E-mail the Pharmacy Board if they had any further questions regarding the "Nonresident Terminal Distributor of Dangerous Drugs" license.

Dr. Hills suggested that the Board should research the monitoring of mobile dental units performing examinations and oral prophylaxis' and then abandoning the patient. He stated that the states of Michigan and Florida are permitting mobile dental units to provide dental care in this manner.

Dr. Wright commented that the state of New Mexico has enacted legislation for licensure of dental consultants. He stated that the legislation was include it in New Mexico's Insurance Act rather than their Dental Practice Act and he feels that this issue is worth discussing for Ohio.

Dr. Wright also requested that the Board members bring their calendars to the next meeting in order to consider discussing next years meeting dates.

Ms. Hockenberry informed the members that if they wish to reconsider dental assistant radiographer licensure for Sam McDowell, then they should included it their Executive Session discussions during the September Board meeting.

ADJOURN

Motion by Dr. Murphy, second by Ms. Naber, to adjourn the meeting until Wednesday, September 15th, 2004.

Motion passed by acclamation.

Lynda L. Sabat, R.D.H.
President

Edward R. Hills, D.D.S.
Secretary

APPENDIX A

PUBLIC RULES HEARING STATE'S EXHIBITS 1 THROUGH 6

APPENDIX B

PUBLIC RULES HEARING PUBLIC WRITTEN EXHIBIT A

APPENDIX C

POLICY REGARDING MATTERS TO BE ADDRESSED AT MEETINGS OF THE OHIO STATE DENTAL BOARD FOR PURPOSES OF AGENDA PLANNING

Preamble: The purpose of this policy is to address how matters shall be presented to the Ohio State Dental Board (Board) for consideration and deliberation at Board meetings and Committee meetings.

Any interested party or organization wishing to have a matter considered by a committee or the full Board at a Board meeting must submit a written request to the Board Executive Director and either the President for Board meetings or Committee Chair for Committee meetings for determination as to whether the matter will be included on the agenda for that meeting. The request must be received by the close of business at least fourteen (14) days in advance of the scheduled meeting. The written request shall include all related pertinent documentation to enable the Board President/Committee Chair to make an informed decision.

If the Board President or Committee Chair determines that the matter will be considered as an agenda item for that meeting, the requestor shall be so notified in writing, and the appropriate Board staff will prepare copies for those who need to review the information for discussion at the meeting.

(July 21, 2004)