

**OHIO STATE DENTAL BOARD
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OHIO STATE DENTAL BOARD BOARD MEETING

MARCH 14, 2007

MINUTES

ATTENDANCE

The Ohio State Dental Board (Board) met in Room 1960, 19th Floor of The Vern Riffe Center for Government and the Arts, 77 South High Street, Columbus, Ohio on Wednesday, March 14, 2007, beginning at 1:00 p.m. Board members present were:

Paul Vesoulis, D.D.S., President
Edward R. Hills, D.D.S., Secretary
Gregory A. McDonald, D.D.S., Vice-President
Mark T. Armstrong, D.D.S.
Phillip J. Beckwith, D.D.S.
Berta I. Howard, D.D.S.
Billie Sue Kyger, D.D.S.
Ann Naber, R.D.H.
Chad A. Readler, Esq.
Linda Staley, R.D.H.
Douglas W. Wallace, D.D.S.
Sandra L. Wise, R.D.H.
Frank A. Wright, D.M.D.

The following guests were also in attendance: Todd Newkirk, Esq., P.R. Casey, Esq., and Steve McGann, Esq. Assistant Attorneys General; Michele Carr, R.D.H., M.A. of the Ohio State University Department of Dental Hygiene; Keith Kerns, Esq. and Dennis Burns, D.D.S. of the Ohio Dental Association (ODA); Denise Bowers, R.D.H. and Linda Hewetson, R.D.H. of the Ohio Dental Hygienists' Association (ODHA); Lili Reitz, Esq., Executive Director, Rebecca Hockenberry, Esq., Assistant Director, and Malynda Franks, Executive Secretary of the Ohio State Dental Board; and other guests.

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Vesoulis extended greetings to everyone and noting that there was a quorum present called the meeting to order at 1:15 p.m. He requested all members and guests sign the attendance roster.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Dr. Beckwith, second by Dr. Kyger, 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.

Roll call vote.

Motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Vesoulis invited Ms. Reitz, Ms. Hockenberry, Mr. Newkirk to attend the executive session.

OPEN SESSION

The Board resumed open session at 12:30 p.m. Dr. Vesoulis 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.

INTRODUCTION OF BOARD MEMBERS

Dr. Vesoulis took a moment to introduce the Board. He introduced himself as the Board President, a general dentist from Toledo. He then introduced the other Board members: Dr. Edward Hills, the Board Secretary, a general dentist from Cleveland, Dr. Gregory McDonald, the Board Vice-President, 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, Ms. Linda Staley, a dental hygienist from Lima, Ms. Ann Naber, a dental hygienist from Bellbrook, Dr. Greg Wallace, an oral and maxillofacial surgeon from Fairfield, Ms. Sandra Wise, a dental hygienist from Fremont, Dr. Franklin D. Wright, a general dentist from Cincinnati, and Mr. Chad Readler, an attorney and the Board's public member from Columbus.

REVIEW OF THE FEBRUARY BOARD MEETING MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes of the February 7, 2007 Board meeting.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Wise, to approve the February 7, 2007 Board meeting minutes as presented.

Motion carried.

ENFORCEMENT REPORT

PERSONAL APPEARANCE(S) WITH PROPOSED CONSENT AGREEMENT(S)

NON-RENEWAL

ANNETTE S. SCRANTON, DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER

The Board interviewed Annette S. Scranton, a dental assistant radiographer whose certificate was suspended for failure to renew in January 2005. Ms. Hockenberry informed the Board members that Ms. Scranton had continued to practice until February 2006. She informed the Board members that Ms. Scranton's consent agreement had been approved at the last Board meeting and that this interview was a condition of her consent agreement.

Upon questioning by the Board, Ms. Scranton stated that she was currently working, however, she was employed outside the profession of dentistry. She informed the Board that she has been offered a dental assisting teaching position and therefore, would like to reinstate her certificate. She stated that she had been in the process of moving at the time of renewal, had submitted the fees, including the late fee, along with her continuing education certificate, but does not know how her certificate expired.

When questioned regarding the validity of her receipt card, Ms. Scranton stated that the copies they were looking at was the card she had received from the Board and that she had not altered the date on it. She stated that she had presented it to her previous employer and they had kept her receipt card. Ms. Scranton was resolute in her statement that she had not altered her receipt card. She stated that she had been in dental assisting for twenty (20) years and would not consider doing anything illegal. She concluded by stating that she is ready to go back to practice and would like to have her license reinstated in order to obtain the teaching position.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Wise, to approve reinstatement of Ms. Scranton's dental assistant radiographer certificate to practice, pursuant to the terms set forth in her consent agreement with the Board.

Motion carried.

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

LAURA BROM. SMITH, R.D.H.

Dr. Vesoulis turned the meeting over to Dr. Hills to conduct the evidentiary reviews. Dr. Hills then stated for the record:

“This is an evidentiary review in the matter of Laura B. Smith, R.D.H., pursuant to Chapters 119 and 4715 of the Ohio Revised Code. The purpose of this proceeding is to give the Board information about this matter, in lieu of the Administrative Hearing that would have occurred if Ms. Smith had requested a hearing. The Board’s minutes will serve as the official record of this proceeding.”

Dr. Hills asked if the State would like to present any additional information to support the charges outlined in the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in the matter of Laura B. Smith, R.D.H.

Mr. Newkirk said yes and then explained that there would be a change in the process. He stated that in the past, the Assistant Attorney General had prepared the documents to be submitted as evidence in the matter and would then question Dental Board personnel as sworn witnesses with knowledge of the particular case. He stated that in an effort to be more efficient in this process, they had prepared affidavits from the Dental Board personnel to be submitted and reviewed along with the documentation supporting the Board’s case in each matter in lieu of live testimony.

Continuing on, Mr. Newkirk briefly explained that in the February 16, 2007 Notice of Automatic Suspension and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing Ms. Smith was charged with one count of failure to respond to the continuing education audit. He then requested that the Affidavit of Rebecca K. Hockenberry, Esq. and State’s Exhibit’s A through D inclusive be admitted into evidence.

Dr. Hills then accepted the Affidavit and State’s Exhibits in this matter and entered them into evidence.

PEISUNG HSU, R.D.H.

Dr. Hills asked if the State would like to present any additional information to support the charges outlined in the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in the matter of Peisung Hsu, R.D.H.

Mr. Newkirk said yes and then explained that in the September 27, 2006 Notice of Automatic Suspension and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing Mr. Hsu was charged with

one count of failure to respond to the continuing education audit and one count failure to provide evidence that he was currently certified in basic life support through the American Red Cross or the American Heart Association at the time of licensure renewal. He then requested that the Affidavit of Rebecca K. Hockenberry, Esq. and State's Exhibit's 1 through 7 inclusive be admitted into evidence.

Dr. Hills then accepted the Affidavit and State's Exhibits in this matter and entered them into evidence.

CHRISTINA V. DAUKA, R.D.H.

Dr. Hills asked if the State would like to present any additional information to support the charges outlined in the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in the matter of Christina V. Dauka, R.D.H.

Mr. Newkirk said yes and then explained that in the January 10, 2007 Notice of Opportunity for Hearing Ms. Dauka was charged with one count of failure to provide evidence that she was currently certified in basic life support through the American Red Cross or the American Heart Association at the time of licensure renewal. He then requested that the Affidavit of Rebecca K. Hockenberry, Esq. and State's Exhibit's 1 through 8 inclusive be admitted into evidence.

Dr. Hills then accepted the Affidavit and State's Exhibits in this matter and entered them into evidence.

SUZANNE EAGLE, R.D.H.

Dr. Hills asked if the State would like to present any additional information to support the charges outlined in the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in the matter of Suzanne Eagle, R.D.H.

Mr. Newkirk said yes and then explained that in the December 6, 2006 Notice of Automatic Suspension and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing Ms. Eagle was charged with one count failure to comply with the continuing education requirements, four counts of fraud or material deception in applying for or obtaining a license with regards to the continuing education requirement, one count of failure to comply with CPR certification requirement, and two counts of fraud or material deception in applying for or obtaining a license or certificate with regards to the CPR certification requirement. He then requested that the Affidavit of Malynda K. Franks and State's Exhibit's 1 through 16 inclusive be admitted into evidence.

Dr. Hills then accepted the Affidavit and State's Exhibits in this matter and entered them into evidence.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second Dr. Wallace, to move the Board into executive session pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 121.22(G)(1) to deliberate and consider the matters of Laura Brom Smith, R.D.H., Peisung Hsu, R.D.H., Christing V. Dauka, R.D.H., and Suzanne Eagle, R.D.H..

Roll call vote: Dr. Armstrong – Yes
Dr. Beckwith – Yes
Dr. Hills – Yes
Dr. Howard – Yes
Dr. Kyger - Yes
Dr. McDonald - Yes
Ms. Naber – Yes
Mr. Readler – Yes
Ms. Staley - Yes
Dr. Vesoulis – Yes
Dr. Wallace - Yes
Ms. Wise – Yes
Dr. Wright - Yes

Motion carried.

OPEN SESSION

The Board resumed open session at 2:52 p.m.

Ms. Naber excused herself from the rest of the meeting.

Dr. Hills then stated, “Let the record reflect that I, Dr. Edward R. Hills was the secretary in these matters, and therefore I will abstain from final vote. Furthermore, I was not present during executive session and did not participate in the deliberations in these matters.”

DECISION IN THE MATTER OF LAURA BROM SMITH, R.D.H.

Motion by Dr. Wright, second by Ms. Staley, that Count #1 in the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing is found to be true and that it is hereby Ordered:

1. *The license of LAURA B. SMITH, RDH to practice dental hygiene in the state of Ohio is hereby INDEFINITELY SUSPENDED.*
2. *The BOARD shall not consider REINSTATEMENT of MS. SMITH'S dental hygiene license until such time as MS. SMITH submits a written application to the BOARD for reinstatement accompanied by the appropriate fees.*
3. *Once the reinstatement application is submitted, MS. SMITH shall be offered a consent agreement which shall include terms for continued practice in the State of Ohio, with additional PROBATIONARY terms, conditions and limitations as determined by the Board Secretary.*

This Order shall become effective thirty (30) days from the date of mailing of this Order.

Motion carried.

DECISION IN THE MATTER OF PEISUNG HSU, R.D.H.

Motion by Ms. Wise, second by Ms. Staley, that Count #2 in the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing is found to be true and that it is hereby Ordered:

1. *The license of PEISUNG HSU, RDH to practice dental hygiene in the state of Ohio is hereby REPRIMANDED.*
2. *MR. HSU's license to practice dental hygiene shall be subject to the following PROBATIONARY terms, conditions and limitations as follows, and if not otherwise specified, for a period of four (4) years:*
 - a. *MR. HSU shall be subject to continuing education audit for the next two (2) bienniums.*
 - b. *MR. HSU shall obey all federal, state and local laws, and all rules governing the practice of dental hygiene in Ohio.*

This Order shall become effective thirty (30) days from the date of mailing of this Order.

Motion carried.

DECISION IN THE MATTER OF CHRISTINA V. DAUKA, R.D.H.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Staley, that Count #1 in the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing is found to be true and that it is hereby Ordered:

1. *The license of CHRISTINE V. DAUKA, RDH to practice dental hygiene in the state of Ohio is hereby REPRIMANDED.*
2. *MS. DAUKA's license to practice dental hygiene shall be subject to the following PROBATIONARY terms, conditions and limitations as follows, and if not otherwise specified, for a period of four (4) years:*
 - a. *MS. DAUKA shall be subject to continuing education audit for the next two (2) bienniums.*
 - b. *MS. DAUKA shall obey all federal, state and local laws, and all rules governing the practice of dental hygiene in Ohio.*

This Order shall become effective thirty (30) days from the date of mailing of this Order.

Motion carried.

DECISION IN THE MATTER OF SUZANNE EAGLE, R.D.H.

Motion by Dr. Kyger, second by Ms. Staley, that all Counts in the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing are found to be true and that it is hereby Ordered:

1. *The license of SUZANNE EAGLE, RDH to practice dental hygiene in the state of Ohio is hereby INDEFINITELY SUSPENDED, for minimum of five (5) years.*
2. *The BOARD shall not consider REINSTATEMENT of MS. EAGLE'S dental hygiene license unless and until the following requirements are met:*
 - a. *MS. EAGLE shall submit a written application to the BOARD for reinstatement accompanied by the appropriate fees.*
 - b. *MS. EAGLE shall take and pass all parts of a regional board dental hygiene examination.*
 - c. *MS. EAGLE shall take 200 hours of continuing education in dental hygiene approved in advance by the Board Secretary. These hours shall be in addition to the twelve (12) hours of continuing education necessary for renewal.*
 - d. *MS. EAGLE shall take forty (40) hours of continuing education in ethics approved in advance by the Board Secretary. These hours shall*

be in addition to the twelve (12) hours of continuing education necessary for renewal.

- e. MS. EAGLE shall submit to the BOARD documentation acceptable to the Board Secretary indicating she has taken and satisfied all continuing education requirements as required by the Board for the previous biennium for reinstatement of her dental hygiene license.*
 - f. MS. EAGLE shall take and pass the jurisprudence examination at the office of the Board. Such an examination will be a closed book examination.*
 - g. MS. EAGLE shall appear for an interview before the BOARD.*
- 3. Once reinstated, MS. EAGLE's license shall be subject to the following PROBATIONARY terms, conditions and limitations as follows, and if not otherwise specified, for a period of four (4) years:*
- a. MS. EAGLE shall be subject to continuing education audit for the next two (2) bienniums.*
 - b. MS. EAGLE shall obey all federal, state and local laws, and all rules governing the practice of dental hygiene in Ohio.*

This Order shall become effective thirty (30) days from the date of mailing of this Order.

Motion carried.

REVIEW OF PROPOSED DISMISSAL(S)

The Board reviewed two (2) proposed dismissals or notice(s) to rescind automatic suspensions and/or notice(s) of opportunity for hearing issued. The names of the individuals/licensees were not included in the documents reviewed by the Board. The names of the individuals/licensees have been added to the minutes for public notice purposes.

CARROLL V. CRAIG, R.D.H.

Motion by Dr. Wallace, second by Ms. Wise, to rescind the proposed notice of automatic suspension and notice of opportunity for hearing for Carroll V. Craig, R.D.H., license number 31-002671, case numbers 06-18-0816.

Motion carried.

HEATHER GARMANN, R.D.H.

Motion by Dr. Wright, second by Dr. Wallace, to dismiss the notice of opportunity for hearing issued to Heather Garmann, R.D.H., license number 31-011602, case number 06-25-0676.

Motion carried.

REVIEW OF PROPOSED CONSENT AGREEMENT(S)

The Board reviewed ten (10) proposed consent agreements. The names of the individuals/licensees were not included in the documents reviewed by the Board. The names of the individuals/licensees have been added to the minutes for public notice purposes.

DISCIPLINARY

CATHY A. GREEN, R.D.H.

Motion by Ms. Wise, second by Dr. Wright, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Cathy A. Green, R.D.H., license number 31-005289, case number 06-31-0431.

Motion carried

JOAN T. HALL, R.D.H.

Motion by Dr. Wallace, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Joan T. Hall, R.D.H., license number 31-009145, case number 06-76-0650.

Motion carried.

MAUREEN L. JACK, R.D.H.

Motion by Ms. Staley, second by Dr. Wallace, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Maureen L. Jack, R.D.H., license number 31-006059, case number 06-52-0820.

Motion carried.

SALLEE J. KNAPP, R.D.H.

Motion by Dr. Wallace, second by Ms. Wise, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Sallee J. Knapp, R.D.H., license number 31-009550, case number 07-47-0060.

Motion carried.

ANNETTE MATTACHIONE, DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Dr. Wallace, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Annette Mattachione, Dental Assistant Radiographer, license number 51-002903, case number 05-76-1558.

Motion carried.

DAVID W. MAYS, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Dr. Howard, to approve the proposed consent agreement for David W. Mays, D.D.S., license number 30-016983, case numbers 90-18-0124.

Motion carried.

RAMON A. PEREZ, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Dr. Wright, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Ramon A. Perez, D.D.S., license number 30-019156, case number 06-45-0325.

Motion carried.

WESLEY E. SHANKLAND, D.D.S.

Motion by Ms. Staley, second by Dr. Wallace, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Wesley E. Shankland, D.D.S., license number 30-015798, case number 00-25-0603.

Motion carried.

MYRA NETTIE WRIGHT, R.D.H.

Motion by Ms. Wise, second by Dr. Armstrong, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Myra Nettie Wright, R.D.H., license number 31-003795, case number 06-89-0537.

Motion carried.

PETER G. WOLFRAM, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Staley, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Peter G. Wolfram, D.D.S., license number 30-019840, case number 05-48-0170.

Motion carried.

REVIEW OF PROPOSED VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF LICENSE(S)

The Board reviewed two (2) Voluntary Surrender of License orders. The names of the individuals/licensees were not included in the documents reviewed by the Board. The names of the individuals/licensees have been added to the minutes for public notice purposes.

ROBERT MARUSCHAK, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Staley, to approve the proposed voluntary surrender of license and forward it to Robert Maruschak, D.D.S., license number 30-011644, and case numbers 06-50-0656.

Motion carried.

EUGENE F. WOODARD, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Dr. Wallace, to approve the proposed voluntary surrender of license and forward it to Eugene F. Woodard, D.D.S., license number 30-013192, and case number 06-03-0523.

Motion carried.

REVIEW OF PROPOSED NOTICE(S) OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

The Board reviewed three (3) 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.

CHAD B. HOECKER, D.D.S.

Motion by Ms. Wise, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve the proposed notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Chad B. Hoecker, D.D.S., license number 30-022103, and case number 06-18-0603.

Motion carried.

RICHARD LAPP, D.D.S.

Motion by Ms. Staley, second by Dr. Wallace, to approve the proposed notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Richard Lapp, D.D.S., license number 30-011423, and case number 07-60-0150.

Motion carried.

DONALD C. DUNNING, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Wallace, second by Ms. Wise, to approve the proposed notice of opportunity for hearing and forward it to Donald C. Dunning, D.D.S., license number 30-011380, case number 07-18-0151.

Motion carried.

ENFORCEMENT UPDATE

Ms. Hockenberry informed the Board that there were twenty-two (22) cases pending hearings, of which all except two (2) have been scheduled for hearing. She stated that we now have seven (7) cases under appeal, four (4) cases pending the Hearing Officers Report and Recommendation, and two (2) cases pending the Board's determination. Ms. Hockenberry stated that there are currently twenty (20) licensees under suspension. She informed the Board members that no new cases have been referred to the Quality Intervention Program (QUIP) since the last Board meeting and we now have seven (7) cases pending QUIP.

Ms. Hockenberry informed the Board that ninety-two (92) 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 recommended to be closed:

05-85-0176	Standard Of Care	06-18-0137	Standard Of Care
05-50-0445	Permitting	06-89-0544	Renewal
05-18-0452	Standard Of Care	06-89-0632	Renewal
05-25-0459	Prescribing	06-89-0622	Renewal
05-25-0468	Standard/ Impairment	06-89-0637	Renewal
05-79-0467	Abandonment	06-89-0508	Renewal
05-28-0481	Abandonment	06-89-0528	Renewal
05-18-0654	Standard/Insurance Fraud	06-18-0236	Renewal
05-25-1749	Practicing W/O License	06-89-0643	Renewal
05-25-1764	Standard Of Care	06-89-0618	Renewal
05-77-1773	CE Audit	06-43-0153	Standard/Ortho
06-50-0067	Standard Of Care	06-78-0163	Standard Of Care
06-18-0107	Advertising - Warning	06-18-0182	Standard Of Care
06-22-0115	Standard Of Care	06-76-0118	Standard Of Care
06-04-0131	Standard, Adverse Occurrence	06-70-0193	Standard - Warning
06-78-0132	Permitting/ Standard	06-18-0227	Standard Of Care
		06-25-0213	Standard Of Care
		06-22-0238	Standard/Dentures
		06-78-0256	Lewd & Immoral
		06-25-0285	Permitting/Ad
		06-18-0390	Fraud
		06-25-0405	Standard Of Care

06-18-0465	Standard Of Care	06-32-0744	Intentional
06-73-0488	Fraud/Standard		Misrepresentation
06-18-0490	Standard/Fraud/ Records	06-51-0739	Standard Of Care/ Fraud
06-25-0502	Fraud	06-18-0746	Advertising -
06-76-0506	Lewd & Immoral		Warning
06-45-0510	Standard Of Care	06-03-0774	Standard Of Care
06-18-0604	Standard Of Care	06-23-0772	Abandonment
06-87-0612	Standard/Dentures	06-23-0771	Standard/ Abandonment
06-18-0615	Standard/Partial		
06-18-0616	Fraud - Warning	06-25-0758	Advertising
06-18-0635	Permitting - Warning	06-52-0814	CE/CPR
06-18-0627	Adverse Occurrence - Warning	06-25-0791	Standard Of Care
06-17-0675	Advertising	07-02-0001	Adverse Occurrence
06-78-0660	Records	07-18-0005	Permitting - Warning
06-18-0664	Standard/Dentures	07-25-0039	CE/CPR - Warning
06-77-0715	Standard/Dentures	07-89-0059	CE/CPR - Warning
06-76-0683	Ability To Practice	07-89-0042	CE/CPR - Warning
06-48-0707	Standard Of Care	07-25-0040	CE/CPR - Warning
06-18-0704	Fraud - Warning	07-18-0055	CE/CPR - Warning
06-72-0699	Standard Of Care	07-25-0038	CE/CPR - Warning
06-77-0682	Improper Supervision - Warning	07-21-0058	CE/CPR - Warning
06-65-0748	Permitting	07-89-0037	CE/CPR - Warning
06-25-0727	Impairment/ Overprescribing	07-73-0036	CE/CPR - Warning
06-65-0729	Permitting	07-75-0035	CE/CPR
06-25-0732	Prescribing	07-12-0034	CE/CPR - Warning
06-65-0747	Permitting	07-66-0043	CE/CPR - Warning
06-48-0743	Permitting	07-25-0090	Practicing W/O License - Warning
		07-33-0033	CE/CPR - Warning
		07-76-0044	CE/CPR - Warning
		07-45-0041	CE/CPR - Warning

Prior to the vote to close the above listed cases, Dr. Vesoulis 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: Dr. Armstrong – No
 Dr. Beckwith – No
 Dr. Hills - No
 Dr. Howard – No
 Dr. Kyger – No

Dr. McDonald - No
Mr. Readler - No
Ms. Staley - No
Dr. Vesoulis - No
Dr. Wallace - No
Ms. Wise - No
Dr. Wright - No

Dr. Vesoulis then called for a motion to close the cases.

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Staley, to close the above ninety-two (92) cases.

Motion carried unanimously.

REVIEW OF LICENSE APPLICATIONS

LICENSURE REPORT

Jayne Smith, Licensure Coordinator, had prepared a report of the licenses issued since the February 2007 meeting, for Board member review.

DENTAL

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Dr. Wallace, to approve the licensure report for the following dental licenses issued by North East Regional Board, Inc. (NERB) examination:

Razan S. Asbahi
Mark H. Cleary
Ronald D. Fowler
David M. Hsieh
Murali K. Lakireddy

Stanley Michel
Eleisha J. Nickoles
Mark L. Oleson
Emily R. Tolley
Percy L. Torkornoo

Motion carried.

DENTAL HYGIENE

Motion by Ms. Wise, second by Dr. Kyger, to approve the licensure report for the following dental hygiene licenses issued by North East Regional Board, Inc. (NERB) examination:

Mitchi E. Baker-Monk
Jessica L. Schulz

Amanda J. Simpson
Katie A. Zuch

Motion carried.

DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER

Motion by Dr. Kyger, second by Ms. Staley, to approve the licensure report 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 Board-approved Radiography course:

Marcia Adamski
Joni Allen
Melissa Alley
Holly Andel
Kelley E Arnold
Lauren Atkins
Amber Auld
Krista Bankes
Dawn Barkhurst
Kimberly Bausch
Yelena Benyaminov
Nyasha Berger
Julie Biggs
Dahlia Blauner
Nicole L Board
Jodi Bowman
Candace Bowshier
Endia N Brock
Darcy Brown
Leann Butler
Ericka Carroll
Maria Chamberlain
Michelle Chiacchiero
Sophia Childs
Kelly Clark
Clayton Conroy
Tara Cooper

Yvonne Coppolino
Margaret Daulton
Morgan Davies
Veltia Davis
Tonya Deitering
Karen Delsignore
Carla Dennler
Elizabeth Doerr
Lindsey A Domer
Tosha Fisher
Jessica Fox
Teresa Gafner
Tricia Gearhart
Jennifer Glass
Sarah Gloyd
Elizabeth Gowins
Phyllis Grant
Roselle Green
Lisa Hall
Toni Heath
Cheryl Helwig
Mindy Hiles
Larin Himes
Bonnie Hope
Charridy D Hottinger
Ashley Hreha
Jennifer S Hummel

Tenessa Jennings
Wendy Johnson
Bobbi Jones
Melissa Kauffman
Julie Keiffer
Megan Kididis
Rebecca King
Amber Kloth
Rhonda Kopczynski
Jacqueline Kreuzer
Danielle Laria
Sarah Lawson
Kristin Lenington
Janise Lester
Katie Lowe
Lindsay B Luke
Linda Lyle
Mindy Lynch
Janet Maag
Jill Maggioli
Sina Man
Valerie Manacci
Tatyana Maricic
Jennifer Marriott
Michelle Mayer
Ashley McAdow
Edwina McKinley
Stefanie McLain
Erin Meadors
Reyna Menjivar
Megan Merrill
Denise Michael
Kimberly Miller
Alyssa Mitchell
Jamey Mockbee
Roswitha Munske
Lauren Myers
Kim Nagy
Jacqueline Nelson
Kristina Newton
Tiffany Norwood
Dragana Ostojin
Carmen Parfitt

Samantha Parsley
Kelly Parsons
Meagan Pawul
Kerrinda Penry
Jessica Perlic
Kimberly Phelps
Nicole Pistilli
Julie Poeppelman
Amanda Race
Audra Ragozine
Shavonne Rath
Cheryl Ray
Angela Reed
Jessica Reinier
Christine Ritter
Emily Robertson
Pamela Rochowiak
Tamara Roush
Kinsey Rowe
Christina Rupe
Jasmine Rusk
Sandy Russell
Laneesha Sampson
Kacie Saylor
Lorraine Schmidt
Renee Seger
Angela Shearer
Melisa Shock
Lori Simon
Kahlie Smith
Yvonne Smith
Elisabeth Steirer
Jessica Stewart-Magee
Cynthia Swafford
Jayme Timms
Ebony Toles
Lyudmila Torchilo
Nilda Torres
Tracy Torres
Brad Uhrig
Marcy Vranches
Laurel Weinert
Mary West

Maria Wheeler
Katherine White
Terry Williams
Kari Wintersmith

Sabina Yakubov
Jelena Zeljkovic
Evangeline Zorns

Motion carried.

LIMITED RESIDENT

Motion by Dr. Wallace, second by Dr. Armstrong, to approve the licensure report for the following limited resident licenses issued to participate in residency programs:

Seth A. Tambrini

Raquel B. Villar

Motion carried.

LIMITED CONTINUING EDUCATION LICENSE APPLICATION(S)

Motion by Dr. Kyger, second by Dr. Wallace, to approve the licensure report for the following limited continuing education licenses to participate in a Board-approved practicum:

Anthony M. Cascino

DJ Frounfelter

Motion carried.

CORONAL POLISHING

Motion by Dr. Wallace, second by Ms. Wise, to approve the licensure report for the following coronal polishing certificates issued by: certification by the Dental Assisting National Board (DANB) or the Ohio Commission on Dental Assistant Certification (OCDAC) and completion of the requirements necessary to obtain certification:

Margaret E. Barnhart
Jenna M. Barnthouse
Teresa S. Grimmer
Holly Anne Hallstedt

Charridy Hottinger
Akino Kishigawa
Allison N Lodge
Elvira M Sertovic

Andrea L. Yohman

Motion carried.

REGIONAL BOARD/OTHER STATE FOR 5 YEARS DENTAL HYGIENE APPLICATION(S)

Motion by Dr. Kyger, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve the licensure report for the following person who applied for a dental hygiene license, based on successful completion of a regional board examination, National Board examination, and the Ohio examination on the statute and regulations:

Rebecca Thompson

Motion carried.

ANESTHESIA COMMITTEE REPORT

REVIEW OF PROVISIONAL ANESTHESIA PRIVILEGES

Dr. Wallace stated that the following individuals have applied for Anesthesia permits. He explained that the Anesthesia Committee has reviewed the applications and the applicants are recommended to receive provisional privileges:

Dr. Dale A. Bauer - Cleveland, Ohio
Dr. Jack McEwan – Heath, Ohio
Dr. A. Luciano Stroia – Heath, Ohio

REVIEW OF PROVISIONAL CONSCIOUS SEDATION PRIVILEGES

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

Dr. Ira Levenson – Washington Court House, Ohio
Dr. Lori Little-Levenson – Circleville, Ohio

REVIEW OF CONSCIOUS SEDATION PERMIT APPLICATION(S)

Dr. Wallace stated that the following individual has applied for a Conscious Sedation permit. He explained that the Anesthesia Committee has reviewed the application, an evaluation was completed and the applicant is recommended to receive a permit:

Dr. Bill Anderson – Findlay, Ohio
Intravenous

Motion by Dr. McDonald, second by Ms. Wise, to accept the Anesthesia Committee recommendations and approve the above applicants to receive privileges and permits.

Motion carried.

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

SPRING NEWSLETTER

Ms. Reitz stated that the Board now has a draft of the spring newsletter. She stated that there are a couple of final additions required and hopes to have it in the mail to licensees by the next Board meeting.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE REPORT

REVIEW OF BIENNIAL CONTINUING EDUCATION SPONSOR APPLICATION(S)

Dr. Howard stated that the following individuals/organizations have applied for approval as biennial sponsors of continuing education for the years 2006-2007 and have been recommended for approval by the Education Committee:

Thomas Gerosky, D.M.D.
Endodontics South
Northeast Orthodontics – Drs. Weber & Morris

REVIEW OF BIENNIAL CONTINUING EDUCATION SPONSOR RENEWAL APPLICATION(S)

Dr. Howard stated that the following individuals/organizations have applied for renewal as biennial sponsors of continuing education for the years 2006-2007 and have been recommended for approval by the Education Committee:

Dental Implant Knowledge Share Group (formerly Terry B. Philibin, D.D.S., M.S.,
Inc.)

Mario Pavicic, D.D.S.

Nixon Dental Study Club

REVIEW OF REQUIRED EDUCATION COURSE(S)

DENTAL ASSISTANT RADIOGRAPHER INITIAL TRAINING COURSE(S)

Dr. Howard informed the Board that the following sponsor has submitted an application for the dental assistant radiographer initial training course. She stated that the Education Committee has reviewed the course, determined that it fulfills all the necessary requirements, and has recommended the following for approval:

Miami-Jacobs Career College –
“DA 103: Dental Radiology”

Motion by Dr. Wallace, second by Ms. Staley, to accept the Education Committee’s recommendations.

Motion carried.

LAW AND RULES REVIEW COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. McDonald informed the Board members that the Law and Rules Review Committee had met earlier in the day. He stated that the Committee had continued its discussions regarding the advertising rules and agreed upon an additional amendment to rule 4715-13-04.

Dr. McDonald said that they had completed their review of the rules regarding the practice of dental hygiene, infection control, and the Quality Intervention Program (QUIP). He stated that in addition to their review of these rules, the committee had discussed the issue of Paid for Performance (P4P) dentistry.

Dr. McDonald stated that concluded the Law and Rules Review Committee report.

POLICY COMMITTEE REPORT

POLICY REGARDING THE USE OF RESTALYN, BOTOX, AND OTHER DERMA FILLERS BY LICENSED DENTISTS

Dr. Beckwith provided the Board members with a copy of a draft Policy Regarding the Use of Restalyn, Botox, and Other Derma Fillers by Licensed Dentists. He stated that this issue had been discussed in the Scope of Practice Committee at a previous meeting and that it was decided that the Policy Committee should draft a policy reflecting the Board’s position. He indicated that the Board members should review this

draft of the policy and that it would be discussed and/or voted on at the next meeting in April.

POLICY FOR ACCEPTABLE DENTAL AND DENTAL HYGIENE CONTINUING EDUCATION HOURS FOR LICENSURE RENEWAL;

Continuing on, Dr. Beckwith stated that the Education Committee had submitted a request to amend the Board's current Policy for Acceptable Dental and Dental Hygiene Continuing Education Hours for Licensure Renewal. He informed the Board members that the amendment would now allow sponsors approved by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to be considered acceptable providers for dental and dental hygiene continuing education. He then requested a moment for the Board to review and consider this amendment.

Motion by Ms. Staley, second by Dr. Wright, to approve the Policy for Acceptable Dental And Dental Hygiene Continuing Education Hours for Licensure Renewal as amended.

Motion carried.

SECRETARY'S EXPENSE REPORT

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

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

Motion carried.

OFFICE EXPENSE REPORT

The report of the Board expenditures was reviewed.

Motion by Dr. Wallace, second by Dr. McDonald, to approve the expense report and approve payment of the January and February, 2006 Board bills.

Motion carried.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

BUDGET REQUEST

Ms. Reitz informed the Board members that she had received a response to the Board's request for additional funds from the Office of Budget and Management (OBM). She stated that the additional funds requested were for two (2) new positions, one (1) enforcement and one (1) administrative, additional space, payroll increases, etc. Ms. Reitz informed the Board that the request for additional funding had not been approved. She informed the Board members that there is sufficient funding in the current budget request to cover payroll and fringe. She stated that any request for additional space or money must now be directed to the Controlling Board.

Board members questioned whether it would be more cost effective to replace the two (2) temporary staff members with one (1) full-time permanent staff person. Ms. Reitz informed the members that it costs the Board less to employ temporary staffing due to the additional costs of fringe benefits for full-time permanent employees. Additionally, she stated that the Board office would again be hosting another practicum for an Ohio State University dental hygiene student. She stated that, as in the past, the dental hygiene student assists in the day-to-day processes of the Board.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF DENTAL EXAMINERS (AADE)

Ms. Reitz questioned whether any of the Board members would be attending the American Association of Dental Examiners (AADE) meeting in Chicago at the end of the month. She stated that in the past when there were only five (5) dentist members and one (1) hygiene member, many of the Board members attended. However, she noted that now that the Board has the opportunity for a "voice" with nine (9) dentist members and three (3) hygiene members, very few members are choosing to attend. She stated that the subject matter was regarding dental auxiliary and what is going on across the United States. She concluded by suggesting that the Board members should consider attending the annual meeting in San Francisco.

ANYTHING FOR THE GOOD OF THE BOARD

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Ms. Reitz informed the Board members that election of Board Officers had typically been held in March prior to the April Board meeting and new appointments by the Governor. However, she stated that it was decided to hold the election of officers after the four (4) appointments/reappointments for Board members have been made for this year.

Dr. McDonald took a moment to thank the Board President, Dr. Vesoulis, for remaining on as President for an additional year.

DENTISTS AS FIRST RESPONDERS

Dr. Wright reported to the Board that he had presented before the State Medical Board of Ohio's (Medical Board) equivalent of the Dental Board's Scope of Practice Committee regarding the proposal to implement a legislative change allowing dentists to be utilized as first responders in mass disaster situations. He stated the Medical Board committee's response was completely supportive of the initiative so long as the dentists were properly trained, had limited scope, and the duties were performed upon request in the event of a mass disaster emergency. He concluded by stating that the next step would be to draft language regarding a certification process and work closely with the Medical Board in this process.

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS

Ms. Hockenberry briefly reminded the Board members that she still did not have three (3) of the Board members Financial Disclosure Statements the paperwork was now due. She reminded the members that the Board must have them all filed by April 15, 2007.

ADJOURN

Dr. Vesoulis adjourned the meeting at 3:32 p.m.

The next meeting will be on April 18, 2007.

Paul Vesoulis, D.D.S.
President

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