

OHIO STATE DENTAL BOARD
BOARD MEETING

December 5, 2018

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Attendance

The Ohio State Dental Board (Board) met in Room 1960, of The Vern Riffe Center for Government and the Arts, 77 South High Street, 19th Floor, Columbus, Ohio on December 5, 2018. Board members present were:

Ashok Das, D.D.S., President	Canise Bean, D.M.D.
Susan Johnston, R.D.H., Vice President	Jamillee Krob, R.D.H.
Patricia Guttman, D.D.S., Secretary	Timothy Kyger, D.D.S.
Kumar Subramanian, Vice President	Mary Kay Scaramucci, R.D.H.
Bill Anderson, D.D.S.	Andrew Zucker, D.D.S.
Theodore Bauer, D.D.S.	

The Faisal Quereshy, D.D.S., M.D. and Ms. Tracy Intihar, the Boards Public Member, were unable to attend the meeting.

The following guests were also in attendance: Katherine Bockbrader, Esq. of the Ohio Attorney General's Office; Eric Richmond, Esq. of the Ohio Dental Association (ODA); Jennifer Engelhardt of Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine; and Michele Carr, R.D.H. Staff consisted of Harry Kamdar, M.B.A., Executive Director, Steve Kochheiser, Esq., Deputy Director, Zachary Russell, Deputy Director, Barb Yehnert, Dental Board Enforcement Officer, and Malynda Franks, Administrative Professional, of the Ohio State Dental Board and other guests.

Call to Order

Ashok Das, D.D.S., introduced himself as the Board President and a general dentist from Mason. After greeting those in attendance, President Das noted that there was a quorum present and called the meeting to order at approximately 1:03 p.m.

Board Business

Introductions

New Board Member

Dr. Das took a moment to introduce the Boards newest member Timothy V. Kyger, D.D.S., a general dentist from Gallipolis Ohio and stated that the members looked forward to working with Dr. Kyger. He then turned the meeting over to Mr. Kamdar to facilitate the meeting.

Board Members

Director Kamdar thanked everyone for attending the Board meeting and then introduced the rest of the Board members consisting of Susan Johnston, R.D.H., the Board's Vice President, Patricia Guttman, D.D.S., Secretary, Kumar Subramanian, D.D.S., Vice Secretary, Bill Anderson, D.D.S., Theodore Bauer, D.D.S., Canise Bean, D.M.D., Jamillee Krob, D.H.Ed., R.D.H., Mary Kay Scaramucci, R.D.H., and Andrew Zucker, D.D.S.

Director Kamdar then stated that Faisal Quereshy, D.D.S., M.D. and Tracy Intihar, the Board's Public Member were unable to attend the meeting due to schedule conflicts.

Approval of Agenda

Director Kamdar asked if there was a motion to approve the agenda with the caveat to amend the agenda due to any extenuating circumstances.

Motion by Dr. Subramanian, second by Dr. Krob, to approve the December 5, 2018 Board meeting agenda as presented.

Motion carried unanimously.

Review of Board Meeting Minutes

November 7, 2018 Meeting

Director Kamdar informed the Board that the draft Minutes from the November 7, 2018 meeting had been forwarded to the members for review prior to the meeting. He then asked if there was a motion regarding the Minutes.

Motion by Ms. Johnston, second by Dr. Subramanian, to approve the November 5, 2018 Board meeting minutes as presented.

Motion carried unanimously.

Public Comment/Presentations/Correspondence

Presentation – Posthumous Recognition of Service

Director Kamdar stated that the conference room in the Board offices had been dedicated as the "Dr. Michael Ginder Conference Room" and a plaque installed in recognition of Dr. Ginders dedication and service to the profession. Director Kamdar stated that the Board will invite Dr. Ginder's wife to attend a meeting in 2019.

Action Items

Supervisory Investigative Panel Expense Report

Director Kamdar asked if Dr. Guttman, the Board's Secretary and Dr. Subramanian, the Board's Vice Secretary attested to having spent at least twenty (20) hours per week attending to Board business. Both Secretaries affirmed that they had spent the hours attending to Board business.

Motion by Ms. Johnston, second by Dr. Das, to approve the Supervisory Investigative Panel Expense report.

Motion carried. Dr. Subramanian and Dr. Guttman abstained.

Enforcement

Proposed Consent Agreement(s)

The Board reviewed four (4) proposed consent agreements. 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. Mr. Kochheiser provided a summary of the proposed consent agreements.

Disciplinary

Darniesha Agee, Radiographer

Motion by Ms. Johnston, second by Dr. Bauer, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Darniesha Agee, Radiographer, certificate number 51.030787, and case number 17-18-1299.

Motion carried. Dr. Subramanian and Dr. Guttman abstained.

W. Dalton Thomas, D.D.S.

Motion by Ms. Johnston, second by Dr. Krob, to approve the proposed consent agreement for W. Dalton Thomas, D.D.S., license number 30.020497, case number 18-36-1186.

Discussion followed wherein Dr. Anderson noted that this was the second similar offense of non-renewal of licensure and continuing to practice without a license for this dentist. He questioned what type of action would be taken if this happened again. Mr. Kochheiser indicated that there were mitigating circumstances in this case and should these actions be repeated within the five-year probation period, then this would be considered an aggravating situation for any future discipline.

Motion carried. Dr. Subramanian and Dr. Guttman abstained.

Non-Disciplinary

Ashokbabu Raamya, B.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Anderson, second by Ms. Johnston, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Ashokbabu Raamya, B.D.S., license number APP-000175184 and limiting his practice to orofacial pain.

Motion carried unanimously.

Christina Zachariadou, B.D.S.

Motion by Ms. Johnston, second by Dr. Anderson, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Christina Zachariadou, B.D.S., license number 30.025615 and limiting her practice to periodontics.

Motion carried unanimously.

Enforcement Update

Deputy Director Kochheiser began the Enforcement Update by informing the Board that there were five (5) cases pending hearing. He stated that there were no cases pending a Hearing Examiner's Report and Recommendation, that there are seventeen (17) licensees and certificate holders under current suspension, thirty-three (33) licensees and certificate holders with older suspensions, and one-hundred and sixty-five (165) active cases. Mr. Kochheiser said that there was one (1) referral to QUIP and no licensees actively participating in QUIP. He informed the members that due to the short amount of time since their last meeting and with the Thanksgiving holiday, there was only one (1) case which has been investigated and reviewed by the Board Secretaries and is recommended to be closed with a warning letter being issued. Mr. Kochheiser noted that there are twenty-nine (29) licensees currently on probation. He indicated that there are twenty-seven (27) cases that have been open for longer than 90 days as noted in the charts in the Board Notebooks.

Due to the requirement in Chapter 4715.03(B) of the Ohio Revised Code, that "A concurrence of a majority of the members of the board shall be required to... (6) Dismiss any complaint filed with the board[,]" Deputy Director Kochheiser reviewed for the Board, case number 16-76-1337 to be closed with a warning letter.

Prior to the vote to close the case, Deputy Director Kochheiser inquired as to whether any of the Board members had any personal knowledge that the case they were voting on today involved either themselves or a personal friend.

Roll call: Dr. Anderson – No
 Dr. Bauer – No
 Dr. Bean – No
 Dr. Das – No
 Dr. Guttman – No
 Ms. Intihar – No
 Ms. Johnston – No
 Dr. Krob – No
 Ms. Scaramucci – No
 Dr. Subramanian – No
 Dr. Zucker – No

Deputy Director Kochheiser then called for a motion to close the case.

Motion by Ms. Johnston, second by Dr. Zucker, to close case number 16-76-1337 and issue a warning letter.

Motion carried unanimously.

Deputy Director Kochheiser then turned the meeting back over to Director Kamdar for the rest of the meeting.

Director Kamdar recommended a change to the Board agenda by stating that they were awaiting the Public Rules Hearing. He then requested moving on to the Licensure portion of the meeting.

Licensure

Director Kamdar stated that the Board's Licensing Coordinator Samantha Slater had prepared a report of the licenses, certifications, and registrations that have been issued by the Board Executive Office since reported at the last meeting in November. He explained that what was before them was the listing of license, registration, and certification holders issued by the Board executive office for ratification by the Board.

Dentist(s) – (8)

30.025603	Nathan Spencer	30.025607	Yonathan Nigatu
30.025605	Khalid Azzouz	30.025608	Parveez Rangwala
30.025606	Ahmed Atarchi	30.025609	Sateesh Kumar Ummareddy
30.025604	Chadi Bachour	30.025610	Brandon Hernandez

Dental Hygienist(s) – (5)

31.015916	Joann Bruening	31.015919	Kimberly Schmidt
31.015917	Larissa Job	31.015920	Wendy Weese
31.015918	Paige Carmichael		

Dental Assistant Radiographer(s) – (71)

51.033902	Tiffany Tanner	51.033900	Whitney Gerz
51.033906	Megan Stump	51.033901	Madison Passage
51.033905	Keosha Hoskins	51.033904	Mckenzie Gore
51.033903	Irene Spargrove	51.033907	Belinda Courtney

51.033908	Arielle Stimpert	51.033939	Kimberly Marcum
51.033910	Erykah Stafford	51.033940	April Baus
51.033909	Delaney Hanood	51.033937	Jennifer Herman
51.033913	Breauna Davis	51.033946	Holly Tomilson
51.033912	Krista Mcgraw	51.033950	Bethany Knotts
51.033915	Kristiana Tackett	51.033945	Jenna Barnhouse
51.033911	Amal Saleh	51.033948	Heather Edington
51.033917	Jenny Delgado	51.033943	Samantha Salce
51.033914	Makenzie Riley	51.033942	Haley Stewart
51.033916	Melissa Bailey	51.033947	Beth Marchionda
51.033918	Danielle Metz	51.033944	Aimee Belford
51.033919	Crystal Glenn	51.033949	Kaitlin Teeple
51.033920	Kayla Little	51.033951	Alexus Walker
51.033921	Davis Bracken	51.033954	Lauren Davis
51.033925	Devere Lowder	51.033955	Austin Parker
51.033922	Mckenna Drouillard	51.033952	Kalyn Alford
51.033923	Lauren Gaston	51.033953	Kendra Henderson
51.033924	Shanna Glassburn	51.033957	Randi Sampsel
51.033926	Ana Davila Valdez	51.033958	Erica Douglas
51.033927	Maritza Castro	51.033956	Ann Hayes
51.033929	Kaitlyn Baker	51.033959	Sydney Carlson
51.033930	Kristin Eusebio	51.033960	Rayjean Thompson
51.033931	Kabrien Spires	51.033961	Monica Phillips
51.033928	Julie Martin	51.033965	Morgan Kennedy
51.033933	Anisley Chaffin	51.033964	Macayla Lykins
51.033935	America Garcia	51.033962	Alexis Koprivec
51.033932	Charity Morgan	51.033966	Abigail Halter
51.033934	Danisha Pons Lugo	51.033963	Brittany Shiple
51.033936	Kayla Pratt	51.033969	Madeline Smith
51.033938	Melissa Smith	51.033967	Kylie Parr
51.033941	Payton Guider	51.033968	Anteria Evans
		51.033970	Zahria Brown

Limited Continuing Education – (5)

LCE.000363	Vincent Buscemi	LCE.000366	Jonathan Vandenburg
LCE.000364	Andrew Bloom	LCE.000367	Marc Clayton
LCE.000365	Hardeek Patel		

Expanded Function Dental Auxiliary – (3)

EFDA.002959	Lisa Harden	EFDA.002961	Lauren Desantis
EFDA.002960	Kimberly Ventresco		

Coronal Polishing – (14)

CP.002016	Meghan King	CP.002021	Terese C Fecco
CP.002015	Roxanne M Woolensack	CP.002019	Jeri Anderson
CP.002017	Jessica Jacoby	CP.002018	Allison Myers
CP.002020	Tiffany Smischny	CP.002022	Barbara Ann Vancura

CP.002023 Ashley Patterson

CP.002026 Alyssa Dysle

CP.002024 Riley Davis

CP.002027 Morgan Walker

CP.002025 Samantha Yokeley

CP.002028 Rebecca Smith

Motion by Dr. Subramanian, second by Dr. Anderson, to approve all licenses, registrations, and certifications as listed that have been issued since the November Board meeting.

Motion carried unanimously.

General Anesthesia/Conscious Sedation Permit(s)

Director Kamdar stated that the Board's Anesthesia Consultant Greg Ness, D.D.S., had vetted the following individuals who have applied for Conscious Sedation and Anesthesia Permits. Evaluations have been conducted and the applicants are recommended to receive Permits for the specified modality.

General Anesthesia

Dr. Nicholas Russell, Columbus, Ohio

Conscious Sedation

Dr. Austin Hoffner, Findlay, Ohio – Intravenous

Motion by Dr. Anderson, second by Dr. Bauer, to approve the general anesthesia and intravenous conscious sedation permit applications for the dentists as listed.

Oral Health Access Supervision Permit(s)

Director Kamdar stated that the Board's Licensing Manager had reviewed one (1) application for oral health access supervision permit and recommended that the following individual be granted a permit.

Dental Hygienist(s)

Barbara Zadik-Martin, R.D.H., Sylvania, Ohio

Motion by Dr. Krob, second by Dr. Subramanian, to approve the application for oral health access supervision permit to Ms. Zadik-Martin, R.D.H.

Motion carried unanimously.

Reinstatement Application(s)

Director Kamdar stated that the Board's Licensing Manager had reviewed one (1) dental reinstatement application and recommended that the following individual be reinstated to practice.

Dentist(s)

Corey Schmidt, D.D.S.

Motion by Dr. Zucker, second by Dr. Bauer, to reinstate the license of Corey Schmidt, D.D.S. to practice dentistry in the state of Ohio.

Discussion followed wherein Mr. Kochheiser explained to the members that Dr. Schmidt had met all the terms and completed the probationary requirements of his adjudication order with the Board in order to reinstate his license to practice dentistry. He stated that pursuant to this order, the Board must now reinstate Dr. Schmidt's license.

Motion carried unanimously.

Dental Hygienist(s)

Continuing with the Reinstatements, Director Kamdar informed the members that the Board's Licensing Manager had reviewed three (3) dental hygiene reinstatement applications and recommended that the following individuals be reinstated to practice.

Cynthia Evans-Sanders, R.D.H.

Tamala Howell, R.D.H.

Constance Stewart, R.D.H.

Motion by Ms. Johnston, second by Ms. Scaramucci, to reinstate the licenses of Cynthia Evans-Sanders, R.D.H., Tamala Howell, R.D.H. and Constance Stewart, R.D.H. to practice dental hygiene in the state of Ohio.

Discussion followed wherein Dr. Krob questioned whether Ms. Evans-Sanders had completed her CPR requirement for reinstatement as it was not mentioned in the information provided by Ms. Slater. It was decided to table consideration of the dental hygiene licensure reinstatements to allow for a response from Ms. Slater. Ms. Johnston withdrew her original motion and tabled the discussion.

Committee Reports

Education

Dr. Krob stated that the Education Committee meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. in room 1924 of the Vern Riffe Building. Dr. Krob indicated that she, along with members Ms. Johnston, Dr. Bauer and staff members Mr. Russell were in attendance. Dr. Krob stated that other Board members and guests were also in attendance and extended a special welcome to the Board's newest member, Dr. Timothy Kyger, who also attended the committee meeting.

Minutes

Dr. Krob informed the members that the November 5, 2018 Committee Minutes were reviewed and accepted without modification via consensus by the committee members.

Continuing Education Audit – Status Update

Dr. Krob informed the members Ms. Franks and Mr. Russell provided a status update of the CE Audit. The audit notifications were originally sent to dentist licensees on August 23, 2018 and to dental hygiene licensees on September 7, 2018. Licensees had 30 days to comply with audit requests. Dr. Krob informed the members that Ms. Franks had shared that Ms. Heidi Massaro is in process of reviewing the audits and Ms. Franks will follow-up with communication. Based on information provided in the update, the committee suggests that an announcement be posted to the OSDB website as a reminder for licensees to update their contact information and email addresses since the Board is using licensee email as the first main avenue of contact.

CE Broker - Update

Dr. Krob stated that Ms. Franks had indicated that she will be in conversations with CE Broker regarding the current submission process and the possibility of adding more customization.

Review of Course(s)

Anesthesia/Conscious Sedation Permit Renewal

Dr. Krob said that the Committee also reviewed the application for an Anesthesia/Conscious Sedation Permit Renewal Course submitted by Sunbury Seminars, Inc. The application had been reviewed and recommended for

approval by the Dental Board's Anesthesia Consultant, Dr. Gregory Ness. The committee recommends approval of the application.

Elder Abuse Mandatory Reporter Training Materials

Dr. Krob informed the Board that the Committee discussed the Elder Abuse Mandatory Reporter Training Materials developed and distributed by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) in September 2018. She indicated that the reference guides were a result of HB 49. The committee recommended the following:

- Notify all licensees via email/e-Bulletin about HB 49 with a reminder of the responsibility that all licensees have regarding mandatory reporting, and to provide links to ODJFS's materials/reference guides.
- Post information and links to ODJFS's materials/reference guides on the Board's website, similar to the information that is currently available about cultural competency training.
- Ms. Johnston, who also serves as the Ohio Dental Hygienists' Association (ODHA) Webmaster, will draft communication requesting the Ohio Dental Association (ODA) and ODHA also post the information on their websites or ask them to provide associated links to the materials.

Continuing Education Revision Workgroup

Dr. Krob stated that during the previous Committee meeting in November they had discussed creation of the Continuing Education Revision Workgroup. The purpose of the group is to review current processes for Biennial Sponsorship. The group will look at the cost/benefit of a more stream-lined approach, which will remain value-added for licensees, but make responsible use of existing resources. The group has begun reviewing processes used by other states and services used that vet education quality. She stated that a progress report will be given at their next meeting.

Motion by Dr. Subramanian, second by Dr. Zucker, to approve the recommendation for approval of the Anesthesia/Conscious Sedation Permit Renewal Course application for Sunbury Seminars, Inc.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Ms. Johnston, second by Dr. Bean, to approve the Education Committee report.

Motion carried unanimously.

Licensure (Continued)

Reinstatement Application(s)

Dental Hygienist(s)

Director Kamdar stated that the Board's Licensing Manager had been contacted and confirmed that Ms. Cynthia Evans-Sanders had submitted completion of the CPR requirement as part of her application for reinstatement.

Discussion followed wherein Dr. Krob requested that this information be noted in the minutes from the meeting.

Motion by Dr. Bauer, second by Dr. Das, to reinstate the licenses of Cynthia Evans-Sanders, R.D.H., Tamala Howell, R.D.H. and Constance Stewart, R.D.H. to practice dental hygiene in the state of Ohio.

Motion carried unanimously.

Committee Reports (Continued)

Law and Rules Review

Dr. Subramanian informed the Board that the Laws and Rules Review Committee met beginning at approximately 11:00 a.m. that day in Room 1960 of the Vern Riffe Tower with all members present. He stated that the meeting started with the observation of a moment of silence to honor the late president Mr. George H W Bush and was followed by a brief welcome for new member of the Board, Dr. Timothy Kyger.

Minutes

Dr. Subramanian stated that the Committee reviewed the previous meeting minutes from November 5, 2018 and approved the minutes without any changes.

Updates

Anesthesia and Sedation Working Group

Dr. Subramanian then provided the Committee with a brief update on the progress of the drafting of new Guidelines/Rules for Sedation & Anesthesia. He indicated that he, along with Mr. Kochheiser and Mr. Russell were working together to have a draft ready for review in Spring of 2019.

Omnibus Bill Working Group

Dr. Subramanian added that the Omnibus Bill Working Group was diligently working on reducing the administrative rules and regulations by seven to 10 percent (7% to 10%).

Opioid Continuing Education Requirement for Renewal

Dr. Subramanian presented a draft of the proposed opioid continuing education (CE) requirement to be included in the mandatory CE requirement for license renewal. He thanked Mr. Kochheiser for providing the draft for review of the Committee on short notice. He stated that there was discussion regarding the need for the sunset clause which had been added to the previous version presented in November. He explained that the sunset clause was included as dental school curriculum across the country are rapidly changing to address the opioid epidemic. He stated that most, if not all dental programs now have education on pain management, addiction, and non-opioid treatment protocols which are being taught and emphasized in dental schools prior to graduation. Dr. Subramanian stated that the discussion resulted in the decision to keep the sunset clause as written to prevent redundancy and also to review the suitability of the topic at that point in time.

Dr. Subramanian said that Dr Anderson pointed out that when the revised language for Sedation/Anesthesia Permits & educational requirements are finalized, it might be prudent to consider excluding the same requirements of the Opioid CE as those that may form a part of the educational requirements for the renewal process for those permits. Dr. Subramanian recognized Dr. Anderson's suggestion and noted that it would be properly addressed when the draft language for the anesthesia and sedation guidelines are ready for review.

Motion by Dr. Anderson, second by Dr. Zucker, to approve the Law and Rules Review Committee report as presented.

Motion carried unanimously.

Policy/Scope of Practice Committee

Ms. Johnston informed the Board that the Policy/Scope of Practice Committee met earlier that morning at approximately 10:00 a.m. with all Committee members present.

Minutes

Ms. Johnston stated that the Committee reviewed the previous meeting minutes from November 5, 2018 and approved the minutes as presented.

Policies

Ms. Johnston indicated that the next three (3) agenda items were the discussion of the following policies:

- Weapons Policy;
- Ohio State Dental Board Access to Confidential Personal Information Policy; and
- Policy for Adoption of an Email Disclaimer for the Ohio State Dental Board.

Ms. Johnston stated that Mr. Zachary Russell had investigated whether our board needs separate policies or whether we can use the state policies on these three (3) subjects. She said Mr. Russell had informed the Committee that due to Public Records Law, we may not need a policy on an email disclaimer because all of our official business discussion is a mandatory part of public records with the exception of any correspondence regarding attorney/client privilege. However, Mr. Russell informed the Committee that the Board will require their own separate policies on weapons and access to personal confidential information but may base them on the state policy. Ms. Johnston indicated that she had instructed Mr. Russell to place them in the new Board policy format for review at the next meeting in February 2019.

Administration of Silver Diamine Fluoride

Ms. Johnston said the next discussion item was the draft language for Administration of Silver Diamine Fluoride (SDF) Position Statement. She stated that the Committee had a lively discussion which resulted in the decision that the first draft of the Position Statement was too specific in that it included details for coursework in administration of SDF. The decision was made to change the instruction requirements to: Training [in the application of SDF] should be completed prior to first application.

Ms. Johnston informed the Board members that the Committee suggested that the word “antibiotic” be changed to “antimicrobial” throughout the Position Statement and to confirm all references to “cavity” be changed to “carious lesions”. She stated that the final version of the Position Statement on SDF will include:

- Definition
- Indications for Use
- Training
- Informed Consent

Ms. Johnston stated that a newly revised version of the Position Statement will be provided for the Committee to review at their next meeting.

Best Practices - Obstructive Sleep Apnea

Ms. Johnston indicated that the final discussion for the day was regarding Sleep Related Breathing Disorders, no longer being referred to as Obstructive Sleep Apnea. She said that Dr. Bauer informed the Committee that the subcommittee approved at the November Board Meeting will tentatively plan to meet at the next Board and Committee Meeting day on February 6, 2019. She stated that invited to the subcommittee are Dr. Bauer, as Chair, Dr. Quereshy, Mr. Kochheiser, Dr. Shelly Shults, and two Sleep Physicians recommended by Dr. Shults. She said that Dr. Bauer plans to have a final recommendation on the Position Statement on Sleep Related Breathing Disorders by the full Board meeting in March.

Motion by Dr. Krob, second by Dr. Bean, to approve the Policy/Scope of Practice Committee report as presented.

Motion carried unanimously.

Executive Updates

President's Update

Dr. Das stated that he wished to congratulate Governor-elect Mike DeWine on his victory as the next Governor of Ohio beginning in 2019 and stated that he looked forward to working with him and the new administration. He then recognized the SIP panel; Dr. Guttman and Dr. Subramanian for their tireless effort to the Board. Also, Dr. Das wished to thank the various committee chairs for 2018: Ms. Johnston, Chair of the Policy/Scope of Practice Committee; Dr. Krob, Chair of the Education Committee; Dr. Guttman, Chair of the Ad Hoc Committee; and Dr. Subramanian, Chair of the Law and Rules Review Committee. He also thanked Dr. Anderson for helping out and providing research and recommended language for the Anesthesia/Sedation Working Group.

Dr. Das said he wished to thank Dr. Subramanian for his contributions to the opioid prescribing rules, Ms. Susan Johnston for serving the Board as Vice President, and Director Kamdar and the Board staff for their support and assistance. Dr. Das stated that he was grateful for the dedication and contributions made by former Board member Michael Ginder, D.D.S. and commented that he continues to be missed by all the members.

Dr. Das concluded his report by thanking his fellow Board members for the unique and rare opportunity to serve them as President of the Board for this past year. He stated that it has been a great honor for him.

Executive Director's Update

Director Kamdar stated that he is looking forward to working with the DeWine/Husted administration that will be taking over in January 2019. He stated that he is grateful and thankful for having had the opportunity to work for the Kasich administration.

Director Kamdar also wished to thank all of the Board members for their hard work and contributions during this past year. He then thanked the Board staff, Mr. Kochheiser, Mr. Russell, Ms. Yehnert, Ms. Franks and the rest of the Dental Board team for their support this past year.

Dr. Subramanian wished to thank President Das for the outstanding job he has done and for being so patient with all of the problems that they have created over the past year.

Election of Officers

Director Kamdar reminded the members that they had received copies of the Governance guidelines regarding Board Officers and Elections. He informed the members that they are not in statute or rule and reiterated that they are just that; guidelines. He stated that during the past two (2) years the Board members have elected to waive and/or modify the guidelines given the circumstances. He provided them with the example that if the members were to follow the current guidelines then only two (2) members, Dr. Das and Dr. Guttman would be eligible to be nominated as Board Secretary. He then commented that the members had been provided an election matrix consisting of each member's beginning and ending term dates and years of service on the Board to use in the election process.

Motion by Dr. Subramanian, second by Ms. Johnston, to suspend the Officer Election Guidelines previously used by the Board and found in the Board Member handbook specifically the length of service experience requirement and that the Board should align the requirements as set forth in Ohio Revised Code section 4715.03.

Motion carried unanimously.

QUIP Coordinator

Director Kamdar then explained the process for nominations and voting. He then called for nominations for the office of QUIP Coordinator.

Motion by Dr. Subramanian, second by Dr. Das, to nominate Dr. Andrew Zucker as QUIP Coordinator for the Board for 2019.

Director Kamdar asked if there was any discussion. Hearing none, he called for a vote.

Motion carried unanimously to elect Dr. Zucker as QUIP Coordinator of the Board for 2019.

Vice Secretary

Director Kamdar then called for nominations for the office of Vice Secretary.

Motion by Dr. Subramanian, second by Dr. Bauer, to nominate Dr. Bill Anderson to the office of Vice Secretary for the Board for 2019.

Director Kamdar asked if there was any discussion. Hearing none, he called for a vote.

Motion carried unanimously to elect Dr. Anderson as Vice Secretary of the Board for 2019.

Secretary

Director Kamdar then called for nominations for the office of Secretary.

Motion by Dr. Guttman, second by Dr. Subramanian, to nominate Dr. Ashok Das to the office of Secretary of the Board for 2019.

Director Kamdar asked if there was any discussion. Hearing none, he called for a vote.

Motion carried unanimously to elect Dr. Das as Secretary of the Board for 2019.

Vice President

Director Kamdar then called for nominations for the office of Vice President.

Motion by Dr. Das, second by Dr. Anderson, to nominate Dr. Patricia Guttman to the office of Vice President of the Board for 2019.

Director Kamdar asked if there was any discussion. Hearing none, he called for a vote.

Motion carried unanimously to elect Dr. Guttman as Vice President of the Board for 2019.

President

Director Kamdar then called for nominations for the office of President.

Motion by Dr. Bauer, second by Ms. Johnston, to nominate Dr. Kumar Subramanian to the office of President of the Board for 2019.

Director Kamdar asked if there was any discussion. Hearing none, he called for a vote.

Motion carried unanimously to elect Dr. Subramanian as President of the Board for 2019.

Anything for the Good of the Board

Director Kamdar inquired as to whether any of the Board members had any items to address under “Anything for the Good of the Board.”

Director Kamdar informed the Board members that it had been previously decided to honor former Board member Dr. Michael Ginder by renaming the conference room in the Board executive office to the “Dr. Michael Ginder Conference Room” and indicated that the new plaque had been purchased and placed in a prominent location in the room. He also thanked Dr. Subramanian for donating the sign and as such, no state funds were used.

Noting that there were no additional items to address from the Board members, Director Kamdar suggested they move on to the Executive Session.

Executive Session

Motion by Ms. Scaramucci, second by Dr. Bauer, to move the Board into executive session pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 121.22 (G)(3) to confer with Board counsel regarding a pending or imminent court action.

Roll call vote: Dr. Anderson – Yes
Dr. Bauer – Yes
Dr. Bean – Yes
Dr. Das – Yes
Dr. Guttman – Yes
Ms. Johnston – Yes
Dr. Krob – Yes
Dr. Kyger – Yes
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes
Dr. Subramanian – Yes
Dr. Zucker – Yes

Motion carried unanimously.

Director Kamdar indicated that he would attend the executive session along with Mr. Kochheiser and Ms. Bockbrader. He then requested all other guests and staff to leave the meeting and to take all personal items, including briefcases, purses, cell phones, tablets, etc. with them when exiting the room. He stated that they would be invited back in upon conclusion of the Executive Session.

Open Session

At 2:12 p.m. the Board resumed open session. Director Kamdar noted that they were at the final agenda item, the Public Rules Hearing.

Public Rules Hearing

An administrative rules hearing was held on the following proposed amended rules:

- 4715-5-04 Specialty designation.
- 4715-5-06 Reports of adverse occurrences.
- 4715-7-01 Limited resident’s license.

- 4715-7-02 Limited teaching license
- 4715-13-01 Public announcements, publicity, advertising and solicitation.
- 4715-13-03 False, fraudulent, or misleading statements.
- 4715-18-01 Application for licensure of graduates of unaccredited dental colleges located outside the United States.
- 4715-30-01 Exemption for physicians and surgeons.
- 4715-40-04 Provisions of the participatory agreement for the quality intervention program (QUIP).
- 4715-40-06 Requirements for educational provider(s) offering remediation for the quality intervention program (QUIP).
- 4715-40-07 Terms and conditions a participant must meet to successfully complete the quality intervention program (QUIP).

The Board heard testimony and received evidence, State's Exhibits 1 through 7, from Steven Kochheiser, Esq., Deputy Director and Chief Legal Counsel of the Ohio State Dental Board. There was no written testimony submitted for the Board's consideration and no witness provided verbal testimony to the Board.

Upon conclusion of review of exhibits and hearing of testimony, the Board was provided the opportunity to discuss the rules as filed with a chance to make motions to amend the rules.

Motion by Dr. Subramanian, second by Dr. Das, to final file amended rules 4715-5-04, 4715-5-06, 4715-7-01, 4715-7-02, 4715-13-01, 4715-13-03, 4715-18-01, 4715-30-01, 4715-40-04, 4715-40-06, and 4715-40-07 with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR), the Legislative Service Commission (LSC), and the Secretary of State (SOS).

Motion carried unanimously.

The Public Rules Hearing was concluded at 2:43 p.m.

All the official transcripts from the hearing are maintained in the exhibits section of the Board's official record of the proceeding. A court reporter was present to take down and transcribe the details of the testimony, discussions, and decisions of the Board.

Adjourn

President Das adjourned the meeting at 2:42 p.m.


KUMAR SUBRAMANIAN, D.D.S.

President


PATRICIA GUTTMAN, D.D.S.
Vice President