

ADVISORY BOARD ON ATHLETIC TRAINING

Minutes

February 8, 2007

The Advisory Board on Athletic Training met on Thursday, February 8, 2007 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department of Health Professions, 6603 West Broad Street, Richmond, Virginia.

A Public Hearing was held on the Supervision of Provisional Licensees. The comment period is February 5, 2007 through April 4, 2007. There was no public comment.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Jon Almquist, AT, Chair
David Pawlowski, AT
Douglas Cutter, MD

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Renee Cork, AT, Vice-Chair
Reg E. Roland

STAFF PRESENT:

William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director
Ola Powers, Deputy Executive Director
Elaine Yeatts, Senior Regulatory Analyst
Colanthia Morton, Operations Manager
LaFonda Parham, Licensing Specialist

GUESTS PRESENT:

None

CALL TO ORDER:

Jon Almquist called the meeting to order.

Let it be noted for the record that Dr. Harp announced the Emergency Evacuation Instructions prior to the meeting.

ROLL CALL:

Roll was called and a quorum declared.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF JUNE 8, 2006

Douglas Cutter moved to approve the minutes dated June 8, 2006. The motion was seconded and carried.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

David Pawlowski moved to adopt the agenda. The motion was seconded and carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS

There was no public comment.

NEW BUSINESS

#1. Regulatory Update

Ms. Yeatts informed the Board of the proposed status of regulation 18 VAC 85-120-130, Supervisory Responsibilities. She stated that the issue will come back for adoption of final regulations, and they should be in place by this summer. Ms. Yeatts suggested a periodic review of regulations. David Pawlowski moved to publish a Notice of Intended Regulatory Action for the periodic review of regulations to begin at the June Advisory Board meeting. The motion was seconded and carried.

#2. Legislative Update from the 2007 Session

Ms. Yeatts presented and explained new legislation affecting the Department of Health Professions, the Board of Medicine and the Advisory Board on Athletic Training.

#3. Efficacy of provisional licensure

Jon Almquist expressed concern regarding the proposed regulation 18 VAC 85-120-130, Supervisory Responsibilities. After discussion, the decision was made to go forward with the proposed regulation and determine the need to either amend further during periodic review or to delete the regulation for a provisional license all together.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There were no announcements.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

June 7, 2007

ADJOURNMENT

David Pawlowski moved to adjourn the meeting of the Advisory Board on Athletic Training. The motion was seconded and carried.

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Jon Almquist, AT, Chair

William L. Harp, M.D.
Executive Director

LaFonda Parham, Licensing Specialist