### POLYGRAPH EXAMINERS ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES OF JULY 18, 2019

The Polygraph Examiners Advisory Board met on Thursday, **July 18, 2019**, at the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation, 9960 Mayland Drive, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Richmond, Virginia.

The following members of the Advisory Board were present:

Karl Holzbach, Vice Chair William (Vic) Ingram George D Grant John T Orr Michael E Lovely

The following members of the Advisory Board were not present;

Stephen T Oliver

Staff present for all or part of the meeting:

Eric L. Olson, Executive Director Marjorie King, Regulatory Boards Administrator Stephanie Keuther, Administrative Assistant Rhonda Starr, Examination Coordinator Deborah Ogram, Examination Specialist Shannon Webster, Director of Exams Mr. Holzbach, Chairman called the meeting to order at 10:15a.m.

Call To Order

Mr. Orr made a motion seconded by Mr. Lovely to approve the Agenda as presented. The motion was approved with a vote of 4-0-0 AYES: Holzbach, Grant, Lovely, and Orr. Nays: None Abstained: None Absent: Ingram, and Oliver

Approval of the Agenda

Mr. Lovely made a motion seconded by Mr. Orr to approve the Minutes of April 11, 2019 as presented. The motion was approved with a vote of 3-0-1 AYES: Holzbach, Lovely and Orr. Nays: None Abstained: Grant Absent: Ingram, and Oliver

Approval of April, 11 2019 Meeting Minutes

There was none.

**Public Comment** 

There was none.

**Old Business** 

\*Board Member Mr. Ingram arrived at the meeting at 10:25 a.m. and will now be included in the voting.\*

### **New Business**

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#### **Guidance Document**

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Mr. Olson, Executive Director notified the Board that at the April 11, 2019 Polygraph Examiners Advisory Meeting staff was directed to draft a guidance document to help with the regulations. Research for the Guidance Document showed the APA does not put a question limit on the test. But that the test question language, and the number of test questions, should be consistent with the requirements of the Polygraph technique that is used.

After much discussion Mr. Lovely recommended the Guidance Document be consistent with the APA approved validated technique.

Mr. Olson, the Guidance Document is not a regulation it's a guide therefore could easily mirror the APA and be ready by October 2019 and published on Town Hall. Once published there would be a 30 day public comment period.

Mr. Orr made a motion seconded by Mr. Lovely to use the Guidance Document presented by staff. The motion was approved with a vote of 5-0-0 AYES: Holzbach, Lovely, Grant, Ingram, and Orr. Nays: None Abstained: Absent: Oliver

#### **Introductory of Exam Candidates**

Mr. Orr, Board member left the meeting to review the exam candidates test results.

Introductory of Exam Candidates

**Exam Review** 

#### Shannon Webster, Director of Exams

Ms. Webster notified the Board that in order for the scenario portion of the exam to be valid, a minimum of four new scenarios needed to be created and added to the exam bank. Ms. Webster worked with the Board to create the four new exam scenarios for the Polygraph Exam, which will be incorporated into the 2020 exam cycle. The Polygraph Examiners Advisory Board will review and make any needed adjustments at the October 17, 2019 meeting in preparation for production.

Mr. Orr notified the Board that all exam candidates have passed the exams.

The next Board meeting is scheduled for Thursday, October 17, 2019 at 10:00 am.

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Travel vouchers and conflict of interest forms were completed by all the board members present and submitted to Stephanie Keuther for processing.

<u>Paperwork</u>

**Next Board meeting** 

Mr. Holzbach motioned to adjourn the meeting at 1:25 pm.

<u>Adjourn</u>

kart Holzbach, Chairman

Mary Broz-Vaughan Acting Director

1.	Name	Lieutenant Michael E. Lovely	
		(Name of Board Member)	
2.	Title:	Board Member	
3.	Agency:	DPOR/Polygraph Examiners Advisory Board (Name of Board)	
4.	Meeting/IFF D	ate: 07/18/2019	
5.	I have a perso	nal interest in the following transaction:	
	(Agenda Item)		
	Nature of Personal Interest Affected by Transaction:		
	N/A		
		I am a member of the following business, profession, occupation or group, the members of which the transaction:	
	I am a	ble to participate in this transaction fairly, objectively, and in the public interest.	
	☐ I did not participate in the transaction.		
6.	I do not have  Model Signature	a personal interest in any transactions taken at this meeting.  O7/17/19  Date	

1.	Name	Captain John T. Orr
		(Name of Board Member)
2.	Title:	Board Member
3.	Agency:	DPOR/Polygraph Examiners Advisory Board (Name of Board)
4.	Meeting/IFF Da	ate: <u>07/18/2019</u>
5.	I have a persor	nal interest in the following transaction:
	I declare that I	am a member of the following business, profession, occupation or group, the members of which the transaction:
	☐ I am al	ble to participate in this transaction fairly, objectively, and in the public interest.
	☐ I did no	ot participate in the transaction.
6.	I do not have a	a personal interest in any transactions taken at this meeting.  1 18 2019

1.	Name	George D. Grant	
		(Name of Board Member)	
2.	Title:	Board Member	
3.	Agency:	DPOR/Polygraph Examiners Advisory Board (Name of Board)	
4.	Meeting/IFF Da	ate: <u>07/18/2019</u>	
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	Signature	Date	

1.	Name	Karl Holzbach	
		(Name of Board Member)	
2.	Title:	Board Member	
3.	Agency:	DPOR/Polygraph Examiners Advisory Board (Name of Board)	
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	or I did n	ot participate in the transaction.	
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1.	Name	William V. Ingram (Name of Board Member)	
2.	Title:	Board Member	
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