

# Final Minutes Public Hearing

October 20, 2020

The Virginia Board of Physical Therapy convened virtually via WebEx for a public hearing on Tuesday, October 20, 2020.

## **BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Allen R. Jones, Jr., PT, DPT, Board President

## DHP STAFF PRESENT FOR ALL OR PART OF THE MEETING:

Corie Tillman Wolf, Executive Director Sarah Georgen, Licensing and Operations Manager Laura Mueller, PT Program Manager

## OTHER GUESTS PRESENT

None

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Due to the COVID-19 declared state of emergency and consistent with Amendment 28 to HB29 (Budget Bill for 2018-2020) and the applicable provisions of the Freedom of Information Act including Virginia Code § 2.2-3708.2, the Board convened a virtual meeting to consider such regulatory and business matters as was presented on the agenda necessary for the board to discharge its lawful purposes, duties, and responsibilities.

Allen R. Jones, Jr., PT, DPT, Board President, called the public hearing to order at 9:15 a.m.

#### CALL FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Dr. Jones called for comment on the proposed regulations to replace emergency regulations for the implementation of the Physical Therapy Compact (18VAC112-20-10 et seq.).

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

One (1) written comment was received in favor of the proposed regulations from Joshua Bailey, PT, DPT, for APTA–Virginia.

Dr. Jones reminded everyone that electronic comment could be posted on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall until October 30, 2020.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

With all business concluded, the public hearing adjourned at 9:19 a.m.

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Allen R. Jones, Jr., PT, DPT
Board President

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Date