



STATE OF OKLAHOMA
Board of Examiners of Psychologists

MINUTES OF THE OPEN MEETING OF THE BOARD
May 17, 2008

An open meeting of the Board of Examiners of Psychologists was held on Saturday, May 17, 2008 in Room 419C of the State Capitol, 2300 N. Lincoln, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. In attendance were S. Miller, Vice-Chair of the Board, T. Brian, Ed.D., P. Tobin, Ph.D. and K. Dean, members of the Board; S. Fleming, Executive Officer, T. Vaughn, Ph.D., Director of Professional Affairs and P. Draper, Assistant Attorney General. G. Hobson, Ph.D., C. Kilpatrick and F. Rubin, DDS, were not present.

Dr. Miller announced that a quorum was present to conduct business and that the meeting was filed with the Secretary of State and the agenda was posted in accordance with the Open Meeting Act.

The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Mr. Dean to approve the minutes of the March 15, 2008 open meeting as amended. The motion passed. Brian, Tobin, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board was not able to address the Probable Cause reports on RFI 06-6, RFI 07-3 and RFI 07-5 since there would not be a quorum after the current Board member on the Probable Cause Committee recused from the vote. The items were tabled until the next open meeting of the Board.

There was no new information to report regarding BC 05-2.

The Board reviewed a letter from Dr. Jill Scott regarding the supervision for Dr. Katrina Cochran in relation to complaint BC 05-10. There was no action by the Board. The Board reviewed the scholarly paper presented by Dr. Cochran. The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Mr. Dean to accept the scholarly paper presented by Dr. Katrina Cochran as ordered in complaint BC05-10. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

Sue reported that an agreement between Dr. Huckeba and Dr. Oehler-Stinnett is forthcoming.

The Board reviewed the list of potential supervisors presented by Dr. Robert Martin in relation to BC06-3. The motion was made by Mr. Dean and seconded by Dr. Tobin to

approve either Dr. Phil Hyde or Dr. Ted Coyle as supervisors. Dr. Martin is to choose from either psychologist and inform the Board so further information may be sent to the supervisor. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board reviewed the scholarly paper presented by Dr. Gerald Richey Cates, as required as part of his remedial plan. The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Tobin to accept the scholarly paper submitted by Dr. Cates as meeting the Board's requirement. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The review of the Consent Order regarding BC07-4 against Dr. Carolyn Ekenstam was tabled since there would not be a quorum after two of the Board members recused from the vote. This item will be reviewed at the next open meeting of the Board.

The review of the Consent Order regarding BC07-1 against Dr. Horace Lukens was tabled since there would not be a quorum after the current Board member on the Probable Cause Committee recused from the vote. This item will be reviewed at the next open meeting of the Board.

The Board reviewed the response from Dr. Jay Kent-Ferraro regarding his website. The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Dr. Brian not to file an injunction at this time. Mr. Draper will follow up and report back at the next open meeting of the Board.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Tobin to accept the proposal presented by Dr. Melanie Talley as meeting the criteria for licensure and approved her to sit for the licensing examinations. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board reviewed a document signed by Donna John, MS. LPC, Certified Psychometrist/School Psychologist titled Comprehensive Psychological Evaluation. The Board directed Mr. Draper to send a cease and desist letter to Ms. John for the use of the term psychological in a private practice setting. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board reviewed a document signed by Carol Armstrong, Ph.D., abd. The Board will forward the information to the LPC board since it is not within the purview of this Board.

The Board discussed the changes in the law regarding CLEET evaluations and the Board's position regarding these evaluations. The Board's position has not changed and a letter will be sent out with the annual directories and placed on the Board's website restating that position. The Board also discussed a Request for Inquiry regarding this issue. The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Dr. Brian to send a letter to the psychologist and ask for a response prior to the next meeting of the Board. At that

time, the Board will determine whether to close the inquiry or to take further action. The motion passed. Tobin, Dean, Brian and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board discussed the Oklahoma Health Care Authority's (OHCA) proposal to have interns and postdoctoral students paid for their services to OHCA patients and certification from the Board. The Board reviewed the drafts of forms to be signed by the interns. The motion was made by Mr. Dean and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the Application for Internship and Post Doctoral Practice Under Supervision forms as amended. The motion passed. Tobin, Dean, Brian and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Mr. Dean to approve the proposed postdoctoral supervision submitted by Vicky Turner as meeting the criteria for licensure. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board reviewed the letter from Samuel Feldman, Ph.D., President of the International College of Professional Psychology, Inc. Mr. Dodson addressed the Board on behalf of Dr. Feldman. The motion was made by Mr. Dean and seconded by Dr. Brian to table discussion of this matter until Mr. Draper, Assistant Attorney General representative for the Board, is able to investigate this matter further. The motion passed. Tobin, Dean, Brian and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Mr. Dean to approve the request submitted by Dr. Anne Jacobs to reactivate her license. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Mr. Dean to approve the request submitted by Dr. Lee Thrash to extend approval of Private Practice under Supervision with Dr. Rene Orcutt with the adjustment of hours of supervision. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board reviewed a letter submitted by Fielding Graduate University on behalf of Dr. Gilbert Sanders' request to add respecialization in clinical/neuropsychology. The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Mr. Dean to continue to deny Dr. Sanders' request at this time based on the review of the letter. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the application submitted by Dr. Karen Maston to hire James Davis as a Psychological Technician with QMRP exemption. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Mr. Dean to approve the application submitted by Dr. Gant Ward to hire Stephanie Lasiter as a Psychological Technician with the clarification that supervision be specific to Dr. Ward. The motion passed. Tobin, Dean, Brian and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the application submitted by Dr. Robert Martin to hire Alisia L. Stricker as a Psychological Technician with QMRP exemption. The motion passed. Tobin, Dean, Brian and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Mr. Dean to approve the workshop entitled "Introductory Crisis (Hostage) Negotiation Course" presented by Crisis Management Consultants, Inc., scheduled for July 11-13, 2008 for 24 hours of CPE credits. The motion passed. Tobin, Dean, Brian, and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board discussed the current status of the complaint filed with APA regarding accreditation issues. No further action was taken by the Board at this time.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Tobin to nominate Dr. Jack Schaeffer as President Elect for ASPPB and to nominate Dr. Barbara Van Horne for the Norma Simon award for ASPPB. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board discussed the status of SB1725 and SB 2074. There was no action taken by the Board at this time.

Dr. Vaughn requested that the minimum amount of Board reimbursement for him attending the APA Annual Convention be raised from \$1000 to \$2000. The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Dr. Brian to raise the minimum amount as requested. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board reviewed the annual contract for Preston Draper, Assistant Attorney General, for FY09. The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Mr. Dean to approve Mr. Draper's contract as presented for FY09. The motion passed. Tobin, Dean, Brian and Miller voted for the motion.

Tom Vaughn reported that he is trying to set up an oral exam committee meeting date. No date has been set.

The motion was made by Dr. Tobin and seconded by Dr. Brian to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed. Tobin, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sue A. Fleming".

Sue A. Fleming
Executive Officer