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The Composite State Board of Medical Examiners (CSBME) held its regular meeting on May 8-9, 2008 at 2 Peachtree Street, NW, 36th Floor, Atlanta, GA 30303, to consider Medical Board matters.

Board members in attendance on Thursday May 8, 2008 were:

Eddie R. Cheeks, M.D. President
Jean Sumner, M.D., Vice President
William Butler, M.D.
Alexander S. Gross, M.D.
M. Vinayak Kamath, M.D.
Kathy Kemle, PA, Ex-Officio Board Member
Kathy Kinlaw, Consumer Member
Marion O. Lee, Jr., M.D.
Ted Perry, M.D.
William Roundtree, M.D.
Roland S. Summers, M.D.
Richard Weil, M.D.
Charles White, D.O.
William A. Woolery, D.O., PhD

Representatives from the Attorney General's Office:

Janet Wray, Senior Assistant Attorney General
Amelia Baker, Senior Assistant Attorney General

Dr. Cheeks called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

AGENDA

Dr. Roundtree moved to approve the agenda of the May 8-9, 2008 CSBME meeting with changes. Dr. Butler seconded, and it carried unanimously.

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Dr. Summers moved to approve the minutes of the April 3, 2007 CSBME meeting. Dr. Woolery seconded and it carried unanimously.

Dr. Cheeks welcomed Alexander S. Gross, M.D. to the Board as its newest member.

John Oxendine, Insurance Commissioner, presented an overview of telehealth to the Board. The Board asked questions and Mr. Oxendine responded.

Chief Judge Lois Oakley presented a thumbnail sketch of the OSAH hearing process to the Board members. The Board members asked questions. Judge Oakley responded.

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Dr. Summers moved to go into Executive Session to conduct Investigative Interviews, Dr. White seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously. Dr. Cheeks then declared the meeting would be open session upon completion of the investigative interviews for the purpose of holding committee meetings.

Board members in attendance on Friday May 9, 2008 were:

Eddie R. Cheeks, M.D. President
Jean Sumner, M.D., Vice President - by teleconference
William Butler, M.D.
Alexander S. Gross, M.D.
M. Vinayak Kamath, M.D.
Kathy Kemle, PA, Ex-Officio Board Member
Kathy Kinlaw, Consumer Member – by teleconference
Marion O. Lee, Jr., M.D.
Ted Perry, M.D.
William Roundtree, M.D.
Roland S. Summers, M.D. – by teleconference
Richard Weil, M.D.
Charles White, D.O.
William A. Woolery, D.O., PhD –by teleconference

Representatives from the Attorney General’s Office:

Janet Wray, Senior Assistant Attorney General
Amelia Baker, Senior Assistant Attorney General

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT

LaSharn Hughes, Executive Director, presented the following to the Board:

1. Regarding an article “Making Room For ‘Dr. Nurse’”. For information only.
2. Regarding a review of the Public Citizen report. For information only.
3. Regarding a review of the website TelaDoc Gateway. For information only.
4. Regarding a letter concerning Teleradiology Solutions, Inc. Pennsylvania – according to the letter ghost physicians to read studies – what will you do to protect the citizens of Georgia?
5. Regarding an email from Delores Layton seeking licensure/legislation for radiology assistants in Georgia.
6. The Board’s response to Declaratory Statement filed by Reproductive Biology Associates – the Board will not issue a declaratory statement per AG’s office.

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7. Regarding a letter from David C. Will suggesting that the Board allow physicians that are being disciplined to do community service at their local community service board since they are having difficulty obtaining physicians to help.
8. Regarding a letter from Neil Krugman concerning MedSolutions utilization review of outpatient diagnostic imaging services for customers in Georgia without a Georgia License. The letter states the company has permission from the Commissioner of Insurances' Office to review charts in Georgia. Dr. Summers moved to send to AG for advice. Dr. Perry seconded and it carried unanimously.
9. Regarding a letter from Spears, Moore, Rebman & Williams, P.C. asking for the position of the Board regarding the administration of injectable colchicine products to patients. The Board has made no official decision each case will be looked at individually.
10. Regarding a letter from the Comhairle na nDoctuir Leighis Medical Council seeking permission for Dr. Scheinfeld (licensed in South Africa) for the removal of cadaver tissue for the purpose of transplant research and education. Send a copy of the laws and rules. They may consult with an attorney of their choice.
11. Concerning an article "Judge Lifts limits on med-mal damages. For information only.
12. Federation of State Medical Boards – State of the State Physician Regulation 2008. For information only.

RULES HEARING

1. Amend Rule 360-5-.03 entitled "Requirements for Board Approval of Physician's Assistant. Amended."

Dr. Cheeks announced the Public Hearing and asked if anyone was present to address the Board on the posted Rule for amendment. No one was present

Dr. Perry moved to adopt the proposed amendment to Rule 360-5-.03 entitled "Requirements for Board Approval of Physician's Assistant. Amended."

That the Board finds the formulation and adoption of this amended rule do not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed rule cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of the applicable laws.

That the Board find that it is not legal or feasible to met the objectives of the applicable laws to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed at O.C.G.A §50-13-4(a)(3)(A),(B),(C)

Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

2. Amend Rule 360-5-.06 entitled "Renewal of Physician's Assistant License."

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Dr. Cheeks announced the Public Hearing and asked if anyone was present to address the Board on the posted Rule for amendment. No one was present

Dr. Perry moved to adopt the proposed amendment to Rule 360-5-.06 entitled "Renewal of Physician's Assistant License."

That the Board finds the formulation and adoption of this amended rule do not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed rule cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of the applicable laws.

That the Board find that it is not legal or feasible to met the objectives of the applicable laws to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed at O.C.G.A §50-13-4(a)(3)(A),(B),(C)

Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

3. Amend Rule 360-27-.02 entitled "Declaration of Patients' Rights."

Dr. Cheeks announced the Public Hearing and asked if anyone was present to address the Board on the posted Rule for amendment. No one was present

Dr. Perry moved to adopt the proposed amendment to Rule 360-27-.02 entitled "Declaration of Patients' Rights."

That the Board finds the formulation and adoption of this amended rule do not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed rule cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of the applicable laws.

That the Board find that it is not legal or feasible to met the objectives of the applicable laws to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed at O.C.G.A §50-13-4(a)(3)(A),(B),(C)

Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

4. Amend Rule 360-13-.10 entitled "Continuing Education Requirements."

Dr. Cheeks announced the Public Hearing and asked if anyone was present to address the Board on the posted Rule for amendment. No one was present

Dr. Perry moved to refer the proposed amendment to Rule 360-13-.10 entitled "Continuing Education Requirements." Rule back to the Rules committee for further consideration.

Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

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5. Amend Rule 360-32-.02 entitled "Requirements for Nurse Protocol Agreements Pursuant to Code Section 43-34-26.3."

Dr. Cheeks announced the Public Hearing and asked if anyone was present to address the Board on the proposed amendment to Rule 360-32-.02 entitled "Requirements for Nurse Protocol Agreements Pursuant to Code Section 43-34-26.3." Present to address the Board and express their oral arguments were: Alpha Fowler Bryan, M.D., Carole Jakeway, RN,BSN, MPH, Bonnie Cox, APRN, MN, Myra Carmon, ED, CPNA, RW, Cyntil Lott, NP-C, Michael McCann, CNN. Those present made their oral presentations. The Board asked questions.

Dr. Perry moved to adopt the proposed amendment to Rule 360-32-.02 entitled "Requirements for Nurse Protocol Agreements Pursuant to Code Section 43-34-26.3."

That the Board finds the formulation and adoption of this amended rule do not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed rule cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of the applicable laws.

That the Board find that it is not legal or feasible to met the objectives of the applicable laws to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed at O.C.G.A §50-13-4(a)(3)(A),(B),(C)

Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

6. Amend Rule 360-28-.03 entitled "Submission of Profile Information via the Internet, and Rule 360-28-.09 entitled "Dissemination of Profiles."

Dr. Cheeks announced the Public Hearing and asked if anyone was present to address the Board on the posted Rule for amendment. No one was present

Dr. Perry moved to adopt the proposed amendment to Rule 360-28-.03 entitled "Submission of Profile Information via the Internet, and Rule 360-28-.09 entitled "Dissemination of Profiles."

That the Board finds the formulation and adoption of this amended rule do not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed rule cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of the applicable laws.

That the Board find that it is not legal or feasible to met the objectives of the applicable laws to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed at O.C.G.A §50-13-4(a)(3)(A),(B),(C)

Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

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ACUPUNCTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. White presented the report of the Acupuncture Advisory Committee. Dr. Summers moved to accept the committee recommendations and it carried.

Approved Applicants for Acupuncture Licenses:

1. Gordon, James
2. Park, Jong
3. Rayfield, Kimbrell

Tabled Applicants:

1. Le, Binh
2. McIntee, Mario
3. Won, Choi

Accepted Quarterly Reports:

1. Jester, Holly
2. Kim, Jong
3. Kupelian, Sara
4. Moody, Michele
5. Toone, David

Other Business:

1. The Board reviewed proposed modifications to the General Information and FAQ documents and voted to table the proposals until more experienced Committee Members could provide clarification and insight.
2. The Board approved the Committee recommendation for Mark Lewinter to work on identifying and developing proposed changes to the Acupuncture Rules and laws to address shortcomings in the training/educational requirements for licensure.
3. The Board approved the Committee recommendation to accept proposed forms for Review of Quarterly Report Forms and a model Consent Forms with changes.
4. The Board reviewed a letter from The Federation Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine Regulatory Agencies describing its services, mission, and annual conference. For information only.
5. The Board reviewed the National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine apprenticeship requirements. For information only.

PHYSICIAN LICENSING COMMITTEE:

Dr. Perry moved to go into Closed Session. Dr Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

Dr. Cheeks Declared Open Session

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Dr. Cheeks presented the report for the Physician Licensing Committee. Dr. Summers seconded the committee recommendations and it carried.

1. Samuel Taylor IV, M.D. – Approved the request from the Federation of State Medical Boards to allow him to take USMLE Step 3 in Georgia. Dr. Cheeks recused.
2. Danny Vaughn, M.D. - Approve the request form Federation of State Medical Boards to allow to take USMLE Step 3 in Georgia.
3. Advise Dr. Basil Shah that the Board will accept FMGEMS examination, and he may submit an application for consideration of licensure.
4. Roohi Abubaker, M.D. – Approved to waive the USMLE seven year rule.
5. Carlos Del Rio, M.D. – Advise him, he is not eligible for licensure at this time as the law requires 3 years of post graduate training or Board certification.
6. Ilie Barb, M.D. - Advise him, he is not eligible for licensure at this time as the law requires 3 years of post graduate training or Board certification. Unless he has been certified by the Internal Medicine Board, then the application will be reviewed.
7. Ahlam Khalil, M.D. – Deny his request to accept another State’s certified copy of the medical school transcripts.
8. W.D.T. - Allow to withdraw his application.
9. Place the following licenses on Administrative Hold for failure to complete physician profiles:
60239 59576 59565 59323

Other Business:

1. AJ - Deny wavier request, and refer to Impairment when reinstatement application is received.

Teacher’s License:

1. Jasin, Michael

Approved Reinstatements:

1. Asad, Syed
2. Dedo, William
3. Gupta, Naren
4. Hergenroeder, Patrick
5. Kasi, Vijaykumar
6. Montgomery, Sean
7. Morton, William
8. Parihar, Prem
9. Perry, Alvis
10. Sackett, James R
11. Schatten, Samuel
12. Simmons, Duncan
13. Taylor, Jaehneth
14. Vercler, Christian
15. Wittum, Roger

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- 16. Wolff, Richard
- 17. Yaldo, Mazin

Approved Applications for licensure without restriction:

60904	Intsiful, Harry Hubertus	MD
60905	Ivker, Joshua Daniel	MD
60906	Jacobson, Leslie Sue	MD
60907	Jagadeesh, Simha Vivek	MD
60908	Jennings, Noelle Leigh	DO
60909	Johnson, Andre Revna	MD
60910	Jordan, Jamie Ryan	MD
60911	Kamdar, Apur Ramesh	MD
60912	Kanagala, Sujani	DO
60913	Kang, Larry	MD
60914	Kennedy, Kara Leann	DO
60915	Khomani, Abderrahim	MD
60916	Khoury, Aysha Hannah	MD
60917	Kurdi, Mostafa	MD
60918	Kusuma, Sharat K.	MD
60919	Lashley, James Eric	MD
60920	Lawson, Rebecca Lynn	MD
60921	Lee, Sung Bae	MD
60922	LePor, Scott Eric	DO
60923	Lewis, Barbara Tennille	MD
60924	Lewis, Jason Talmadge	MD
60925	Liebman, Spencer Todd	MD
60926	Loewen, Jonathan Mark	MD
60927	Lott, Michael S.	MD
60928	Lueg, Margaret Bishop	MD
60929	Lund, Lidiya Longinivna	MD
60930	Mackie, Benjamin D.	MD
60931	Madani, Kamyar	MD
60932	Magee, Kristin Hendren	MD
60933	Marino, James Thomas	MD
60934	Messick, Jr., Chester Ashley	MD
60935	Metts, Brent Alan	MD
60936	Meyer, David Benjamin	MD
60937	Mitchell, Kenneth Paul	MD
60938	Modi, Surbhi	MD
60939	Mondi, Kelley Velinda	MD
60940	Mondi, Matthew Michael	MD
60941	Morris, II, Michael Tyrone	MD
60942	McChesney, Jason Paul	MD
60943	McCluskey, Jessica Durel	MD

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60944	McIntosh, Nichole Faith	MD
60945	McLean, Melaine Angelique	MD
60946	Nashat, Muqsita	MD
60947	Neau, Yvonne Sophie	MD
60948	Niaz, Faiz Ehsan	MD
60949	Nyarko, Stanley J.	MD
60950	Odujebe, Oladapo Ayotunde	MD
60951	O'Neal, Kenneth	MD
60952	Overbeeke, Cornell Jacobus	MD
60953	Owonikoko, Taofeek Kunle	MD
60954	Palac, Susan M.	MD
60955	Pandey, Ajitabh	MD
60956	Pandya, Tanya Oberoi	DO
60957	Parikh, Chirag	MD
60958	Parkey, Joe Ed	MD
60959	Parvani, Johnny Gopichand	MD
60960	Patel, Ankit Dilip	MD
60961	Pauli, Natalie Penelopy	MD
60962	Pauli, Samuel Allen	MD
60963	Pearce, Jeffrey David	MD
60964	Perera, Ganesha Boniface	MD
60965	Pettis, Christopher Ryan	MD
60966	Popa, Ileana	MD
60967	Prakash Chand, Sunil Kumar	MD
60968	Ndem, Imo Friday	MD
60969	Moskowitz, Edward James	MD
60970	Quadrat , Otakar	MD
60971	Rachedi, Martha Pia	MD
60972	Rahman, Aamer	MD
60973	Ramshur, Scott Jarrett	MD
60974	Rawls, Benjamin Ellis	MD
60975	Reshamwala, Preeti Ambrish	MD
60976	Richardson-O'Neal, Lorrie Ann	MD
60977	Rivera, Felix Gabriel	MD
60978	Rund, Chad Richard	DO
60979	Sackeyfio, Robyn	MD
60980	Samuel, Susan	MD
60981	Santos, Melanie Rena	MD
60982	Sarwar, Zahir Uddin	MD
60983	Satija, Sameer	MD
60984	Satterfield, Eric Lee	DO
60985	Schmotzer, Christine Louise	MD
60986	See, Joel Bryant	MD
60987	Shah, Kartik Jitendra	MD
60988	Sharma, Deepti	MD

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60989	Shy, Joe Allen	DO
60990	Singapuri, Mohammed Salman	MD
60991	Singh, Kimberly Ann	MD
60992	Smith, Mitchell Todd	MD
60993	Smith, Peter Raymond	MD
60994	Sobers, Alicia Samantha	MD
60995	Springer, Robert Montgomery	MD
60996	Staib, Jr., Neil Edward	MD
60997	Stillwell, Peter Mackey	MD
60998	Stokes, Steven Holt	MD
60999	Strauss, Peter Glen	MD
61000	Street, Candra Lanette	MD
61001	Strong, Jacob Andrew	MD
61002	Sulton-Villava, Carmen Denease	MD
61003	Syed. Irfan Ali	MD
61004	Tadros, Yousef Ebeid	MD
61005	Taerri, Matteo	MD
61006	Tally, Toby Cohen	MD
61007	Taylor, Bernard Gyewu	MD
61008	Temino, Viviana Maria	MD
61009	Thanawala, Siddhartha Shirish	MD
61010	Trawick, Jamik Warren	MD
61011	Turner, Patricia Youngblood	MD
61012	Tyler, Nikkia Faith	MD
61013	Vanderveldt, Stephanie Lynn	MD
61014	Walker, Forrest Blake	MD
61015	Walson, Karen Hallermeier	MD
61016	Warmouth, Grant Blvd	MD
61017	Wasti, Nadia Azam	MD
61018	Welch-Philp, Sharon Yvonne	MD
61019	Welden, III, James Maxwell	MD
61020	Wingo, Thomas Spurgeon	MD
61021	Wolfson, Bud Louis	MD
61022	Woodard, Michelle Henderson	MD
61023	Yamamoto, Christopher James	MD
61024	Yamamoto, Joni Loree	MD
61025	Zhang, Michael Yu	MD
61026	Abramson, Richard Glenn	MD
61027	Ali, Ijaz	MD
61028	Alvarez-Paiva, Gustavo	MD
61029	Aly, Sarfraz	MD
61030	Anderson, Kenneth Albert	MD
61031	Angeles-Hans, Sheila Therese	MD
61032	Artikov, Shukhrat N	MD
61033	Atkins, Edward John	MD

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61034	Au, Michelle	MD
61035	Ayubi, Farhan Shoaib	DO
61036	Azrak, Muhammad Fuad	MD
61037	Bain, Kathryn Virginia	MD
61038	Baker, III, Champ Leroy	MD
61039	Balogh, Noemi Csilla	MD
61040	Bardwell, Steven John	DO
61041	Berry, Garland Keith	MD
61042	Bhatt, Nehal Kireet	MD
61043	Bhavaraju, Avinash Visweswar	MD
61044	Bone, Placid Anissa	MD
61045	Border, William Lewis	MD
61046	Boyd, Charles Edward	MD
61047	Brown, Jennifer Lynn	MD
61048	Budhani, Irfan Bahadurali	MD
61049	Canepa, Elizabeth Anne	MD
61050	Cannon, Jesse Benjamin	MD
61051	Carter, Thomas Joseph	DO
61052	Chemin, III, Louis Oved	MD
61053	Clifton, Maurice Smith	MD
61054	Co, Carter Go	MD
61055	Coffin, David Wilson	MD
61056	Cooper, Lynn Dwayne	MD
61057	Craven, Nicole Jean	MD
61058	Day, James Daniel	MD
61059	De Young, Zachariah Matthew	MD
61060	Diamond, Steven Marvin	DO
61061	Dickerson, Jill Burnett	MD
61062	Dommm, Aaron Benjamin	MD
61063	Elbaage, Thar Yahya Yasir	MD
61064	Epstein, Lee Brandon	MD
61065	Fielder, Odicie Okeda	MD
61066	Finley, Alan Christopher	MD
61067	Fisher, Brian Lee	MD
61068	Fisher, Julian	MD
61069	Flores, Luis Angel	MD
61070	Floyed, Rebecca Lynn	MD
61071	Fraser, John Alexander	MD
61072	Fundyler, Olga Yefimovna	MD
61073	Gardner, Vincent W.	MD
61074	Garg, Naveen	MD
61075	Geringer, Casey Christine	DO
61076	Ghegan, Joanna Chandler	MD
61077	Goldman, Tracy E.	DO
61078	Gonzalez, Froylan Claudio	MD

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61079	Green, David Emerson	MD
61080	Greenhawt, Matthew Jason	MD
61081	Guerdan, Mark Carroll	MD
61082	Guerriere-Kovach, Pamela Marie	MD
61083	Gullick, Jr., Richard Anderson	MD
61084	Haider, Syed Adnan	MD
61085	Hancock, William F.	MD
61086	Hooman, Harooni	MD
61087	Harp, Jamil A.	MD
61088	Hodach, Richard John	MD
61089	Holman, Taryn Renee	MD
61090	Hoo, Charles	MD
61091	Howard, Alyssia Nicole	MD

Residency Training Permits:

Emory School of Medicine;

1. Ali, Sarfraz
2. Bhaskara Pillai, Jain
3. Castillano, James
4. Kalingiam Vasudevan, Padmapriya
5. Koppala, Rajah
6. Martin, Emily
7. Mohiuddin, Monika
8. Nooka, Ajay
9. Patel, Akash
10. Riva Posse, Patricio
11. Rao, Ravi
12. Sandberg, Lars Johan Marcus
13. Saleem, Shadi
14. Tuscano, Daymen

Children's Healthcare of Atlanta;

1. Willimon, Samuel

Medical College of Georgia;

1. Aggarwal, Gitika
2. Kumar, Vikas

Floyd Family Medicine Residency;

1. Warraich, Kanwarjit

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NURSE PROTOCOL COMMITTEE

Dr. Kamath presented the Committee report for the Nurse Protocol Committee Dr. Butler moved to accept the Committee recommendations with changes. Dr. Weil seconded and it carried unanimously.

Other Business:

1. The Board reviewed and accepted the following revised materials:
 1. Nurse Practitioner Checklist
 2. Annual Update Letter
 3. Annual Update Follow-up Letter

1. The Board approved to formally invite the Program Director of the Emory Emergency Nurse Practitioner Program to discuss their program with the Committee at a future meeting.

2. The Board and AG discussed the issue of pending registrations of “when prescriptive authority actually begins”. The board approved that as long as it was filed in a reasonable time frame; which is three months.

3. The Board discussed Protocol Agreements that have been received in the office and no other action has been taken by physician or NP. The board approved to send a letter to the NP advising that agreements are incomplete and allow three months to correct. After that time, the board will revisit. The board recommended that the committee present to the full Board an intervention plan at the June board meeting.

Nurse Protocol Agreements accepted:

APRN

Susan Baran
 Tammy Barnett
 Monica Bertram
 Kelli Black
 Jennifer Cantrell
 Susan Clymer
 Sarah Conklin
 Debra Cooper
 Paula Cooper-McQueen
 Gina Duggar
 Charlotte Ekard
 Susan Eldred
 Kathryn Foley
 Kathryn Foley

PHYSICIAN

Eduard Docu, MD
 Julian McLendon, Jr., MD
 John West, MD
 Russell Wagner, MD
 Robert Thomson, MD
 Charles Brown, III, MD
 Julian McLendon, Jr., MD
 John Schilling, MD
 Jonathan Ehrlich, MD
 Bradley Larson, MD
 Corliss Rupp, MD
 David Kunz, MD
 Michael Allen, MD
 Catherine Dekle, MD

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Kathryn Foley	Michael Huey, MD
Kathryn Foley	Lisa Lefkovits, MD
Kathryn Foley	Dawn Mielke, MD
Kathryn Foley	Carol Rappaport, MD
Margaret Fraher	Michael Allen, MD
Margaret Fraher	Catherine Dekle, MD
Margaret Fraher	Michael Huey, MD
Margaret Fraher	Lisa Lefkovits, MD
Margaret Fraher	Dawn Mielke, MD
Margaret Fraher	Carol Rappaport, MD
Wendy Fuller	Kevin Lanclos, MD
Cindy Gilbert	Frank Newby, MD
Belinda Herring	Mahaveer Vakharia, MD
Nikisha Jones	Charles Brown, III, MD
Courtenay Lanier	Frank Steele, Jr., MD
Peggy Lowe	Tod Bethea, MD
Margaret Lyden	Walter Mashman, MD
Cynthia Martin	Kathleen Long, MD
Scott Mathis	Donald Waters, MD
Wanda McDaniel	Michael Fortson, MD
Tatum Mealing	Charles Brown, III, MD
Cynthia Milstead	William Godfrey, MD
Alice Nivens	Eduard Docu, MD
Jacqueline Odum	Andrew Green, MD
John Pettay	John West, MD
Linnea Pilcher	Syamala Erramilli, MD
Deborah Prather	Julian McLendon, Jr., MD
Tangella Russell	Thippeswamy Murthy, MD
Julie Sapp	Sandra Kopacz, MD
Cynthia Shuler	Ian Hamilton, Jr., MD
Margaret Singer	Tod Bethea, MD
Marjorie Smith	Michael Fortson, MD
Daniel Smith	Benjamin Andrews, MD
Thomas Strickland	Michael Witt, MD
Linda Denise Tennison	Paul Spiegl, MD
Linda Tuck	Eduard Docu, MD
Sybil Weitzel	Olubunkola Olubi, MD
Shannon Whitten	Bridgett Bailey, DO
Micah Willis	David Ferner, MD

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ORTHOTIST & PROSTHETIST ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. Butler presented the report for the Orthotist & Prosthetist Advisory Committee. Dr. Summer seconded the Committee recommendations and it carried.

Approved Applicants for Orthotist License:

1. Chen, Eric
2. Moore, Don

Other Business:

1. The Board approved the Committee recommendation to revisit upgrading single licensure to dual licensure at the June 2008 board meeting. . This will include revision of the rules, laws and application.
2. The Board discussed creating an O&P Reinstatement Application

PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANT ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

Dr. Sumner presented the report for the Physician's Assistant Advisory Committee. Dr. Lewis seconded the committee recommendations and it carried.

Approved Additional Duty Requests

1. Pinto, Shawn-placement of central venous catheters, placement/insertion of chest tubes, insertion of arterial lines
2. Steahr, Gregg-insert, manage, change-out intra-aortic balloon pump catheters in the presence of supervising physician/alternate physician(s), cardioversion

Additional Duties Requests Denied:

1. Bryson, William-advise part of basic job description
2. Lowman, Barrie-reapply with appropriate forms & clarification

Tabled Additional Duties Requests pending clarification:

1. Renner, Courtney (4)
2. Darby, Lisa (8)
3. Weeden, Jeffrey (8)
4. Wiegert, Michael (8)

Interview:

1. T. M.-reschedule for June 5, 2008 meeting

Other Business:

1. Bryan Carter – Approved to allow applicant to withdraw and reapply with each requesting supervising physician to include documents of physician training and clarification of duties
2. K.H., PA – Approved to invite for an interview for clarification of requested additional duties.

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3. 20080793 - Approved to refer to AG's office for a consent order mirroring North Carolina. Kathy Kemle recused
4. Reviewed the add/change request for PA, Cedric Johnson with Lloydstone Jacobs II, MD and approved with quarterly reports for one year due to PA being out of practice for a year.
5. Regarding an email from Doug Blazer questioning eligibility of licensure with felony. Advise it is at the board's discretion whether or not the applicant would be approved when they would apply for the license as certain felonies may be a cause for denial.
6. Regarding an article from Money Magazine advising of career ranks for Physician Assistants . For information only.
7. Regarding an email concerning PA's and GA Drugs & Narcotic Agency. Board approved to table until June's Board Meeting after consulting with Pharmacy Board and Board Attorney for information on PA Script Changes.
8. The Board reviewed the committee recommendations concerning the PA Volunteer Application and Rules. Approved for Ms. Carolanne Redfearn PA-C will revise and present at the June Meeting.
9. The Board reviewed the Committee recommendations concerning PA Renewal Questions and approved to revise the questionnaire to include specific documentation of required CEUs Pharmaceuticals for which a PA has prescriptive order privileges (exception for AA's).
10. Board reviewed the Committee recommendations concerning Random Audits and approved to make the requirements the same as physicians.

Applicants who have passed an exam and are requesting licensure

PA/Name	Phy/Name
Neeraja Annavaram	Suresh Shah, MD
Vishal Bakshi	Ken Melby, MD
Elizabeth Biggar	William Bostock, DO
Karen Bouchard	John Northup, MD
Larry Canfield	Brian Kornblatt, MD
Amanda Clement	Jonathan Woody, MD
Joseph Ernst	James Smart, MD
Linda Fernekes	Claus Brandigi, MD
Heather Forrest	Keith Blanks, DO
Scott Geer	Nydia Bladuell, MD
Chasity Geiger	Thomas Newton, MD
Christi Gibson	Michael Sharkey, MD
Matthew Hale	Kevin Ammar, MD
Kimberly Howe	Donald Browning, MD
Steven James	Alma Parker II, MD
Robert Johnson	Luis Murrain, DO
Felicia Kennicott	John Gerguis, MD
LaToya Lyles	Sarah Barr, MD

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Shawna Morse	Sidney Washington, MD
Memorie Nichols	Thaddeus Fabian, MD
Irina Pichkhadze	Samuel Charukhuchian, MD
Andrew Ray	Jeffrey Eason, DO
Amanda San U	Bradley Noon, MD
Michael Simmons	Robert Balsley, MD
Gabriel Smith	Sarah Mack, MD
Jonathan Thornton	Bradley Heiges, MD
Brian Thorpe	Christopher Nicholson, MD
Amanda Williamson	April Hartman, MD
Jennifer Wood	Sarah Mack, MD

Approved Applicants who are either changing jobs or requesting an additional physician(8 indicates additional physician).

PA/Name	Previous Phy	Phy/Name
Aimee Abide	Robert Guyton, MD	Jerrold Levy, MD
Lydia Alexander	Cadet McArthur, MD	Joseph Fowlkes, MD*
Stifanus Almedom	Melanie Cooper, MD	Chandar Bhimani, MD
Annie Andrews-Bodi	Bruce Burns, MD	Cherilyn Zellner, MD
Richard Ball	Leli Matthews, MD	William Crawford, MD
Kizuwanda Blackburne	Carol Odegaard, MD	Davina Dansby, MD *
Daphne Blakley	Melanie Cooper, MD	Chandar Bhimani, MD
William Boswell	Paige King, MD	Sue Han, MD *
Scott Brennan	Robert Nesbit, MD	William Grist, MD
Edwina Biron	Vincent Maffei, MD	Ulfur Gudjonsson, MD
Robert Bradford	Todd West, MD	Timothy Daniel, MD*
Laura Carlson	William Brown, MD	Mohammad Wehbi, MD
Rozella Clark	George Costanzo, MD	Lansing Hillman, MD
Landis Coffee	Douglas Moss, MD	Charles Sanderlin, Jr. MD *
Amanda Culp	Murray Hirsh, MD	Brian Kinder, MD
Lisa Darby	Bruce Alayof, MD	William Knapp, MD
Logoi Davis	Susan Margletta, MD	Rahim Gul, MD *
Rae DeWoody	Stephen Holbrook, MD	Viola Skandalakis, MD *
David Didier	Bobby Crocker, MD	Charles Clopton, Jr. MD
Wright Easterlin	James Polhill, MD	Lisa Counsell, MD
John Farrior	James Polhill, MD	Lisa Counsell, MD
Dawn Ferrer	Mark Duetsch, MD	James Moulton, MD
Dawn Ferrer	Mark Duetsch, MD	Lynn Zahner, MD
Dawn Ferrer	Mark Duetsch, MD	Alan Gerber, MD
Dawn Ferrer	Mark Duetsch, MD	Ajay Kumar, MD
Dawn Ferrer	Mark Duetsch, MD	Bryon Dickerson, MD
Dawn Ferrer	Mark Duetsch, MD	Steven Salmieri, MD
Dawn Ferrer	Mark Duetsch, MD	Jacqueline Castagno, MD

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Dawn Ferrer	Mark Duetsch, MD	Douglas Nyhoff, MD
Jerrie Freeman	Philip Kennedy, MD	Elipidio Stincer, MD
John Fullick	Ana Perez, MD	Brett Murphy-Dawson, MD
Melissa Fussell	Ishtiaq Khan, MD	Nitasha Burney, MD*
Ricky Garland	Roy Baker, MD	Brian Kornblatt, MD
Jamie Gimpelson	Steven Morris, MD	Christopher Brown, MD
Antonio Gomes	Ishtiaq Khan, MD	Nitasha Burney, MD*
Edward Grant	Damon Kimes, MD	Alexander Reid, MD
Mark Green	Debra Lister, MD	Charles Cowart, MD *
Carla Harris	William Weaver, MD	Jason Smith, MD *
Kendall Harris	Kamela Coleman, MD	Ellen Boney, MD
Daniel Hamlin	William Weirs, MD	Jonathan Thompson, MD
Holly Harrison	Michael Lynch, MD	Connie Dupre, MD
Latoya Haynes	James Hagler, MD	Anthony Ditaranto, MD *
Michael Hickey	Robert Hibler, MD	David Van, MD
Beth Howard	Susan Tanner, MD	Adebukola Akintoye, MD
Tommy Jackson	Lynn Hyland, MD	Evander Fogle, MD *
Tommy Jackson	Ward Houck, MD	Milan Patel, MD *
Tamera Jett-Palmer	Sarah Ghayouri, MD	Susan Tanner, MD
Gary Jones	Timur Kilic, MD	William Dablah, MD
Anne Jordan	Isaac Adiele, MD	Nimisha Trivedi, MD
Claty Kelley	James Bailey, MD	Thomas Francis, MD
Namita Kumar	Ronald Reagan, MD	Eileen Niren, MD
Rhonda Leake	Keith Buchanan, MD	Vida Skandalakis, MD
Christopher Manzone	Hyun Cho, MD	David Greenstein, MD
Lena Mark	David Reeder, MD	Bogdan Buczulinski, MD
Lisa Marquardt	Stanley Jagielski, MD	Alyssa Dayton, MD
Leonard Martin	Robert Sperrazza, MD	Daniel Joseph, MD
Denise McBroom	Vincent Greico, MD	Thomas Danello, MD
Nancy McLaughlin	Michael Hartman, MD	Brian Howard, MD
Bryan Moore	Parick McElhone, MD	Ellen Boney, MD
Michelle Morante	Timothy Simon, MD	Alan Gerber, MD
Angela Neale	Mark Lembach, MD	Donald Davis, MD
Kimberly Newton	Charles Finch, MD	Eric Fishman, MD
Jean-Gerald Nougaisse	Michael Clark, MD	Milan Patel, MD *
Jean-Gerald Nougaisse	David Armstrong, MD	Evander Fogle, MD *
Sandra Parsons	Alan Nagel, MD	Richard Trent Jr., MD
Hiral Patel	Thomas Byrnes, MD	John Floyd, MD
Shalonda Pettis	Frank Lockwood, MD	William Taunton, MD *
John Pham	Steven Brantley, MD	Glenn Kerwin, MD *
Shawn Pinto	Michael O'Reilly, MD	Michael Mooney, MD
Michael Pointer	Frank Saucier, MD	Marc Goldman, MD
Ray Polk	Alma Parker, MD	Gerald Binkley, MD*
Winifred Register	Alan Nagel, MD	Richard Trent, Jr. MD

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Carrie Reid	Richard Wherry, MD	Mohamad Kassem, MD *
Lanita Reid	Biren Joshi, MD	Duane Moores, MD
Billy Roberts	Willie Bell, MD	Duane Moores, MD
Joan Sanders	Milanieva LaTorre, MD	Chandana Prabhudev, MD
Steven Schwartz	Philip Cannon, MD	Gordon Peltier, MD
Haley Scouten	Kenneth Jones, MD	Bryan Piedaad, MD
Felicia Slaton	Alfred Jenkins, MD	Ronald Steis, MD
Catherine Simonsen	Akiko Ando, MD	Gary Siegel, MD
Chauntina Smith	Peter Wyonan, MD	Oladayo Osinuga, MD
Laura F. Smith	Felix Sogade, MD	Winston Gandy Jr., MD
John Steinkraus	James Bailey, MD	Wilmer Bradley, MD
Jason Thomas	Jonathan Clayton, MD	Richard Lodise, MD
Lori Tilton	Ronald Hart, MD	Kevin Adams, MD
Shawn Tywon	Jonathan Parrott, MD	Douglas Moss, MD*
David Weil	Nakeshia Brown, MD	Thomas Jones, MD*
Marie White	Bennie White, M.D.	Carol Odegaard, MD
Michael Wiegert	William Jacobs, MD	William Knapp, MD
Sonya Winborne	Roy Brownlow, MD	Martha Schuh, MD

RESPIRATORY CARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

Dr. Summers presented the report for the Respiratory Care Advisory Committee. Dr. Perry seconded the committee recommendations and it carried unanimously.

Approved Applicants for a 12 month permit:

1. Blake, Mia
2. Bogale, Amare
3. Coleburn, Tamara
4. Desta, Dawit
5. Eshleman, Brandon- pending additional information
6. Fetene, Almaz
7. Fryman, Wendy- pending additional information
8. Kim, Hyin Jung
9. Patel, Avani
10. Walker, Javonne
11. Zhoa, Wencui- pending additional information

Approved Applicants for an 18 month permit:

1. Autry Chandra
2. Morris, Kristina- pending additional information
3. Reighley, Jennifer

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Approved Applicants for an 18 month permit pending graduation:

Columbus Tech: 06-08

1. Bell, Cameron
2. Boley, Amy
3. Cochran, Vickie
4. Johnston, Michael
5. Matthew, Ginger
6. Medlin, Tonia
7. Smith, Cora

Coosa Valley: 06-08

1. Earl, Rachel
2. Edwards, Lee Ann
3. Etheridge, Caleb
4. Evans, Carla
5. Garraud, Louisette
6. Hughey, Jennifer
7. Leslie, Althea
8. McKinney, Tonya
9. Milsap, Melinda
10. Nation, Reanna
11. Purdy, Lisa Marie
12. Speck, Christopher
13. Stephens, Cory
14. Teal, Angie
15. Weems, Anita
16. Whitehead, Diana

Darton College: 05-08

1. Arnett, Recardo
2. Beamon, Brandy
3. Cribb, Amanda
4. Dupre, Tamara
5. Evans, Lisa
6. Fitzpatrick, Nancy
7. Franklin, Tieca
8. Graham, Pamela
9. Greene, Tomeaka
10. Greer, Tammu
11. Knight, Kirstian
12. Moore, Robin
13. Purifoy, William
14. Register, Carrie
15. Walters, Sabrina

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16. White, Calencia- pending additional information
17. Wilson, Lisa

Gwinnett Tech: 06-08

1. Bannister, Martha
2. Bibrowski, Michelle
3. Bolton, Xavier
4. Cronic, Laura
5. Dickey, Leigh
6. Henderson, Latanzia
7. Patel, Meghaben
8. Perry, Kimberly
9. Morris, Erin
10. Quarles, Jackie
11. Thompson, Aretha

Macon State: 05-08

1. Davis, Marquita
2. Etheridge, Derrell
3. Flickinger, Heather
4. Fordham, Lisa
5. Hattaway, Jeremy
6. Thomas, Larry
7. Williams, Kimberly

Medical College of Georgia: 05-08

1. Dizon, Richard
2. Fincher, Caitlin
3. Flowers, Barbara
4. Graham, Jamie
5. Hunter, Tunisia
6. Jones, Laura
7. Kiser, Jason
8. Musgrove, Susan
9. Odom, Keshunda
10. Simmons, Nelson
11. Sumner, Libby
12. Tanovic, Vildana
13. Vangelder, Christine
14. Youngblood, Mary

Approved Applicants for full licensure by Reciprocity:

1. Butler, Darold

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2. Buzon, Ernestp
3. Buzon, Sonia
4. Fowler, Sandra
5. Jones, Diana
6. Lee, Joseph
7. Lozaono, Daniel
8. Skariah, Joicy- pending NPDB Report
9. Stapleton, Patrick
10. Wood, Kathy

Approved Applicants for Reinstatement:

1. Mumford, Jafarris
2. Pinkey, Dee
3. Thomas, George- pending additional information
4. Yeager, Julie

Approved Applicants for licensure:

1. Abdullaeva, Lumila
2. Bain, Jeremy
3. Bryant, LaShawnda
4. Hinds, Lauren
5. Howell, Kellie
6. Jones, April
7. Klearman, Jeana
8. Lane, Tracy
9. MacRae, Kevin
10. McCullough, Joshua
11. Meeks, Christy
12. Melton, Stephany
13. Polanco-Rodriguez, Diana
14. Presley, Joel
15. Roberts, James
16. Sasser, G. Ross
17. Sharpton, Celese
18. Soles, Tracy
19. Townsend, Laise
20. Werth, Thomas
21. Yesuf, Aida

Applicants tabled pending additional information:

1. Dempsay, Joan- clarification of duties
2. Harvey, Marilyn- clarification of duties

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Other Business:

1. Discussion of CEU Audits will be revisited at the June 2008 Meeting
2. LaTeisha Allen - The Board approved her request, granting an extension to the temporary permit until October 31, 2008.
3. Reviewed comments regarding online CEU's and approved to refer to the Rules Committee.

LAW ENFORCEMENT ACTION REPORT

Janet Wray, Senior Assistant Attorney General presented the following for the Board. Dr. Summers moved to go into Closed Session to discuss investigative/disciplinary matters. Dr. Butler seconded and it carried unanimously.

After the Board's deliberation Dr. Cheeks declared Open Session.

Dr. Kamath moved to approve the following recommendation. Dr. Lee seconded and it carried unanimously.

1. Regarding a request from Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency for a copy of investigative file 20030262. Approved to share a copy of investigative file 20030262 with the Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency.

Dr. Perry moved to approve the following recommendations. Dr Weil seconded and it carried unanimously.

2. AH, M.D. – Accepted Private Agreement not to Practice.
3. RB, M. D. – Accepted Private Agreement not to Practice.
4. Mark Durden, IV, M.D. – Approved Public Voluntary Cease and Desist Order.
5. Kathleen Gil ore, M.D. – Approved Public Consent Order.
6. Kevin Edmond, M.D. – Approved Public Consent Order

Dr. Lee moved to approve the following recommendation. Dr. Perry seconded and it carried unanimously.

7. Chun Yee Ng, M.D. – Approved Public Consent Order.

Dr. Perry moved to approve the following recommendation. Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

8. Ronald Beck, M.D. – Accept Inactive Status.

Dr. Kamath moved to approve the following recommendation. Dr. Gross seconded and it carried unanimously.

9. 20070793 – Close

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Dr. Summer moved to approve the following recommendation. Dr. Perry seconded and it carried unanimously. (Dr. Butler recused)

10. 20041346 – 20050585 – Close and require paper renewal application.

Dr. Lee moved to approve the following recommendation. Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

11. Wade M Smith, M.D. requests the Board to remove his public order from his record and have the matter re-addressed. Advise subject that executed orders are final and the Board does not wish to re-address the matter.

Dr. Butler moved to approve the committee recommendation. Dr. White seconded and it carried unanimously.

12. Regarding a request from the Alabama Medical board and Alabama AG's Office for a copy of our case file 20051176. Board approved request to share a copy of the file with the Alabama Medical Board and Alabama AG's Office.

Dr. Summers moved to approve the committee recommendations. Dr. White seconded and it carried unanimously.

- 13 Ervin Wells, M.D. – Approved Public Consent Order.
14. William Sutlive, M.D. – Approved Public Consent Order for reinstatement.

Dr. Kamath moved to approve the committee recommendation. Dr. Lee seconded and it carried unanimously

15. Sean Montgomery, M.D. – Approved Public Consent Order.

Dr. Perry moved to approve the committee recommendation. Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

16. Gerald Dariah, M.D. – Regarding a memo from the AG's office requesting permission to dismiss the pending Matters Asserted at OSAH since the respondent's license lapsed on 12/31/05 and is now revoked by operation of law. Board approved AG's request.

Dr. Summers moved to approve the committee recommendation. Dr. Perry seconded and it carried unanimously.

17. 20041674 – Table until the June 2008 Board meeting.

Dr. Perry moved to approve the committee recommendation. Dr. Summers seconded and it carried unanimously.

18. Jessica Lee – Allow application to expire and revisit when/if she re-applies.

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Dr. Lee moved to approve the committee recommendation. Dr. Kamath seconded and it carried unanimously.

19. 20080412 = Refer to Investigations for further investigation to see if still practicing and in treatment; if out of treatment bring for summary suspension.

Dr. Gross moved to approve the committee recommendation. Dr. Perry seconded and it carried unanimously.

20. Kevin Hicks, D.O. – Approved Public Consent Order and refer investigative file to Chiropractic Board.

IMPAIRMENT COMMITTEE

Dr. Summers presented the report of the Impairment Committee. Dr Lewis moved to go into Closed Session to discuss investigative/disciplinary action. Dr. Roundtree seconded and it carried unanimously. After the Board's deliberation, Dr. Cheeks declared Open Session. Dr. Summers moved to approve the following recommendations. Dr. Sumner seconded and it carried.

1. 20080822 – Table pending tapering of suboxone maintenance and possible unlicensed practice.
2. 20041658 – Table
3. 20060150 – Letter of Concern regarding inappropriate use of narcotics.
4. 20070964 – Refer to AG's to lift suspension under a Public Consent Order and place on probation with terms and conditions.
5. 20080664 – Refer to AG's for Public Consent Order with terms and conditions.
6. 20080831 – Table pending further investigation. Bring back to Committee at the June 08 meeting.
7. Andrew Dekle, MD – Terminate probation.
8. Antonio Luis, MD – Approved amendment to Public Consent Order.
9. James E. Fugedy MD – Close with Letter of Concern about timely compliance with terms of probation.
10. 20080483 – Advise must have residential or inpatient evaluation.

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INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. Summers moved to go into Closed Session to discuss Investigative/Disiplinary Matters.
Dr. Lee seconded and it carried.

Dr. Cheeks declared Open Session.

Dr. Roundtree presented the Investigative Committee Report. Dr. Gross seconded and it carried unanimously.

REFER TO AG'S OFFICE

20050875 20070470 20070693 20071028 20080726 20081059

CLOSE

20061099 20070601 20071232 20071345 20071397 20071473
 20071474 20080069 20080097 20080267 20080273 20080383
 20080395 20080396 20080414 20080444 20080477 20080491
 20080494 20080576 20080596 20080634 20080674 20080681
 20080722 20080748 20080785 20080786 20080787 20080830
 20080846 20080853 20080856 20080865 20080906 20080907
 20080908 20080926 20080947 20080999 20081021 20081023
 20081068 20081073 20081095

20080145 (Butler recused)
 20080386 (Sumner & White recused)
 20080387 (Sumner recused)
 20080388 (Sumner recused)
 20080390 (Sumner recused)
 20080520 (Kamath recused)
 20080633 (Kamath & Cheeks recused)
 20080654 (Butler recused)
 20080961 (Roundtree, White & Woolery recused)

CLOSE WITH LETTER OF CONCERN

20080655 20080712 20080727 20080729 20080740 20081038

INTERVIEW

20070836 20080329 20080475 20080652 20080653 20080750
 20080758 20080772 20080912 20080974 20081022
 20080760 (Kamath and Cheeks recused)

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20071289

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20070251	20070664	20071289	20071429	20071430	20080645
20080671	20080833	20081057	20081060	20081101	

TERMINATE PROBATION

1. 20041020 (Private)
2. Bruce Rex Schoolcraft, Lic. No. 41945

CEASE & DESIST LETTER ISSUED

20080906

DENY REQUEST

4950200 20071138

Initial Malpractice Evaluations

CLOSE

20080605	20080894	20080895	20080958	20081123	20081189
20081190	20081252	20081254			

Initial Complaint Evaluations

CLOSE

20080365	20080463	20080473	20080588	20080602	20080714
20080754	20080878	20080929	20080935	20080989	20081003
20081016	20081040	20081051	20081052	20081054	20081055
20081069	20081070	20081080	20081082	20081085	20081086
20081087	20081088	20081097	20081099	20081100	20081102
20081104	20081105	20081111	20081113	20081120	20081133
20081134	20081136	20081152	20081157	20081180	20081195
20081201	20081203	20081212	20081220	20081225	20081230
20081263	200871266	20081271			

Investigative Interview Recommendations

CLOSE

20071217	20080437	20070987	20080537	20080858	20080201
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20080584 (Woolery recused)
20080607 (Woolery recused)

CLOSE WITH LETTER OF CONCERN

20080425 20080642
20080680 (Roundtree recused)
20080172 (Woolery recused)
20080482 (Kamath and Cheeks recused)

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20080694 20070865 20081090 20071434 20080593 20080416
20070777 (Woolery, Roundtree & White recused)

REFER TO AG'S OFFICE

20080253 20080809

TABLE

20081065 20080247 20080659

RULES COMMITTEE

Dr. Cheeks presented the report for the Rules Committee. Dr. Perry seconded the Committee recommendations and it carried.

The Rules Committee is currently reviewing the definition of supervision, but this is what is currently in the Georgia Code.

§16-13-31. Definitions (Reference to controlled substances)

As used in this article, the term:

- (1) "Administer" means the direct application of a controlled substance, whether by injection, inhalation, ingestion, or by any other means, to the body of a patient or research subject by:
 - (A) A practitioner or, in his presence, by his authorized agent; or
 - (B) The patient or research subject at the direction and in the presence of the practitioner.

§ 16-13-70.1 Definition of terms

REVIEW HEARING

The Board conducted a Review Hearing of the Initial Decision in the matter of Totada Shanthaveerappa, M.D., M.D.

The Review was held at the request of the Respondent. Allen Meadors, Hearing Officer, presided over the Review. A court reporter was present to record the proceedings.

Attorney John Larkins presented oral arguments for the Respondent. Dr. Totada Shanthaveerappa, M.D. delivered oral arguments. Amelia Baker Assistant Attorney General, presented oral arguments. The floor was opened for Board members to ask questions.

Dr. Summers motioned to go into Executive Session to deliberate. Dr Perry seconded and it carried unanimously.

Dr. Cheeks declared Open Session.

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Dr. Summers moved to accept the recommended decision of the Administrative Law Judge and make the following decision. The license of the respondent Totada Shanthaveerappa, M.D. is revoked as of May 9, 2008. Dr. Butler seconded and the motion carried. (Dr. Kamath recused)

There being no further business to conduct, Dr. Cheeks moved that the May 8-9, 2008 CSBME meeting be adjourned, Dr. Summers seconded, and it carried unanimously.

Eddie Cheeks., M.D.
President

LaSharn Hughes, MBA
Executive Director

Recorded by Diane Atkinson
Board Secretary