



October 28, 2022, BoDE Public Meeting

Minutes

Dental Examiners Board

Oct 28, 2022 at 2:30 PM EDT

@ OPLC - 7 Eagle Square, Concord, NH 03303 - Meeting in person required - Public Attendance available via Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87485332355?pwd=di9idW10MElqOXROWldrZkp4eUkxZz09>

Attendance

Members Present:

John Giraldo, Puneet Kochhar, Jay Patel, Muhenad Samaan, Lisa Scott, Linda Tatarczuch

Members Absent:

Roger Achong, Howard Ludington, Virginia Kapetanakis Moore

Guests Present:

Dr. Marina Becker, Elizabeth Eaton, Attorney Mark Franco, Nikolas Frye, Investigator Myra Nikitas., OPLC Counsel Marissa Schuetz, Lauren Warner, Jessica Whelehan

Guests Present (Remote):

Shane Goulet

I. Call to Order

"Pursuant to RSA 91-A:2, II, today's Public Session of the NH Board of Dental Examiners meeting is open to the public. The public, whether attending in person or remotely via Zoom, is reminded that the Board is not obligated to allow the public to comment or question. However, the Board is often willing to engage in discussion with members of the public and asks that anyone wishing to speak please raise their hand to first be recognized by the Chair."

Meeting scheduled to begin at 2:30 pm. If a voting member has been allowed to attend remotely, identify that member, have them check that they can clearly hear and be heard, and that they are alone in the room. Note that all votes must be via roll call vote if any voting member is attending remotely.

II. Approval of Public Minutes

Motion:

to approve the public minutes of the 10/14/2022 meeting as presented.

Motion moved by Muhenad Samaan and motion seconded by John Giraldo. Passed. Linda Tatarczuch and Lisa Scott abstained.

III. Public Appearances

A. Hearings - Marina Becker, DMD, Lic #03448

Public Hearing conducted regarding Marina Becker, DMD, Lic #03448.

IV. Non-Public Session

Motion:

to enter non-public session at 4:40PM for the purpose of discussing investigations of alleged licensee misconduct and other confidential Board business. Such a non-public session is authorized by RSA 91-A:3, II (c), RSA 91-A:3 II (e), RSA 91-A:5, IV, Lodge v. Knowlton, 119 N.H. 574 (1978), and the Board's executive and deliberative privileges.

Motion moved by Puneet Kochhar and motion seconded by Lisa Scott. Passed by roll call vote.

V. Resume Public Session

Public session was resumed at 5:14 pm.

VI. Seal the Minutes of the Non-Public Session

"The Board votes to seal the minutes of the non-public session to maintain the privacy of the items discussed in non-public session pursuant to RSA 91-A:3, II (c), on the grounds that public disclosure may adversely affect the reputation of a person other than a Board member or render the proposed action ineffective."

Motion:

Seal the minutes of the non-public session to maintain the privacy of the items discussed in non-public session pursuant to RSA 91-A:3, II (c), on the grounds that public disclosure may adversely affect the reputation of a person other than a Board member or render the proposed action ineffective.

Motion moved by Lisa Scott and motion seconded by Linda Tatarczuch. Motion passed unanimously.

VII. Adjourn meeting

Puneet Kochhar, President, adjourned the meeting at 5:15 pm.