



Athletic Trainers Governing Board-Public

March 21, 2024 at 8:30 AM

7 Eagle Square, Concord, NH 03301

Attendance

Members Present:

Scott Roy, Chair (SR)

Scott Kidder (SK)

Staff Present: Jeanne Webber, Board Administrator; Cassandra Brown, Esq., Board Counsel

I. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 8:33 am with a quorum of the Board present.

II. Approval of Public Minutes

A. February 15, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Motion:

Upon a motion by SK, and a second by SR, the Board voted to approve the minutes as stated; motion passed.

III. Public Appearances - No items

A. Hearings - No Items

IV. OPLC and/or Board Administration Updates

A. NHPHP

Standing agenda item – SR reported that NHATA has information on the NHPHP program and will determine if they would like the Board to initiate participation. Board counsel will follow up if the decision is made to participate.

B. Board Member Confirmation 3/13/2024

Cassandra Snow, Manchester

Succeeding: Kirsty Ridings, Wolfeboro (resigned)

Effective: Upon Confirmation

Term: January 8, 2026

V. Old Business - No Items

VI. Licensure Approval

A. Fast-Track Approvals 2.1.24 through 2.29.24 - No items

VII. Rules Review and other Legislative Topics

A. Plc 313 – Attorney Brown gave an overview of the Plc 313.17 readoption with amendments - Licensure by Endorsement. The Board had no concerns.

B. Plc 200s

To repeal existing chapter 200 administrative rules pursuant to HB 655 and adopt Plc 200 rules. The Board may establish a waiver of substantive rules under the Plc 200s if it wishes. An initial proposal will be presented to the Board at an upcoming meeting.

C. Legislative update - Board Counsel, Cassandra Brown

HB 1676 - establishing a sunset commission to evaluate various occupational boards and commissions, and sunsetting various boards and commissions - referred to interim study

HB 1095 - relative to the official pronunciation of "New Hampshire" and "Concord"

SR - NHATA is considering initiating change to the practice act to broaden the scope of people they can treat; possible future legislation.

D. OPLC Budget – There was a recent budget meeting regarding licensee fees. Director Courtney will submit information to the Board for review at their next meeting and attend to answer any questions the Board may have.

VIII. Non-Public Session

At 8:48 a.m., upon a motion by SK, with a second by SR, the Board voted to conduct a Non-Public session 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.

[Minutes kept separately]

IX. Resume Public Session

Motion:

At 8:51 a.m., upon a motion by SK, with a second by SR, the Board voted to resume public session.

X. Seal the Minutes of the Non-Public Session

Upon a motion by SK, with a second by SR, the Board voted to withhold the minutes of the preceding non-public session from public disclosure pursuant to RSA 91-A:3, III on the grounds that public disclosure would be likely to affect adversely the reputation of a person other than a board member and/or to render the proposed action ineffective.

XI. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:51 am. Next meeting - April 18, 2024 8:30 am