

# FLORIDA | Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology

## **DRAFT MEETING MINUTES**

**April 30, 2014**

**9:00 a.m.**

Renaissance at Seaworld  
6677 Sea Harbor Drive  
Orlando, FL 32821  
(407) 351-32821



Barbara Gaunt-Jaehne, AuD  
**Chair**

Peter Johnson, PhD  
**Vice-Chair**

Christy Robinson  
**Acting Executive Director**

**Wednesday, April 30, 2014**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

Barbara Gaunt-Jaehne, AuD, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m. Those present for all or part of the meeting included the following:

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Barbara Gaunt-Jaehne, AuD, Chair  
Barry Pendry, PhD  
Elena Pizarro-Zeigler, AuD  
K. Paul Boyev, MD

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Peter Johnson, PhD, Vice Chair- excused

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Christy Robinson, Acting Executive Director  
Douglas Dolan, Board Counsel  
Alexandra Alday, Program Operations Administrator  
Marci Poston, Regulatory Specialist II  
Oaj Gilani, PSU  
Sharmin Hibbert, PSU

**COURT REPORTER:**

American Court Reporting  
407-896-1813

**OTHERS PRESENT:**

Penelope Ziegler, MD- PRN

**Please note- the minutes reflect the actual order that items were discussed during the meeting and may deviate from the agenda outline.**

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**Review and Approval of Minutes:**

**Tab 1 - Minutes from the January 22, 2014 General Business Meeting**

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler moved to approve the minutes as presented. Dr. Pendry seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Disciplinary Cases:**

**Tab 2 - Norma Yamile Blandin – Case #2013-06244 – Settlement Agreement**

Allegations of Complaint: 468.1295(1)(g)- violating an order of the board

The respondent was not present or represented by counsel. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler was recused due to participation on the probable cause panel. Ms. Gilani represented the Department and presented the case to the Board.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pendry moved to accept the settlement agreement as presented:

- Reprimand
- Completion of outstanding continuing education required by the previous Final Order within 3 months of this Final Order
- \$100.00 fine to be paid within 30 days of the Final Order
- \$422.74 in costs to be paid within 6 months of the Final Order

Dr. Boyev seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Tab 3 - Samara Glyn – Case #2010-08353 – Settlement Agreement**

Allegations of Complaint: 456.072(1)(c)- convicted of a crime related to the practice; 456.072(1)(l)- filing a false report; 456.072(1)(x)- failing to report a conviction within 30 days

The respondent was not present or represented by counsel. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler was recused due to participation on the probable cause panel. Ms. Gilani represented the Department and presented the case to the Board.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pendry moved to accept the settlement agreement as presented:

- Reprimand
- \$1000.00 fine to be paid within 5 years of the Final Order
- \$3955.96 in costs to be paid within 5 years of the Final Order
- Probation for 6 months to include: indirect supervision, reports and appearance with monitor at the first meeting following commencement of probation

Dr. Boyev seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Tab 4 - Sheryl Styer – Case #2012-01714 – Motion for Determination of Waiver Hearing**

Allegations of Complaint: 468.1295(1)(bb)- violating a law or rule of the Board by violating 468.1225(4); 468.1295(1)(f)- fraud, deceit, negligence, incompetence or misconduct in the practice

Ms. Styer was not present but was represented by Tom Cauffman, Esq. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler was recused due to participation on the probable cause panel. Ms. Gilani represented the Department and presented the case to the Board.

Dr. Pendry moved to find that the respondent was properly served and waived their right to a formal hearing before the board. Dr. Boyev seconded the motion, which passed unanimously. Dr. Pendry moved to adopt the findings of fact as presented in the administrative complaint. Dr. Gaunt-Jaehne seconded the motion, which passed unanimously. Dr. Pendry moved to adopt the agenda materials including the investigative file into evidence. Dr. Gaunt-Jaehne seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

The Board heard testimony from the respondent's attorney. Mr. Cauffman asked the Board to grant a continuance until the July meeting to allow his client to sign a properly drafted disciplinary voluntary relinquishment document.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pendry moved to grant a continuance until the July 2014 meeting.

Dr. Boyev seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Tab 5 - Kimberli Davies – Case #2013-05989 – Voluntary Relinquishment**

Allegations of Complaint: 468.1295(1)(g)- violating an order of the board

The respondent was not present or represented by counsel. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler was recused due to participation on the probable cause panel. Ms. Gilani represented the Department and presented the case to the Board.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pendry moved to accept the voluntary relinquishment. Dr. Boyev seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Tab 6 - Irene Terrero – Case #2013-05539 – Voluntary Relinquishment**

Allegations of Complaint: 468.1295(1)(d)- making or filing a false report; 468.1295(1)(bb)- violating a law or rule of the board; 456.072(1)(a)- deceptive, untrue or fraudulent representations in the practice; 456.072(1)(l)- making or filing a false report; 456.072(1)(m)- making deceptive, untrue or fraudulent representations in the practice; 456.072(1)(dd)- violating a law or rule of the board

The respondent was not present or represented by counsel. Probable cause was waived in this case. Ms. Gilani represented the Department and presented the case to the Board.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Gaunt-Jaehne moved to accept the voluntary relinquishment. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Prosecution Services Report – Oaj Gilani, Esq.:**

**Tab 7 - April 2014 PSU Report**

Ms. Gilani provided an overview of the current caseload statistics for the Board.

**Licensure Appearances – Request for Re-review of Information:**

**Tab 8 - Tatiana Sanchez- Request for Re-review of Assistant Certification Application**

Ms. Sanchez was present without counsel. Javier Zayas served as a translator for the applicant. Ms. Sanchez requested the Board to reconsider their previous Notice of Intent to Deny Application based on a new evaluation from Josef Silney.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler moved to reconsider the previous order. Dr. Pendry seconded the motion, which passed unanimously. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler moved to vacate the previous order. Dr. Pendry seconded the motion, which passed unanimously. Dr. Pendry moved to grant the application for assistant licensure. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Break (15 minutes)**

**Licensure Appearances – Review of Background History:**

**Tab 9 - Jennifer Lynn Carter**

Ms. Sanchez was present without counsel. Dr. Zeigler from PRN was present and provided the Board with an overview of Ms. Carter's current status with PRN.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler moved to grant the application for licensure with the condition that she continue to comply with her PRN contract and recommendations. Dr. Boyev seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Licensure Appearances – Provisional Applicants (Review of Education):**

**Tab 10 - Dayluvi Blanco Baez**

Ms. Baez was present without counsel. Jonathan Guerra served as a translator for the applicant. This application was presented to the Board for review of the education requirements.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pendry moved to approve the application for licensure. Dr. Boyev seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Tab 11 - Liuva Cruz Dugue**

Ms. Dugue was present without counsel. Ms. Alina served as a translator for the applicant. This application was presented to the Board for additional review of the education requirements.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pendry moved to approve the application for licensure. Dr. Boyev seconded the motion, which passed with Dr. Gaunt-Jaehne opposed.

**Tab 12 - Martha O. Garcia**

Ms. Garcia was present without counsel. Yaimi Castillo served as a translator for the applicant. This application was presented to the Board for additional review of the education requirements.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pendry moved to approve the application for licensure. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Tab 13 - Alicia Halberstein**

Ms. Halberstein was present without counsel. This application was presented to the Board for additional review of the education requirements.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Pendry moved to approve the application for licensure. Dr. Gaunt-Jaehne seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Tab 14 - Luz Piedad Rojas**

Ms. Rojas was present without counsel. This application was presented to the Board for review of the education requirements.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Gaunt-Jaehne moved to approve the application for licensure. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Tab 15 - Silvina Scatrut**

Ms. Scatrut was present without counsel. This application was presented to the Board for review of the education requirements. Specifically, the education evaluation provided indicated only 35 hours of graduate level coursework.

**Action Taken:** After much discussion the applicant withdrew her application for the record.

**Break (15 minutes)**

**Tab 16 - Orelve Guerra Torres**

Mr. Torres was present without counsel. Jonathan Guerra served as a translator for the applicant. This application was presented to the Board for review of the education requirements.

**Action Taken:** After discussion, Dr. Boyev moved to approve the application for licensure. Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**General Business / Correspondence:**

**Tab 17 - Approval of 2015 Meeting Dates**

It was the consensus of the Board to approve the meeting dates as presented.

**Tab 18 - Update on the PRAXIS Exam**

Ms. Robinson provided an overview of the changes to the exam and indicated Ms. McNulty would have draft rule language available for the next meeting to reflect the scoring nomenclature.

Ms. Robinson asked the Board to clarify that the intent of the provisional license was to allow an individual to obtain the professional employment experience required by statute, not continue to maintain it in perpetuity. The Board agreed this was the intent of the license and asked for some additional information to be brought back to the next meeting for informational purposes. Ms. Robinson indicated that staff would be amending their processes to ensure that an individual was only issued a provisional license one time.

**Tab 19 - Legislative Update- HB 7015 (Military Bill)**

Ms. Robinson provided an overview of the new law.

**Tab 20 - Ratification of Licenses Issued 1/10/2014 – 4/14/2014**

**Action Taken:** Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler moved to ratify the list as presented. Dr. Pendry seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Reports:**

**A. Chair Report – Barbara Gaunt- Jaehne, AuD, Chair**

No report

**B. Board Counsel Report and Rules Discussion – Douglas Dolan, Esq.**

Mr. Dolan provided the Board with the most up to date rules report.

**C. Executive Director Report – Christy Robinson, Acting Executive Director**

**D. Budget Liaison Report**

**E. Board Liaison Reports:**

Application – Dr. Gaunt-Jaehne (Au.D.) & (SLP)- Dr. Johnson

No report

Build Alliances/Communication – Dr. Gaunt-Jaehne

No report

Community Relations – vacant

No report

Continuing Education – Dr. Pendry

Dr. Pendry indicated he reviewed 8 continuing education applications since the last meeting.

Laws and Rules – Dr. Pizarro-Ziegler

No report

Unlicensed Activity – Dr. Pizarro-Zeigler (Au.D.) & (SLP)- Dr. Johnson

No report

**Old Business**

None

**New Business**

None

**There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 2:00 pm.**