

Arizona Medical Board

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NOTICE & AGENDA FOR REGULAR SESSION MEETING Scheduled to begin at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, June 9, 2023 1740 W. Adams St., Board Room A • Phoenix, Arizona

Notice is hereby given to the general public and to the members of the Arizona Medical Board (Board), that the Board will hold a regular meeting open to the public at the Board's offices located at <u>1740 W. Adams St., Suite 4000, Phoenix, Arizona</u>. A.R.S. § 38-431.02. The Board, upon a majority vote of a quorum of the members, may hold an *Executive Session* on any of the listed agenda items to obtain legal advice. A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3). The Board may vote to go into *Executive Session* to discuss and consider records exempt by law from public inspection, including the receipt and discussion of information or testimony that is confidential by State or Federal law on agenda items H through R pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2).

The Board reserves the right to change the order of items on the agenda, except for matters set for a specific time. The formal interviews are scheduled to be heard during specific time blocks. However, the Chairman of the Board reserves the right to call cases in random order. Please note that the recommendations listed on the agenda are merely suggested Board actions. These recommendations do not become final until adopted by the Board. The Board has the authority to accept, reject or modify any recommendation listed on the agenda.

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THE BOARD WILL CONSIDER, DISCUSS AND MAY TAKE ACTION ON ANY AGENDA ITEM

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GENERAL BUSINESS

A. CALL TO ORDER - 8:00 a.m.

R. Screven Farmer, M.D., Chair

B. ROLL CALL

Lois E. Krahn, M.D., Secretary

C. PUBLIC STATEMENTS REGARDING MATTERS LISTED ON THE AGENDA – 8:00 a.m.

This item will be limited to items on the agenda. Those wishing to address the Board need not request permission in advance; however, the Board may limit the number of speakers to three (3) per side on any one agenda item.

D. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Patricia E. McSorley, Executive Director

E. CHAIR'S REPORT

R. Screven Farmer, M.D., Chair

F. LEGAL ADVISOR'S REPORT

Carrie Smith, Assistant Attorney General

G. DISCUSSION REGARDING DEBRIEFING ON BOARD PROCESSES

R. Screven Farmer, M.D., Chair

H. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

April 5, 2023 Regular Session; including Executive Session

LEGAL MATTERS

I. MOTION FOR REHEARING/REVIEW (FORMAL INTERVIEW)

(Scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m.)

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

- 1. MD-22-0393A, SUDHAKAR A. REDDY, M.D., LIC. #36640
- 2. MD-19-0356A, MD-19-0095A, KEITH G. ZACHER, M.D., LIC. #30227

J. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON SETTLEMENT OFFER IN LIEU OF FORMAL HEARING (Scheduled to begin at 9:15 a.m.)

The Board may only consider the official record when adjudicating a Formal Hearing Matter; therefore, the Board cannot consider new testimony or evidence at this time.

- 1. MD-21-0381A, DOUGLAS B. BOBER, M.D., LIC. #53245
- 2. <u>MD-21-0691A, MD-22-0055A. MD-22-0082A, JOHN W. MCGETTIGAN, M.D., LIC.</u> #12606

K. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RECOMMENDED DECISION.

Possible action includes, but is not limited to, adopting Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 41- 1092.08(i), the Board may meet and confer for purposes of modifying the recommended decision, including the Findings Of Fact, Conclusions Of Law and Recommended Order set forth in the ALJ's recommended decision issued in case no. 23A-46670-MDX- involving Dr. Shekhar C. Thakur. (Scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m.)

The Board may only consider the official record when adjudicating a Formal Hearing Matter; therefore, the Board cannot consider new testimony or evidence at this time.

1. MD-22-0809A, SHEKHAR C. THAKUR, M.D., LIC. #46670

CONSENT AGENDA

The Consent Agenda items may be considered for approval as a single action unless a Board member wishes to remove an item for discussion.

L. CASES RECOMMENDED FOR DISMISSAL

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

- 1. MD-22-0020C, JEFFREY P. SALOMONE, M.D., LIC. # Staff: Ms. Dittlof, Dr.
- 2. MD-21-0696A, DAVID G. RAY, M.D., LIC. #59135 Staff: Ms. Rivera, Dr. McClain
- MD-21-0979A, LINDA L. LAU, M.D., LIC. #30826
 Staff: Ms. Dittlof, Dr. Dr. O'Neal

M. CASES RECOMMENDED FOR ADVISORY LETTERS

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

- 1. MD-22-0020D, LINDSAY H.T. BARTHOLOME, M.D., LIC. #54653 Staff: Ms. Dittlof, Dr. Haas
- 2. MD-22-0824A, FAHIM A. HABIB, M.D., LIC. #58639 Staff: Ms. Samaradellis, Dr. Haas
- 3. MD-22-0932A, EWA M. SZAFRANIEC, M.D., LIC. #18803 Staff: Ms. Migdal
- 4. MD-22-0369A, THEOBALD J.C. MINANI, M.D., LIC. #43939 Staff: Ms. Samaradellis, Dr. McClain
- 5. MD-18-0246A, ROZBEH TORABI, M.D., LIC. #49766 Staff: Ms. Rivera, Dr. Haas
- 6. MD-18-0049A, ROZBEH TORABI, M.D., LIC. #49766 Staff: Ms. Rivera, Dr. Haas
- 7. MD-22-1067A, RICHARD A. ASHELY, M.D., LIC. #42904 Staff: Ms. Shepherd, Dr. Vandenheede
- MD-22-0711A, RONALD I. JACOBY, M.D., LIC. #9951 Staff: Ms. Dittlof
- 9. MD-22-0523A, TODD K. RUNYAN, M.D., LIC. #27578 Staff: Ms. Rivera. Dr. Vandenheede
- 10. MD-23-0063A, ROBERT B. OGESEN, M.D., LIC. #20679 Staff: Ms. Migdal

N. CASES RECOMMENDED FOR ADVISORY LETTERS WITH NON-DISCIPLINARY CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION ORDERS

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

- MD-22-0125A, AUBREY MAZE, M.D., LIC. #11030 Staff: Ms. Rivera
- 2. MD-22-0320A, ANDREA O. SKELTON, M.D., LIC. #52391 Staff: Ms. Rivera, Dr. Ashby
- MD-22-0794A, SAMUEL EJADI, M.D., LIC. #36682 Staff: Ms. Migdal
- 4. MD-21-0695A, ROZBEH TORABI, M.D., LIC. #49766 Staff: Ms. Shepherd, Dr. Goldberg

- 5. MD-21-0612A, MD-22-0298A, MARK I. FELDMAN, M.D., LIC. #5756 Staff: Ms. DesMarais, Dr. Vandenheede
- 6. MD-22-0802A, PHILIP M. LESUEUR, M.D., LIC. #53605 Staff: Ms. Migdal. Dr. Coffer

O. REVIEW OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR DISMISSALS

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

- MD-22-0682A, ERIC A. EIFLER, M.D., LIC. #30630 Staff: Ms. Migdal, Dr. Vandenheede
- 2. MD-22-0682B, P. DEAN CUMMINGS, M.D., LIC. #26142 Staff: Ms. Migdal, Dr. Vandenheede
- 3. MD-22-0615A, CYNTHIA F. SANCHEZ, M.D., LIC. #R78669 Staff: Ms. Shepherd, Dr. Haas
- 4. MD-22-0615B, HELENE D. FELMAN, M.D., LIC. #61741 Staff: Ms. Shepherd, Dr. Haas
- MD-22-0430A, BRADLEY J. SERACK, M.D., LIC. #55875 Staff: Ms. Shepherd, Dr. Goldberg
- 6. MD-22-0543A, NAVNEET B. JALAL, M.D., LIC. #44708 Staff: Ms. Rivera, Dr. Ashby
- 7. MD-22-0543B, NAZEER M. JALAL, M.D., LIC. #44707 Staff: Ms. Rivera, Dr. Ashby
- 8. MD-22-0031A, NATAKOM N. CHULAMORKODT, M.D., LIC. #37017 Staff: Ms. Rivera, Dr. O'Neal

P. LICENSE APPLICATIONS

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following applications.

- CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE OR DENY LICENSE APPLICATION, OR TAKE OTHER ACTION
 - 1. MD-23-0078A, SAMUEL LEIBOVICI, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Young
 - 2. MD-22-0231A, PATRICK D. KAVANAGH, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Young
 - 3. MD-23-0480A, LUKE J. GRAUKE, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Young, Ms. Stark
 - 4. MD-23-0316A, DONALD R. MASSEE, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Young, Ms. Ahmetovic
 - 5. MD-23-0445A, RAYMOND S. YEN, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Young, Ms. Canez
 - MD-23-0363A, RICHARD S. FRENCH, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Young, Ms. Colafranceschi
 - 7. MD-22-1027A, JULIA R. DAVIS, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Morey
 - 8. MD-23-0415A, LEWIS G. DICKINSON, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Young, Ms. Colafranceschi
- ii. CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE OR DENY LICENSE APPLICATION, OR TAKE OTHER ACTION WITH STAFF RECOMMENDATION
 - 1. THIS CASE HAS BEEN PULLED FROM THE AGENDA.

- iii. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING APPLICANT'S REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT
 - 1. SYDNEY L. STEVENS, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Stark
- iv. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING LICENSURE BY ENDORSEMENT PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1426(B) AND R4-16-201(F), OR TAKE OTHER ACTION
 - 1. MD-23-0267A, STEVEN H. MISHKIND, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Young, Ms. Canez
- v. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING LICENSE APPLICATION AND RECOMMENDED ADVISORY LETTER
 - MD-23-0538A, LARRY L. GRIFFITH, M.D., LIC. #N/A Staff: Ms. Young, Ms. Quinonez

END OF CONSENT AGENDA

OTHER BUSINESS

Q. CONSIDERATION OF DUAL JURISDICTION OF THE AMB AND THE ARIZONA HOMEOPATHIC BOARD

The Board may choose to discuss this matter and may vote to convene an arbitration panel to decide jurisdiction as provided in A.R.S. § § 32-1407 and 32-2907.

1. MD-21-0541A, DAN O. HARPER, M.D., LIC. #34214 Staff: Patricia E. McSorley, Executive Director

R. REQUEST FOR TERMINATION OF BOARD ORDER

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

- MD-19-0158A, MICHAEL D. MORAN, M.D., LIC. #54854 Staff: Ms. Fairbourn
- 2. MD-20-0241A, TIMOTHY M. MARSHALL, M.D., LIC. #22934 Staff: Ms. Fairbourn

S. GENERAL CALL TO THE PUBLIC

Those wishing to address the Board need not request permission in advance; however, the Board may limit those persons speaking during the "General Call to the Public" at three (3) per side on any one issue. A.R.S. § 38-431.01(H). The Board can only take action on matters listed on the agenda and other matters related thereto. A.R.S. § 38-431.02(H). If appropriate, actions on public comment matters that are not listed on the agenda will be limited to directing staff to study the matter or schedule the matter for further discussion at a later date. A.R.S. § 38-4301.01(H).

T. ADJOURNMENT



Patricia E. McSorley, Executive Director