



Arizona Medical Board

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NOTICE & AGENDA FOR SPECIAL TELECONFERENCE MEETING

Scheduled to begin at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 7, 2019

1740 W. Adams St., Board Room B • 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 Special Teleconference Meeting open to the public at the Board's offices located at 1740 W. Adams St., Board Room B, Phoenix, Arizona. 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 D through J 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.

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

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please contact the Board Coordinator at (480) 551-2734.

GENERAL BUSINESS

A. CALL TO ORDER – 6:00 p.m.

R. Screven Farmer, M.D., Chair

B. ROLL CALL

Edward G. Paul, M.D., Secretary

C. PUBLIC STATEMENTS REGARDING MATTERS LISTED ON THE AGENDA – 6:00 p.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.

LEGAL MATTERS

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 the following agenda item(s) pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2).

D. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING SUMMARY ACTION (Scheduled to begin at 6:00 p.m.)

1. MD-19-0176A, KANG LU, M.D., LIC. #45228
Staff: Ms. Rivera
2. MD-19-0084A, JAMES M. C. RYAN, M.D., LIC. #53075
Staff: Mr. Kessler

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.

E. CASES RECOMMENDED FOR DISMISSAL

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

1. MD-18-1069A, MITCHELL R. HALTER, M.D., LIC. #29626
Staff: Ms. Rivera
2. MD-18-0789A, JEFFREY P. MARTEL, M.D., LIC. #53924
Staff: Ms. Rivera
3. MD-18-0171B, RONALD I. JACOBY, M.D., LIC. #9951
Staff: Ms. Rivera

F. CASES RECOMMENDED FOR ADVISORY LETTERS

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

1. MD-18-0053A, GREGORY P. TITUS, M.D., LIC. #37843
Staff: Ms. Halonen
2. MD-18-0053B, KARLA A. PUENTE-SHULTZ, M.D., LIC. #30604
Staff: Ms. Halonen
3. MD-18-0234A, S. ISMAIL A. H. BOKHARI, M.D., LIC. #11041
Staff: Ms. Rivera
4. MD-18-0926A, WILLIAM M. JACOBSEN, M.D., LIC. #21620
Staff: Ms. Rivera
5. MD-18-0197A, BRENDAN M. LEVY, M.D., LIC. #51370
Staff: Ms. Rivera
6. MD-18-1008A, JOHN G. RENFREW M.D., LIC. #54908
Staff: Ms. Rivera

7. MD-18-0406A, JAMES M. ESSER, M.D., LIC. #36133
Staff: Ms. Rivera
8. MD-18-0547A, JAY D. COOK, M.D., LIC. #35460
Staff: Ms. Rivera
9. MD-18-1166A, CONSTANCE R. TAMBAKIS-ODOM, M.D., LIC. #51620
Staff: Ms. Rivera
10. MD-18-0875A, JOHN D. WOLFE, M.D., LIC. #23757
Staff: Ms. Rivera

G. 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).

1. MD-18-0790A, RICHARD J. WHITMAN, M.D., LIC. #14188
Staff: Ms. Rivera
2. MD-18-0556A, MUHAMMAD M. SALIM, M.D., LIC. #24008
Staff: Mr. Silva

H. REVIEW OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR DISMISSALS

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

1. MD-18-0584A, STEVEN L. OSCHERWITZ, M.D., LIC. #20696
Staff: Ms. Rivera, Dr. Coffey
2. MD-18-0609A, MICHAEL E. BILLHYMER, M.D., LIC. #49166
Staff: Mr. Silva, Dr. Vandenheede
3. MD-18-0124A, MITCHELL S. WAGNER, M.D., LIC. #27272
Staff: Ms. Rivera, Dr. Vandenheede
4. MD-18-0279A, JOAN M. DAHMER, M.D., LIC. #29673
Staff: Ms. Halonen

I. PROPOSED CONSENT AGREEMENTS (Disciplinary)

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

1. MD-18-0015A, GERALD S. BRONSTEIN, M.D., LIC. #22947
Staff: Ms. Rivera
2. MD-18-0378A, SKYE C. KING, M.D., LIC. #R75477
Staff: Ms. Rivera
3. MD-18-1073A, SALIM O. DAHDAH, M.D., LIC. #51630
Staff: Ms. Rivera

J. LICENSE APPLICATIONS

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

i. CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE OR DENY LICENSE APPLICATION, OR TAKE OTHER ACTION

1. MD-18-1220A, STEPHEN O. HAAS, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Emerson
2. MD-17-0687A, KARA M. PRIER, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Young
3. MD-18-1219A, RIPP A. SMITH, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Emerson
4. MD-18-1092A, MARK G. BROWN, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Emerson

ii. **CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE OR DENY LICENSE APPLICATION, OR TO TAKE OTHER ACTION WITH STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

1. THIS ITEM HAS BEEN PULLED FROM THE AGENDA.
2. MD-18-0544A, BARRY L. MILLER, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Emerson

iii. **REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING LICENSURE BY ENDORSEMENT PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1426(B) AND R4-16-201(F)**

1. STEVEN H. LEFKOWITZ, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Mauk

END OF CONSENT AGENDA


OTHER BUSINESS

K. 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).

L. ADJOURNMENT




Patricia E. McSorley, Executive Director