



## Iowa Board of Nursing

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### CONFERENCE CALL MINUTES

March 27, 2013  
3:00 PM

This electronic meeting of the Iowa Board of Nursing is being held pursuant to Iowa Code § 21.8(1), which essentially states that a governmental body may conduct a meeting by electronic means only in circumstances where such a meeting in person is impossible or impractical and only if the governmental body complies with paragraphs "a" through "c" of this subsection. This electronic meeting is being held in the conference room of the Iowa Board of Nursing office, 400 SW 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite B, Des Moines, IA. The agenda has been posted on the Board's Website and sent electronically to those individuals subscribing to ListServe.

#### Board in Attendance

Jane Hasek, RN, Chairperson  
Mark Hilliard, RN, Vice Chairperson  
Debra Larson, LPN  
Gwen Suntken, RN  
LeRoy Strohmman  
James Seymour  
Connie Boyd, RN

#### Staff

Laura Hudson, Associate Director CE/Workforce  
Lynn Linder, Operations Officer  
Doug Bartels, Interim Associate Director Enforcement  
Taunya Cunningham, RN, Enforcement  
Bill Hansen, Enforcement  
Eric Holsapple, Enforcement  
Kathleen Beebout, RN, Enforcement  
Kris Watson, RN, Enforcement  
Diane Burkert, RN, Enforcement  
Tracey Westby, Enforcement Secretary  
Kathy Cornwell, Secretary  
Sara Scott, Assistant Attorney General

#### Audience

Ashley Engelbrecht, Iowa Medical Society

Jane Hasek called the meeting to order at 3:01 PM.

On a motion by LeRoy Strohmman, the Board voted to adopt the agenda.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

An update on the Education Study Committee was given.

#### PRACTICE

On a motion by Gwen Suntken, the Board issued order number 2013-05-PR, approving the petition requesting a waiver of 655 IAC – 3.7(f) inactive status submitted by Leonor Maria Bartes.

On a motion by Mark Hilliard, the Board issued order number 2013-04-PR, which approves the petition for waiver of 655 IAC 3.5 Qualifications for License by Endorsement, submitted by Evelyn Marianne Dodson.

On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board issued order number 2013-06-PR which approved the petition for waiver of 655 IAC3,4 Qualification for License by Examination for foreign educated candidates, submitted by Ma Khristina Lamayao.

#### Closed session

3:23 PM On a motion by Gwen Suntken, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa Code §21.5(1)"a" to review information required by state or federal law to be kept confidential.

#### Open session

3:26 PM On a motion by Mark Hilliard, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Debra Larson with Connie Boyd and James Seymour abstaining, the Board approved the request for special testing accommodations, due to diagnosed disabilities, during administration of the NCLEX examination submitted by H.M. The accommodation will allow a separate room and an additional 2 hours of testing time while taking the NCLEX

### MISCELLANEOUS

An update on the search committee for the Executive Director position was given.

On a motion by Gwen Suntken, the Board elected Connie Boyd to the position of Board Chair.

On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board elected Gwen Suntken to the position of Board Vice-Chair.

Informational Item:

A letter from Kenda Williams-Perez and Chair person's response.

### ENFORCEMENT

#### Closed Session

3:36 PM On a motion by Gwen Suntken, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote, to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa § 21.5(1)"a" to review information required by state or federal law to be kept confidential and § 21.5(1)"f" to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case.

#### Open Session

3:42 PM On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Debra Larson with James Seymour abstaining, the Board voted to rescind the Notice of Hearing and Statement of Charges issued in the following case:

12-549 Laura Lynne Anderson

On a motion by Debra Larson with James Seymour abstaining, the Board voted to rescind the proposed settlement in the following case:

12-498 Teisha Marie Zertuche

Closed session

3:43 PM On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa Code §21.5(1)"a" to review information required by state or federal law to be kept confidential.

Open session

3:56 PM On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Connie Boyd, the Board voted to find that the criminal conviction does relate to the practice of nursing. However, the following applicants have shown sufficient rehabilitation has occurred and may be licensed in the state of Iowa upon successful completion of the NCLEX®.

- 13-090 Kelly Knapp
- 13-092 Corinne Conley
- 13-108 Jennifer Engel
- 13-110 Anthony Rocksvold

On a motion by Connie Boyd, the Board voted to find that the criminal conviction does relate to the practice of nursing. However, the following applicant has shown sufficient rehabilitation has occurred and may be licensed in the state of Iowa upon successful completion of the NCLEX® and 6 months probation.

- 13-091 Jessica Hill

On a motion by Debra Larson with Connie Boyd abstaining, the Board voted to find that the criminal conviction does relate to the practice of nursing. However, the following applicant has shown sufficient rehabilitation has occurred and may be licensed in the state of Iowa upon successful completion of the NCLEX® and completion of 30 continuing education hours in ethics.

- 13-109 Daniel Kamarey

Closed Session

3:58 PM On an amended motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote, to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa Code § 272C.6(4) to be kept confidential and 21.5(1)"d", to discuss whether to initiate licensee disciplinary investigation or proceedings and § 21.5(1)"f", to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case.

Open Session

4:09 PM On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Mark Hilliard, the Board voted to accept the Notice of Hearing, Statement of Charges, Settlement Agreement and Final Order (Combined) for the following cases:

- 11-706 Rosalyn Graves
- 11-796 Rosemary Hasenmiller
- 12-203 Kristin Hopes
- 12-381 Jacquelynn Woods
- 12-549 Laura Anderson
- 12-644 Ashley Reynolds
- 12-678 Cynthia Wiseman
- 12-717 Patricia Schutjer

12-947 Jessica Goodvin  
12-948 Debra Wharton

Closed Session

4:15 PM On a motion by Gwen Suntken, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote, to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa Code § 272C.6(4) to be kept confidential and 21.5(1)"d", to discuss whether to initiate licensee disciplinary investigation or proceedings.

Open Session

4:28 PM On a motion by Connie Boyd, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Gwen Suntken, the board voted to close the following cases for lack of probable cause:

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| 12-051 | 12-413 | 12-760 | 12-927  |
| 12-108 | 12-478 | 12-761 | 12-956  |
| 12-116 | 12-595 | 12-768 | 12-958  |
| 12-136 | 12-617 | 12-779 | 12-991  |
| 12-201 | 12-622 | 12-811 | 12-993  |
| 12-202 | 12-663 | 12-817 | 12-994  |
| 12-248 | 12-670 | 12-819 | 12-1020 |
| 12-297 | 12-675 | 12-822 | 13-011  |
| 12-304 | 12-718 | 12-823 | 13-012  |
| 12-305 | 12-721 | 12-825 | 13-017  |
| 12-321 | 12-737 | 12-875 | 13-023  |
| 12-401 | 12-745 | 12-903 | 13-064  |
| 12-409 | 12-752 | 12-906 | 13-081  |

On a motion by Connie Boyd with Deb Larson abstaining, the board voted to close the following case for lack of probable cause:

12-619

Closed session

4:31 PM On a motion by Gwen Suntken, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa Code §21.5(1)"f" to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case.

Open session

4:49 PM On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Gwen Suntken, the Board voted to accept the Voluntary Surrender in the following cases:

10-347 Mary Beth Koeller  
12-016 Jennifer Garrett

On a motion by Debra Larson, the board voted to accept the proposed reinstatement settlement in the following case:

12-894 Jodi Thomas

On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted to accept the proposed settlement in the following case:

12-498 Teisha Zertuche

Closed session

4:51 PM On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote, to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa Code § 272C.6(4) to be kept confidential and 21.5(1)"d", to discuss whether to initiate licensee disciplinary investigation or proceedings and § 21.5(1)"f", to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case.

Open session

5:05 PM On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted to terminate probation for the following case:

08-510 Kathleen McCormick

5:06 PM on a motion by Gwen Suntken, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into closed Session in accordance with §21.5(1)"a" to review information required by state or federal law to be kept confidential and in accordance with Iowa Code § 21.5(1)"c" to discuss the strategy with counsel in matters that are presently in litigation or where litigation is imminent where its disclosure would be likely to prejudice or disadvantage the position of the governmental body in that litigation.

Open session

5:29 PM On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

Connie Boyd left the call.

Closed session

5:30 PM On a motion by Mark Hilliard, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa Code §21.5(1)"f" to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case.

Open session

5:31 PM On a motion by Mark Hilliard, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Mark Hilliard, the Board voted to accept the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision and Order for the following cases:

11-229 Juliana Cornick  
11-842 Merlene Williams  
12-694 Tina Patterson

On a motion by Mark Hilliard with Jane Hasek abstaining, the Board voted to accept the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision and Order for the following case:

12-730 Billie Tow

5:32 PM on a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to adjourn.