

**VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE
DENTISTRY EXAMINING BOARD
MEETING MINUTES
JULY 7, 2021**

PRESENT: Lisa Bahr, RDH; Matthew Bistan, DDS; Shaheda Govani, DDS; Herbert Kaske, DDS; Christine Kenyon (*excused at 11:32 a.m.*); Debra Kolste; Wendy Pietz, DDS; Katherine Schrubbe, RDH; Diana Whalen, RDH

EXCUSED: Leonardo Huck, DDS; Peter Sheild, DDS

STAFF: Adam Barr, Executive Director; Jameson Whitney, Legal Counsel; Megan Glaeser, Bureau Assistant; and other Department staff

CALL TO ORDER

Matthew Bistan, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. A quorum was confirmed with nine (9) members present.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

MOTION: Katherine Schrubbe moved, seconded by Debra Kolste, to adopt the Agenda as published. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF MAY 5, 2021

MOTION: Lisa Bahr moved, seconded by Katherine Schrubbe, to approve the Minutes of May 5, 2021 as published. Motion carried unanimously.

WORKFORCE SURVEY

Appearance: Secretary-designee Dawn Crim

MOTION: Debra Kolste moved, seconded by Diana Whalen, to acknowledge and thank Dawn Crim, DSPS Secretary-designee, for her virtual appearance and presentation to the Board. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Shaheda Govani moved, seconded by Diana Whalen, to express support for the inclusion of an optional workforce survey in the renewal process. Motion carried unanimously.

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL (CDC) DENTAL GUIDANCE UPDATE

Appearance: Dr. Russell Dunkel, DDS, FPFA, FICD, FACD, Wisconsin State Dental Director

MOTION: Katherine Schrubbe moved, seconded by Debra Kolste, to acknowledge and thank Dr. Russell Dunkel, DDS, FPFA, FICD, FACD, Wisconsin State Dental Director, for his virtual appearance and presentation to the Board. Motion carried unanimously.

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS**Election of Officers*****Vice Chairperson***

NOMINATION: Matthew Bistan nominated Shaheda Govani for the Office of Vice Chairperson. Shaheda Govani accepted the nomination.

Adam Barr, Executive Director, called for nominations three (3) times.

Shaheda Govani was elected as Vice Chairperson by unanimous voice vote.

Secretary

NOMINATION: Matthew Bistan nominated Herbert Kaske for the Office of Secretary. Herbert Kaske accepted the nomination.

Adam Barr, Executive Director, called for nominations three (3) times.

Herbert Kaske was elected as Secretary by unanimous voice vote.

ELECTION RESULTS	
Vice Chairperson	Shaheda Govani
Secretary	Herbert Kaske

CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Lisa Bahr moved, seconded by Katherine Schrubbe, to convene to Closed Session to deliberate on cases following hearing (s. 19.85(1)(a), Stats.); to consider licensure or certification of individuals (s. 19.85(1)(b), Stats.); to consider closing disciplinary investigations with administrative warnings (ss. 19.85 (1)(b), and 440.205, Stats.); to consider individual histories or disciplinary data (s. 19.85(1)(f), Stats.); and to confer with legal counsel (s. 19.85(1)(g), Stats.). Matthew Bistan, Chairperson, read the language of the motion. The vote of each member was ascertained by voice vote. Roll Call Vote: Lisa Bahr-yes; Matthew Bistan-yes; Shaheda Govani-yes; Herbert Kaske-yes; Christine Kenyon-yes; Debra Kolste-yes; Wendy Pietz-yes; Katherine Schrubbe-yes; and Diana Whalen-yes. Motion carried unanimously.

The Board convened into Closed Session at 10:28 a.m.

DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES AND COMPLIANCE (DLSC) MATTERS**Stipulations, Final Decisions and Orders**

- MOTION:** Herbert Kaske moved, seconded by Katherine Schrubbe, to adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in the matter of disciplinary proceedings of the following cases:
1. 18 DEN 048, 18 DEN 084, 18 DEN 121, 19 DEN 119 – Michael C. Fisher, DDS
 2. 19 DEN 021 – Mark J. Kortebein, DDS
 3. 20 DEN 001 – Parimal G. Sapovadia, DMD
- Motion carried unanimously.

Administrative Warnings

18 DEN 040 – D.C.W.

- MOTION:** Matthew Bistan moved, seconded by Herbert Kaske, to issue an Administrative Warning in the matter of D.C.W., DLSC Case Number 18 DEN 040. Motion carried unanimously.

Case Closings

- MOTION:** Matthew Bistan moved, seconded by Diana Whalen, to close the following DLSC Cases for the reasons outlined below:
1. 19 DEN 063 – S.L.S. – Prosecutorial Discretion (P1)
 2. 19 DEN 080 – Unknown – No Violation
 3. 20 DEN 010 – C.B.J. – No Violation
 4. 20 DEN 022 – D.R.S. – No Violation
 5. 20 DEN 024 – R.C. – No Violation
 6. 20 DEN 079 – J.C.Y. – No Violation
 7. 20 DEN 084 – R.M., G.C. – No Violation
 8. 20 DEN 088 – M.G. – No Violation
 9. 20 DEN 090 – J.S., P.S. – No Violation
 10. 20 DEN 102 – A.L.N., K.H.N. – Prosecutorial Discretion (P2)
 11. 20 DEN 128 – C.E.R. – No Violation
 12. 21 DEN 025 – N.H.K. – Prosecutorial Discretion (P1)
- Motion carried unanimously.

(Christine Kenyon was excused at 11:32 a.m.)

CREDENTIALING MATTERS

- MOTION:** Shaheda Govani moved, seconded by Debra Kolste, to approve the Anesthesia/Conscious Sedation application of the following applicants, once all requirements are met, and to send a general statement regarding review of standards for moderate sedation.
1. Eric Carlson
 2. Mark Chambers
 3. Sarah Chambers
 4. Shane Fisher
 5. Robert Heil
 6. Anthony Hernandez

7. Chad Isken
8. James Kertis
9. Matthew Langewisch
10. Jaime Marchi
11. Mario Maritato
12. Tony Martin
13. Jeffrey O'Brien
14. Stephanie Race
15. Sidney Schulz
16. Nikki Smith
17. Bret Trent

Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Shaheda Govani moved, seconded by Debra Kolste, to approve the Anesthesia/Conscious Sedation application of the following applicants once all requirements are met.

1. Emily Benyaich
2. Michael Benyaich
3. Matthew Bistan
4. Emma Czechowicz
5. Anthony Schwigel
6. Patrick Sedlar
7. Jacob Siegert
8. Rana Suhail
9. Dedra Davis Wallace

Motion carried. Opposed: Wendy Pietz. Recused: Matthew Bistan.

Jeremy Lois

MOTION: Wendy Pietz moved, seconded by Shaheda Govani, to delegate the matter of the Anesthesia/Conscious Sedation application of Jeremy Lois back to the Credentialing Liaison Alternate Wendy Pietz for resolution. Motion carried unanimously.

Thomas Morien

MOTION: Wendy Pietz moved, seconded by Shaheda Govani, to issue a three-option letter in the matter of the Anesthesia/Conscious Sedation application of Thomas Morien once all requirements are met. Reason for Denial: Board has not approved education program under DE 11.035(2). Motion carried unanimously.

RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

MOTION: Lisa Bahr moved, seconded by Katherine Schrubbe, to reconvene into Open Session. Motion carried unanimously.

The Board reconvened into Open Session at 12:04 p.m.

VOTE ON ITEMS CONSIDERED OR DELIBERATED UPON IN CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Shaheda Govani moved, seconded by Lisa Bahr, to affirm all motions made and votes taken in Closed Session. Motion carried unanimously.

(Be advised that any recusals or abstentions reflected in the Closed Session motions stand for the purposes of the affirmation vote.)

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Herbert Kaske, seconded by Katherine Schrubbe, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 12:06 p.m.