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MICHIGAN BOARD OF NURSING DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING OF APRIL 6, 2011

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Nursing Disciplinary Subcommittee met in regular session on April 6, 2011 at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 2, Lansing, Michigan.

CALL TO ORDER

Jodi Defoe, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Jody DeFoe, Public Member, Chairperson
Regina Allen, Public Member
Nina Bugbee, RN
Brenda Lewis, LPN

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Laurie VanBeelen, Board Secretary, Health Regulatory Division
Bill Hurth, Manager, Health Regulatory Division
Kelly Elizondo, Assistant Attorney General
Bridget Smith, Assistant Attorney General
John Wright, Assistant Attorney General

Others Present: Linda Taft, RN (arrived at 9:15 a.m.)
Carol Holmes, JD

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to approve the minutes of the March 2, 2011 meeting as presented.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF AMENDED AGENDA

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Bugbee, to approve the amended agenda with the following corrections:

Agenda item S. Sandra Thomas, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation will be removed from the agenda.

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

Deborah Weemaes, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Deborah Weemaes, RN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Bugbee, Lewis, DeFoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Christal Crowe, RN, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Christal Crowe, RN, LPN.

Discussion was held

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Lewis, Allen, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Sandra Agar, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation for discussion purposes in the matter of Sandra Agar, RN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Glazier Kanthack, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Glazier Kanthack, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Allen, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Lois Binder, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Lois Binder, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

David Geistler, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of David Geistler, RN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Gloria Jablonski, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Gloria Jablonski, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Bugbee, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Mary Jane Adams, RN, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Bugbee, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Mary Jane Adams, RN, LPN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Lewis, Allen, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Carla Butcher, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Carla Butcher, RN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Anne Cooke, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Anne Cooke, RN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Allen, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Jodie Curry, RN, CRNA – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Jodie Curry, RN, CRNA.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Laura Emery, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Laura Emery, RN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Audrey Hooke, RN, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Audrey Hooke, RN, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Bugbee, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Carrie Jones, RN, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Carrie Jones, RN, LPN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Lewis, Allen, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Michelle Kolassa, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Michelle Kolassa, RN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Ashley McMillin, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Bugbee, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Ashley McMillin, LPN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Allen, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Angela Russella, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Angela Russella, RN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Pamela Seabolt, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Pamela Seabolt, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Lovie Wheeler, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Lovie Wheeler, RN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Lewis, Allen, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Kimberly Williams, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

Lewis recused herself from the matter.

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Kimberly Williams, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Tracey Williams, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Tracey Williams, LPN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Bugbee, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Tracey Wyatt, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Tracey Wyatt, RN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Courtney Helm, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Courtney Helm, LPN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Samantha Oliver, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Bugbee, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation in the matter of Samantha Oliver, RN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Bugbee, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Angela Amerson, RN – Application for Reclassification

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Allen, to grant the Application for Reclassification to a full and unlimited status in the matter of Angela Amerson, RN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Lewis, Allen, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Julie Vandrese, RN, LPN – Request for Reconsideration

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Allen, to grant the Request for Reconsideration, vacate the previous Consent Order and Stipulation, and dismiss the Complaint in the matter of Julie Vandrese, RN, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Barbara Caldwell, RN, LPN – Request for Dismissal of Complaint

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to grant the Request for Dismissal of Complaint in the matter of Barbara Caldwell, RN, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Allen, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Douglas Goll, LPN – Request for Dismissal of Complaint

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to grant the Request for Dismissal of Complaint in the matter of Douglas Goll, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Rebecca Greathouse, RN – Request for Dismissal of Complaint

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to grant the Request for Dismissal of Complaint in the matter of Rebecca Greathouse, RN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Linda Griffith, RN – Recommendation and Order of Dismissal

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Lewis, to grant the Recommendation and Order of Dismissal in the matter of Linda Griffith, RN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Bugbee, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Deltha Irving, RN – Recommendation and Order of Dismissal

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to grant the Recommendation and Order of Dismissal in the matter of Deltha Irving, RN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Lewis, Allen, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Rachel Jessup, RN – Recommendation and Order of Dismissal

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to grant the Recommendation and Order of Dismissal in the matter of Rachel Jessup, RN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Kristine Johnston, LPN – Recommendation and Order of Dismissal

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Bugbee, to grant the Recommendation and Order of Dismissal in the matter of Kristine Johnston, LPN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Allen, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Juliana Race, RN, LPN – Recommendation and Order of Dismissal

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to grant the Recommendation and Order of Dismissal in the matter of Juliana Race, RN, LPN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Emma Schilling, LPN – Request for Dismissal of Complaint

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to grant the Request for Dismissal of Complaint in the matter of Emma Schilling, LPN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Christopher Vukin, RN – Recommendation and Order of Dismissal

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Lewis, to grant the Recommendation and Order of Dismissal in the matter of Christopher Vukin, RN.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Bugbee, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Ahja Anna Correll, RN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension and suspend Respondent's license for a minimum period of one (1) day and until she complies with her Health Professional Recovery Program (HPRP) monitoring agreement in the matter of Ahja Anna Correll, RN.

Respondent's license shall be automatically reinstated when the Department receives satisfactory evidence from the HPRP verifying that either 1) Respondent has entered into a disciplinary non-confidential monitoring agreement with the HPRP and that the HPRP has endorsed Respondent as safe to practice, or 2) that the HPRP has determined that Respondent does not require treatment monitoring.

Upon reinstatement, Respondent shall be placed on probation for a period of one (1) year with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Respondent shall comply with her HPRP monitoring agreement, if recommended.
- 2) Respondent shall be required to complete one (1) continuing education course in the area of professional accountability and legal liability. This course shall be Board-approved and shall not count toward license renewal.
- 3) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

If Respondent's period of suspension exceeds six (6) months, she must petition for reinstatement.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Lewis, Allen, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Colleen Hall, RN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension and suspend Respondent's license for a minimum period of one (1) day and until she enters into a Health Professional Recovery Program (HPRP) monitoring agreement in the matter of Colleen Hall, RN.

Respondent's license shall be automatically reinstated when the Department receives satisfactory evidence from the HPRP verifying that either 1) Respondent has entered into a disciplinary non-confidential monitoring agreement with the HPRP and that the HPRP has endorsed Respondent as safe to practice, or 2) that the HPRP has determined that Respondent does not require treatment monitoring.

Upon reinstatement, Respondent shall be placed on probation for a period of one (1) year with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Respondent shall comply with her HPRP monitoring agreement, if recommended.
- 2) Respondent shall be required to complete one (1) continuing education course in the area of professional accountability and legal liability. This course shall be Board-approved and shall not count toward license renewal.
- 3) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

If Respondent's period of suspension exceeds six (6) months, she must petition for reinstatement.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Michelle Roehrer, RN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Allen, seconded by Bugbee, to suspend Respondent's license for six (6) months and one (1) day in the matter of Michelle Roehrer, RN.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bugbee, Allen, Lewis, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

Lawrence Ruehlen, RN, NHA – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Lewis, seconded by Bugbee, to issue a reprimand and place Respondent on probation for a period of one (1) year in the matter of Lawrence Ruehlen, RN, NHA. Respondent shall also be required to complete one (1) continuing education course in the areas of 1) professional accountability and legal liability; 2) documentation; 3) assessment skills; and 4) disciplinary actions. These courses shall be Board-approved and shall not count toward license renewal. Respondent is further required to submit quarterly employer reports and is assessed a \$250 fine which shall be paid within one (1) year.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen, Bugbee, Defoe

MOTION PREVAILED

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held May 4, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 2, Lansing, Michigan.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Bugbee, seconded by Allen, to adjourn the meeting at 10:23 a.m.



Jody DeFoe, Public Member, Chairperson



Date Minutes Approved



Laurie VanBeelen, Board Secretary



Date Minutes Prepared