



STATE OF MICHIGAN

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH  
LANSING

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DIRECTOR

## **MICHIGAN TASK FORCE ON PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANTS NOVEMBER 1, 2010 MEETING**

### **APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976, PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Task Force on Physician's Assistants met in regular session on November 1, 2010 at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 3, Lansing, Michigan.

### ***CALL TO ORDER***

Bernard O'Brien, PA-C, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m.

***Members Present:*** Bernard O'Brien, PA-C, Chairperson  
Michael A. Davis, PA-C, Vice Chairperson  
Michael Claussen, PA-C  
Pamela Gnodtke, Public Member  
Rene L. Hernandez, PA-C  
John McGinnity, PA-C  
Christopher Noth, PA-C  
Karl G. Wagner, Jr., PA-C

***Members Absent:*** Steven A. Acker, DO  
Louis Geller, DPM  
Sherry L. Lepird, Public Member  
Thomas Siemaszko, Public Member  
David S. Weingarden, MD

***Staff Present:*** Laurie VanBeelen, Board Secretary, Health Regulatory Division  
Amy Allen, Policy Administration Manager, Health Regulatory Division  
Lidia McGee, Analyst, Health Regulatory Division

***Others Present:*** None

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

*MOTION* by Gnodtke, seconded by Hernandez, to approve the October 4, 2010 meeting minutes as presented.

*MOTION PREVAILED*

## **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

*MOTION* by Davis, seconded by Gnodtke, to approve the agenda as presented.

*MOTION PREVAILED*

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **Rules Committee Update**

Davis advised that the Committee has not met since the previous meeting; however the Committee will meet following today's meeting.

### **Department Update**

Allen advised that with the elections coming up, the Department of Community Health will have a new director, as is typical with each new administration. Additionally, due to the fact that Board members are appointed by the Governor, when current board member terms are up for reappointment, the Governor may appoint new board members. Allen advised all members that when their terms are up they are asked to continue to serve until replaced.

## **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**

### **Faye A. Curtis, PA – Application for Reinstatement (a/k/a Faye A. Roach)**

*MOTION* by Davis, seconded by McGinnity, to grant the Petition for Reinstatement in the matter of Faye A. Curtis, PA.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas: Wagner, Davis, McGinnity, Hernandez, Claussen,  
Noth, O'Brien

Nay: Gnodtke

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**MOTION** by Wagner, seconded by Davis, to grant Petitioner a limited license in the matter of Faye A. Curtis, PA. Petitioner shall practice under the direct, on-site supervision by a physician approved by the Task Force Chairperson or his designee. Petitioner shall, at a minimum, meet monthly with the supervising physician and shall provide the Department with quarterly reports.

Petitioner shall be placed on probation for a period of one (1) year and must petition for reclassification of the limited license.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas: McGinnity, Hernandez, Gnodtke, Davis, Noth, Claussen, Wagner, O'Brien

**MOTION PREVAILED**

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None


## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on January 4, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 3, Lansing, Michigan.

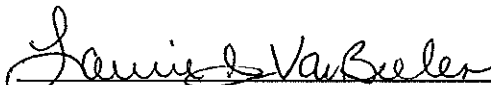
## **ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION** by Davis, seconded by Gnodtke, to adjourn the meeting at 9:36 a.m.

**MOTION PREVAILED**

  
Bernard O'Brien, PA-C, Chairperson

  
Date Minutes Approved

  
Laurie A. VanBeelen, Board Secretary

  
Date Minutes Prepared