

Revised Agenda Item # 8.A.



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DISCIPLINARY BOARD MEETING MINUTES

FEBRUARY 24, 2011

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

BOARD MEMBERS

PRESENT:

John Vertido, L.V.N. Educator Member, President
Todd D'Braunstein, P.T. Member, Vice-President
Kevin Baucom, P.T. Member
Victor King, Public Member
Ling-Ling Chang, Public Member
Mark Stanfield, L.V.N. Member
Eric Mah, Public Member

STAFF PRESENT:

Teresa Bello-Jones, Executive Officer
Angelina Martin, Enforcement Division Chief
Jane Kreidler, Enforcement Program Analyst

The Disciplinary Board Meeting was called to order by President, John Vertido, at 9:08 a.m., February 24, 2011, at the Radisson Los Angeles Airport, 6225 West Century Blvd., Los Angeles, California. The Board President led those assembled in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Eric Sawyer, Administrative Law Judge, presided. The State was represented by Deputy Attorneys General Langston Edwards and Geoffrey Ward.

The President, John Vertido, welcomed faculty and students from the following vocational nursing and psychiatric technician programs:

Advanced Computing Institute
Career Care Institute, Lancaster
Career Care Institute, Moreno Valley
Career Care Institute, Ventura
Casa Loma College
Concorde Career College
Downey Adult School
High Desert Medical College
Homestead Schools
Kaplan College, North Hollywood
LAUSD – East LA
LAUSD – Jordan-Locke

LAUSD – Manual Arts, Crenshaw
LAUSD – Maxine Waters EPC
LAUSD - NVOC
Los Angeles Job Corps.
Medical Allied Career College
North Orange County ROP
Pacific College
San Bernardino Valley College
St. Frances Career College
Tulare Adult School
United Education College
West Valley Occupational Center

The following petitions were heard by the Board of Vocational Nursing & Psychiatric Technicians (Board). Following the hearings, the Board convened in closed-session. The Board's decisions from closed-session deliberations are included.

1. ESTHER EZEBUNWA, PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT

The Board denied the Petition for Reinstatement of the vocational nurse license.

2. JESSICA LOZA, PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT

The Board granted the Petition for Reinstatement of the vocational nurse license.

3. JOAQUIN PEREZ, PETITION FOR EARLY TERMINATION OF PROBATION

The Board granted the Petition for Early Termination of Probation of the psychiatric technician license.

4. LORENZO QUERUBIN, PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT

The Board denied the Petition for Reinstatement of the vocational nurse license.

5. MICHAEL SEBEL, PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT

The Board denied the petition for reinstatement of the vocational nurse license.

6. CARA INNIS, PETITION FOR MODIFICATION OF PROBATION

The Board granted the petition for modification of probation. Term numbers 8 and 23 were deleted and term number 20 was modified. The Board denied extension of probation. Board Member, Kevin Baucom, recused himself from participation in this proceeding.

7. ALANA SWIFT, PETITION FOR MODIFICATION OF PROBATION

The Board granted the petition for modification of probation, in part. Term number 7 was modified. The petition was otherwise denied.

8. LISA MARISCAL-PARKS, PETITION FOR EARLY TERMINATION OF PROBATION

The Board denied the Petition for Early Termination of Probation of the vocational nurse license.

ADJOURNMENT

The Disciplinary Board Meeting adjourned at 2:15 p.m. The Board went into closed session at 2:39 p.m. for the purpose of hearing deliberations, pursuant to Government Code section 11126 (c)(3).

Prepared by: _____
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Executive Officer

Date: _____

Approved by: _____
John Vertido, L.V.N.
President

Date: _____