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DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	BOARD OF PODIATRY
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Thursday, March 13, 2008 at 5:00 p.m.
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room B , second floor of the Cannon Building
MINUTES FOR APPROVAL:	Approved April 17, 2008

MEMBERS PRESENT

Dr. Jeffrey Barton, Professional Member
Dr. Roman Orsini, Professional Member
Dr. Christopher Savage, Professional Member
Nathaniel Gibbs, Public Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

Christopher Spizzirri, Deputy Attorney General
Margaret A. Foreit, Administrative Specialist III

MEMBERS ABSENT

Portia Hall, Public Member

ALSO PRESENT

James Collins

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Barton called the meeting to order at 5:15 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes of the November 15, 2007 Board Meeting for approval. Dr. Orsini made a motion, seconded by Dr. Savage, to approve the meeting minutes as proposed. The motion was unanimously carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Review of Application for licensure to as a Podiatric Physician in Training

The Board reviewed the application for a Podiatrist in Training of Travis Dwyer. A motion was made by Dr. Orsini, seconded by Mr. Gibbs to approve the application of Travis Dwyer. The motion was unanimously carried.

Review of Application for Podiatrist by Reciprocity

The Board reviewed the application for a license as a Podiatrist by reciprocity of Dr. Joseph V. Bakanas. Dr. Bakanas did not provide his board scores, verification from PA or school transcripts however he was asking the board to consider him for a temporary license provided the documentation was received prior to the next board meeting. Dr. Bakanas will be filling in for a DE Podiatrist based on a medical issue. A motion was made by Dr. Orsini, seconded by Dr. Savage to approve the application of Dr. Bakanas for a temporary permit until April 17th, 2008 when the board office receives the board scores, verification and transcripts. The motion was unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed the application for a license as a Podiatrist by reciprocity of Dr. John Louis Moglia. A motion was made by Dr. Barton, seconded by Dr. Orsini to approve the applicant for licensure. The motion was unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed the application for a license as a Podiatrist by reciprocity of Dr. Ghazi A. Husainzad. A motion was made by Dr. Barton, seconded by Mr. Gibbs to approve the applicant for licensure. The motion was unanimously carried.

Review of request(s) for Continuing Education Approval

A motion was made by Dr. Barton, seconded by Dr. Orsini to approve the courses listed below for the designated continuing education hours. The motion was unanimously carried.

Christiana Care Health Services Podiatric Surgical Services
"Podiatric Lecture Series" – 1.5 CE's 2/21/2008 and 12/13/2007

Dr. William M. Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine
"State of the Art History Taking and Physical Exam Review" – 17 CE's
"30th Annual Midwinter Seminar" – 13 CE's

North Central Academy*
"No-Sense Seminar XXIII" – 26 CE's

Barry University*
2008 Comprehensive Review – May 21-25,2008" – 30 CE's

Strategic Planning

Mr. Sprizzi explained that the strategic planning document is a working document that the board may add additions to or make deletions from. Dr. Barton asked if the board should re-look at the crime listing and when that could be accomplished. Mr. Sprizzi stated that he would get back to Dr. Barton at the next meeting with an update on best for the board to proceed on this issue.

2007 Fiscal Year Statistical Report

The Board received a copy of the Investigative 2007 Fiscal Year Report for the Board of Podiatry.

Correspondence

Each board member received a copy of the listing of all Accredited Colleges of Podiatric Medicine sent to the board office by the CME.

Complaint Assignment

Complaint# 15-01-08 was assigned to Dr. Orsini.

Elections

A motion was made by Dr. Orsini, seconded by Dr. Savage to nominate Dr. Barton for President. There being no other motions for the position of President, a motion was made by Dr. Orsini, seconded by Dr. Savage to approve the election of Dr. Barton for President. The motion was unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Dr. Barton, seconded by Mr. Gibbs to nominate Dr. Orsini for Secretary. There being no other motions for the position of Secretary, a motion was made by Dr. Barton, seconded by Mr. Gibbs to approve the election of Dr. Orsini for Secretary. The motion was unanimously carried.

Other Business Before the Board (for discussion only)

Mr. Sprizzi will publish the rules and regulations in the Delaware Registry. A board hearing will be scheduled for 7-17-2008.

Public Comment

None

Next Scheduled Meeting

The next scheduled board meeting is on April 17, 2008 at 5:00 p.m. in Conference Room "B" of the Cannon Bldg., 861 Silver Lake Blvd., Dover, Delaware, 19904.

Adjournment

There being no further business, Dr. Barton made a motion, seconded by Dr. Savage to adjourn the meeting. The motion unanimously carried. The meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret A. Foreit

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