

GUAM BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
 Department of Public Health and Social Services
 Health Professional Licensing/EMS
Wednesday, September 29, 2021, 4:00 P.M.
VIRTUAL – REGULAR BOARD MEETING
 Meeting ID: 996 8838 7067
 Passcode: 822756
MINUTES

MEMBERS PRESENT:

- Dr. Nathaniel Berg, Chairperson
- Mr. Philip Flores, Vice Chairperson, Treasurer & Public Member
- Dr. Annie Bordallo, Member
- Dr. Arania Adolphson, Member
- Dr. Annette David, Member
- Dr. Scott R. Shay, Member
- Dr. Luis Cruz, Member

OTHERS PRESENT:

- Robert Weinberg, Assistant Attorney General
- Curtis Vandeveld
- Joe Taitano, PDN
- Shania Nitaro, Atty. Vanessa Williams
- Zennia Pecina, HPLO Administrator
- Ciana Galindo, HPLO Board Secretary
- Shania Nitaro, Law Office of Vanessa Williams
- Charisma Castor, FLAME TREE Freedom Center
- Nanette Senior, FLAME TREE Freedom Center

TOPIC		DECISION(S) / ACTION(S) MADE			RESPONSIBLE PARTY	REPORTING TIMEFRAME	STATUS
I.	CALL TO ORDER	A. CALLED TO ORDER: 1. Roll Call 2. Confirmation of Public Notice advertised in the PDN.			VICE-CHAIR	0:20	Confirmed
II.	ADOPTION OF AGENDA	Adoption of Agenda.			GBME	1:58	Adopted
III.	REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES	Minutes of June 9, 2021. - <i>Motion: N. Berg</i>			GBME	2:14	Approved
IV.	TREASURER REPORT	- No report at this time due to absence of responsible party.			VICE CHAIR	3:28	Noted
V.	HPLO ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT	- Z. Pecina states that there is nothing to report at this time.			HPLO ADMIN	3:56	Noted

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VI.	CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT	<p>A. Emergency Licenses Issued:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - N. Berg reports that he and HPLQ admin have concurred that there is an urgent need for licensure in which they will be effective for 90 days until the applicant can put in a regular application. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Kevin M. Brady – GMHA 2. Vance Lee – GMHA 3. William J. Moss – ENT 4. Patrick R. Smith – GMH 5. Abbe D. Mendlowitz, M.D. 6. Dean V. Moesch, M.D. 7. Richard Steinman, M.D. 			CHAIR	5:20	Noted
VII.	OLD BUSINESS	<p>A. Complaint(s):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) GBME-CO-19-010 – Received: (A. Adolphson) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports Orthopedic specialist has been awarded purchase order and case will be moving forward. <i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd; A. Adolphson</i> 2) GBME-CO-19-012 – Received: 12/06/2019 (A. Bordallo) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a psychiatrist has been awarded purchase order and case will be moving forward. <i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd; L. Cruz</i> 3) GBME-CO-19-013 – Received: 12/06/2019 (A. Bordallo) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a psychiatrist has been awarded purchase order and case will be moving forward. <i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd; L. Cruz</i> 4) GBME-CO-19-014 – Received: 12/06/2019 (A. Bordallo) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a psychiatrist has been awarded purchase order and case will be moving forward. <i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd; L. Cruz</i> 5) GBME-CO-19-015 – Received: 12/06/2019 (A. Bordallo) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a psychiatrist has been awarded purchase order and case will be moving forward. <i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd; L. Cruz</i> 6) GBME-CO-19-016 – Received: 12/06/2019 (A. Bordallo) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a psychiatrist has been awarded purchase order and case will be moving forward. <i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd; L. Cruz</i> 			GBME	7:49	Tabled

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	<p>7) GBME-CO-19-017 – Received: 12/06/2019 (A. Bordallo)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a psychiatrist has been awarded purchase order and case will be moving forward. <p><i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd. L. Cruz</i></p>			Tabled
	<p>8) GBME-CO-20-001 – Received: 01/16/2020 (A Bordallo)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a psychiatrist has been awarded purchase order and case will be moving forward. <p><i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd. L. Cruz</i></p>			Tabled
	<p>9) GBME-CO-20-002 – Received: (Mr. Flores)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - N. Berg reports that the case has been previously reviewed by the Board and was voted closed. However, there was an administrative error in terms of recording. He suggests an official vote on the case if there are no further discussions. <p><i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd. L. Cruz</i></p>		9:28	Closed
	<p>10) GBME-CO-20-004 – Received: 07/30/2020 (L. Cruz)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a Cardiologist has been acquired and the case is currently under review. <p><i>Motion: N. Berg</i></p>		10:25	Tabled
	<p>11) GBME-CO-20-005 – Received: 09/18/2020 (A. Adolphson)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a Pediatrician has been acquired and information has been provided to them. <p><i>Motion: N. Berg</i></p>		11:12	Tabled
	<p>12) GBME-CO-20-006 – Received: 09/18/2020 (A. Adolphson)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a Pediatrician has been acquired and information has been provided to them. <p><i>Motion: N. Berg</i></p>			Tabled
	<p>13) GBME-CO-20-007 – Received: 09/18/2020 (A. Adolphson)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a Pediatrician has been acquired and information has been provided to them. <p><i>Motion: N. Berg</i></p>			Tabled
	<p>14) GBME-CO-20-008 – Received: 08/28/2020 (A. David)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assigned party is not present however, N. Berg reports the letter by A. David has been reviewed, signed, and sent to the physician regarding unprofessional behavior as per the closing of this case. <p><i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd. L. Cruz</i></p>		11:35	Closed
	<p>15) GBME-CO-20-009 – Received: 11/16/2020 (L. Cruz)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a Cardiologist has been acquired and the case is currently under review. 		12:25	Noted

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VIII NEW BUSINESS	<p><i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd, L. Cruz</i></p> <p>16) GBME-CO-21-002 – Received: 01/13/2021 (L. Cruz)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Z. Pecina reports a Cardiologist has been acquired and the case is currently under review. 			Noted
	<p>B. REINSTATEMENT LICENSE:</p> <p>1. Abner P. Pasatiempo – Psychiatry – On-going</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - N. Berg states this case is tabled pending ongoing investigations. 		13:36	Tabled
	<p>C. GBME-AP-2020-001 – On-going – Dr. Adolphson</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - N. Berg states this case will be tabled pending next meeting. Legal counsel has advised inviting Dr. Solomon to the next board meeting given his appeal. The board will request that additional documents be sent before the meeting and Dr. Solomon will also be allotted 10 minutes to speak. <p><i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd, A. Adolphson</i></p>	GBME	18:19	Tabled
	<p>A. COMPLAINT(S):</p> <p>(1) GBME-CO-2021-005 – Dr. David - TABLED (2) GBME-CO-2021-006 – Dr. David- TABLED (3) GBME-CO-2021-007 – Dr. David- TABLED (4) GBME-CO-2021-008 – Dr. David- TABLED</p> <p>- N. Berg reports medical records have been requested but they have not yet received any. Case will be tabled pending those documents.</p> <p><i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd, A. Adolphson</i></p> <p>B. APPLICATIONS FOR FULL LICENSURE:</p> <p>(1) Nadia Boulghassoul-Pietrzykowska (2) Patrick S. Moon (3) Byeori Lee (Pending work visa) (4) Duncan E. Thomas (Pending work visa) (5) Adelaida M. Miro (6) Matthew J. Bauer (7) Thomas Murray (8) Aldo Gutierrez (9) Laura Lynn Hershorin (10) Anthony Paul Basel (11) Denise Taitano-Ritter (12) Esther M. LaTour</p> <p><i>Motion: Berg 2nd, A. Adolphson</i></p>	GBME	19:00	All Approved

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	C. APPLICATIONS FOR TEMPORARY LICENSURE: (1) Sandra Patricia Mattison (2) <i>Luke Tae Jong Moore</i> (3) Helen V. Fountain (4) Adele Elaine Tse (5) Nikoleta Brankov <i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd. A. Adolphson</i>	GBME		Approved <i>Tabled</i> Approved Approved Approved
	D. INTERSTATE MEDICAL LICENSING COMPACT (IMLCC) APPLICANTS: (1) Mervin I. Griffin – New Jersey (2) Ruchir R. Patel – Arizona (3) Tyler J. Hendricks – Florida (4) Andrew J. Ray – New Hampshire (5) Jeffry J. Shellenberger – Arizona (6) Muhammad U. Farooq – Michigan (7) Quintisha M. Walker – Michigan <i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd. A. Adolphson</i>	GBME	21:39	All Approved
IX. OTHER BUSINESS	<i>Next regular schedule meeting –</i> Wednesday, October 13, 2021 at 4:00 pm. (Tentative date pending purchase order) <i>Motion: N. Berg 2nd. A. Adolphson</i>	GBME	33:56	Noted
ADJOURNMENT		Chair	36:57	Adjourned

Reviewed by:  Secretary / Date 11/17/2021

Approved by:  Chairperson / Date 11/17/2021

Minutes by: FLAME TREE Freedom Center, Inc.