

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
153 HALSEY STREET
NEWARK, NEW JERSEY
PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES
THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 2014**

A meeting of the New Jersey Board of Chiropractic Examiners was held on January 23, 2014 at the State Office Building, 153 Halsey Street, 6th floor, Newark, New Jersey in Conference Room 1 on the 6th floor. The meeting was convened in accordance with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act with previous notification having been sent to the Secretary of State and the following publications: The Record, Newark Star Ledger, Camden Courier Post, Trenton Times and Asbury Park Press to advise of the scheduling of this meeting. The meeting was called to order by David Allen, D.C., President of the Board, at 9:45 A.M. A roll call was taken and the following attendance was recorded and a quorum was present:

David A. Allen, D.C.	Present
Rosemary Calio, BSN, RN, D.C.	Present
Michael Krouse, D.C.	Present
Lawrence O'Connor, D.C.	Present
Thomas A. Senatore, Sr., D.C.	Present
Michael Spadafino, D.C.	Present
Albert Stabile, Jr., D.C.	Excused
John Traier	Absent
James L. Winters, D.C.	Excused

Also present were: **Virginia Class-Matthews, Deputy Attorney General; Laura Anderson, Executive Director.**

PUBLIC COMMENT

I. APPROVAL OF THE PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 21, 2013

The public session minutes of the November 21, 2013 meeting were incomplete, therefore, they were tabled.

II. CONTINUING EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The continuing education committee reviewed courses submitted by continuing education sponsors. The committee recommended that 1 course be denied and 19 courses be approved based on the information submitted for these courses. The committee identified 2 courses where sponsors will be requested to provide additional information. A motion was made by Dr. Spadafino and seconded by Dr. Senatore, to deny the 1 course and approve the 19 courses as recommended by the committee. A vote was taken and motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

III. NEW BUSINESS

Upon a motion made by Dr. O'Connor, which was seconded by Dr. Senatore, the Board voted to go into Executive Session to review and discuss applications for licensure and reinstatement. The Board returned to public session to continue the meeting and vote on the applications for licensure and reinstatement.

A. Application for Chiropractor Licensure

1. Stephen J Rosenbluth (Endorsement)

A motion was made by Dr. O'Connor, which was seconded by Dr. Calio, to request that Stephen Rosenbluth clarify his answers to questions 16, 17(b) and 18 on his application. A vote was taken and the motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

2. Lawrence J Lefcort (Endorsement)

A motion was made by Dr. O'Connor, which was seconded by Dr. Stabile, to request that Dr. Lefcort appear before the Board to discuss his application. A vote was taken and the motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

B. Application for Reinstatement

1. Eileen Nickel, D.C.

A motion was made by Dr. Krouse, which was seconded by Dr. Calio, to approve Dr. Nickel's reinstatement application. A vote was taken and the motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

2. Alexander Liberman, D.C.

A motion was made by Dr. O'Connor, which was seconded by Dr. Krouse, to inform Dr. Liberman that he must take and pass the Special Purposes Examination for Chiropractic (SPEC) as he has not practiced chiropractic in five years or more. A vote was taken and the motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

3. Andrew Roy, D.C.

A motion was made by Dr. Krouse, which was seconded by Dr. Senatore, to approve Dr. Roy's reinstatement application. A vote was taken and the motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

4. Giulio Caruso, D.C.

A motion was made by Dr. Senatore, which was seconded by Dr. Calio, to approve Dr. Caruso's reinstatement application. A vote was taken and the motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

5. Mark Radowitz, D.C.

A motion was made by Dr. Senatore, which was seconded by Dr. Spadafino to request that Dr. Radowitz appear before the Board to discuss his reinstatement application. A vote was taken and the motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

- C. Inquiry from Arthur Schwartz
RE: Functional Capacity Examinations

This matter was tabled.

- D. Inquiry from Adam S. Malamut
RE: Administering and billing of Percutaneous Electrical Nerve Stimulation

Mr. Malamut inquired about the administering and billing of Percutaneous Electrical Nerve Stimulation (PENS) treatment within a chiropractic office.

A motion was made by Dr. O'Connor, which was seconded by Dr. Senatore, to refer Mr. Malamut to the New Jersey State Board of Chiropractic Examiners statutes and regulations. The Board does not address billing unless it pertains to fraud, abuse or overutilization. A vote was taken and the motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

- E. Inquiry from R. Scott Jerger
RE: Dry Needling and Violations of the U.S. Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act

The Board considered the inquiry from R. Scott Jerger of Field Jerger, LLP informational.

ADJOURNMENT

The Board returned to Public Session and a motion was made by Dr. O'Connor, which was seconded by Dr. Senatore, to adjourn the meeting at 1:25 P.M. A vote was taken and the motion passed with all members present voting in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Tadeo
Executive Director

