

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
MIDWIFERY LIAISON COMMITTEE
PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES
MONDAY, JUNE 16, 2008**

A meeting of the New Jersey Midwifery Liaison Committee was held on June 16, 2008 at the State Office Building, 124 Halsey Street 6th Floor. The meeting was convened in accordance with the provision of the Open Public Meetings Act with previous notification having been sent to the Secretary of State and the following publications: The Bergen 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 Karen Criss, Chair of the Committee at 12:30 P.M..

**I. ROLL CALL
PRESENT:**

Karen Criss, CNM
G. Louise Aucott, CNM (VIA TELEPHONE)
Dina Aurichio, CPM (VIA TELEPHONE)
Karen Shields, CNM (VIA TELEPHONE)
Christine Danser, CNM (VIA TELEPHONE)

EXCUSED

Audrey Tashjian, M.D.

ALSO PRESENT

Steve Flanzman, DAG
Charles Manning, Regulatory Analyst
Maria Ormeno-Bertorelli

II. MINUTES

Approval of the Public Session Minutes of December 17, 2007.

Motion was made by Dina Aurichio, and seconded by Christine Danser, to approve the Public Session Minutes of December 17, 2007. Motion passed

Approval of the Public Session Minutes of February 25, 2008.

Motion was made by Christine Danser, and seconded by Dina Aurichio, to approve the Public Session Minutes of February 25, 2008. Motion passed

III. RULES AND REGULATIONS

N.J.A.C. 13:35-2A.6; Affiliated Physicians

Regulatory Analyst, Charles Manning updated the Committee on the status of the proposed changes to N.J.A.C. 13:35-2A.6; Affiliated Physicians. The proposal is currently in the Division of Law.

Deputy Attorney General, Steven Flanzman, advised the Committee that he would get an update regarding the status of the proposed change to N.J.A.C 13:35-2A6, with the Division of Law and see what could be done to expedite its process.

IV. APPOINTMENT - ANNOUNCEMENTS

At the February 25, 2008 meeting, Miss Criss, Chair of the Committee, presented a letter, and a curriculum vitae from Ms. Shield's requesting her reappointment. The request was accepted and forwarded to the Board of Medical Examiners for review, with Committee's recommendations.

Miss Criss Committee Chair, at the meeting reported that the Board of Medical Examiners reviewed Miss Shield request and approved her reappointment.

V. MEETINGS

The Committee confirmed the next meeting to be held on August 18, 2008, in Trenton commencing at 12:30P.M.

VI. ADJOURNMENT TO EXECUTIVE SESSION

A motion was made by Ms. Aurichio seconded by Ms. Aucott, to go into Executive Session. The motion passed.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

A MOTION WAS MADE BY MS. AUCOTT, SECONDED BY MS. AURICHIO, TO ADJOURN THE MEETING AT 1:45 P.M.. MOTION PASSED.

Respectfully submitted,

Maria Ormeno-Bertorelli