

# *New Jersey Office of the Attorney General*

## **DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS ORTHOTICS AND PROSTHETICS BOARD OF EXAMINERS PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES June 11, 2015**

The meeting of the New Jersey State Orthotics and Prosthetics Board of Examiners was held on June 11, 2015, at the State Office Building at 124 Halsey Street, Newark, NJ. The meeting was convened in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act with previous notification having been sent to the Secretary of State and the following publications: The Record in Bergen County, The Star Ledger, Camden Courier Post, Trenton Times, Aisling Swift Press of Atlantic City and Asbury Park Press. The schedule of this meeting has also been posted on the bulletin at the New Jersey State Orthotics and Prosthetics Board of Examiners Office and under the Board's website.

The meeting was called to order by Heikki Uustal, M.D. (Chair) at 10:15 A.M

### **OPENING STATEMENT** - Reading of "The Sunshine Law"

**PRESENT:** Board Members: Heikki Uustal, M.D. (Chair)  
Mildred E. Carlascio, LCO, (Vice Chair) and  
Louis J. Haberman, CPO/LPO

**ALSO PRESENT:** Deputy Attorney General Swang Oo,  
and Executive Director Laura L. Anderson

**Public Attendance:** Ulrich Froehlich, from OrthoCare Solutions

**Public Comments:** Mr. Froehlich inquired about the scope and responsibility of the Board. The Board referred him to the Board's website for more information and to put his specific inquiries in writing for Board consideration.

### **I. MINUTES: March 19, 2015 Public Session Minutes Approval**

**THE BOARD, UPON MOTION MADE BY LOUIS J. HABERMAN AND SECONDED BY MILDRED E. CARLASCIO, ACCEPTED THE MARCH 19, 2015 PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES AS PRESENTED.**

### **II. REGULATIONS**

Charles Manning, Regulatory Analyst

1. Adopted New Rule: N.J.A.C. 13:44H-3.3

Proposed : November 17, 2014

Credit towards licensure for education, training and experience received while serving as a member of the Armed Forces.

Rule adopted March 19, 2015. Published in the May 18, 2015 issue of the New Jersey Register.

**THE BOARD CONSIDERED THIS AS INFORMATIONAL MATERIAL.**

2. Readoption: N.J.A.C 13:44H  
Notice of Readoption for Board's discussion.

**UPON MOTION MADE BY MILDRED E. CARLASCIO AND SECONDED BY LOUIS J. HABERMAN, THE BOARD VOTED TO RE-ADOPT REGULATION WITHOUT CHANGE.**

### **III. NEW BUSINESS**

#### **Board Members Ethics Training by Robert Campanelli, Ethics Officer 11:30 A.M.**

All Board members attended a training session regarding code of ethics presented by Ethics Officer, Robert Campanelli. Each individual member of the Board present was also given a copy of the supplementary code of ethics. A signed acknowledgment form and a survey were collected from each member of the Board.

### **IV. APPLICATIONS REVIEW (INITIAL)**

**UPON MOTION MADE BY MILDRED E. CARLASCIO AND SECONDED BY LOUIS J. HABERMAN, THE BOARD VOTED TO APPROVE THE FOLLOWING APPLICATION FOR INITIAL LICENSURE:**

Gregory W. Pummer (Orthotist-Prosthetist) ID # 1899939

### **V. ADJOURNMENT**

At 12.30 P.M., the Board, upon a motion made by Louis J. Haberman and seconded by Mildred E. Carlascio, voted to adjourn the Public Session and moved to the Executive Session for advice of counsel and review of open matters (investigations and deliberations). When and if action is taken, it will be reported in Public Session.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Laura L. Anderson  
Executive Director

