

**NEW JERSEY BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
HUDSON CONFERENCE ROOM, 6TH FLOOR**

PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES

MARCH 16, 2012

FINAL

The March meeting of the Physician Assistant Advisory Committee was convened in accordance with its notice to the Lt. Governor, the Bergen Record, the Trenton Times, the Star Ledger and the Courier Post and was conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Public Meeting Act.

President George Argast convened the meeting at 9:00 A.M. A roll call was taken and the following attendance was recorded for these minutes:

PRESENT: George Argast
Claire O'Connell
Dr. Jeffrey Berman
Jeffrey Maas

EXCUSED: Todd Newman

Also in attendance: Dorcas K. O'Neal, Executive Director, Debra Levine, Deputy Attorney general and Kathleen Griffith, Staff.

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. The Committee reviewed the Public Session Minutes of February February 17, 2012. **On a motion by Claire O'Connell, seconded by Dr. Jeffrey Berman, the Minutes were unanimously approved as submitted.**

II. OLD BUSINESS

There were no items of old business.

III. NEW BUSINESS

There were no items of new business.

IV. REVIEW OF BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS MINUTES AND AGENDA

a. The Committee reviewed the **Ratified Open Board Minutes for January 11, 2012 of the Board of Medical Examiners, as informational.**

b. The Committee reviewed the **Ratified Open Board Minutes Disciplinary-Matters for January 11, 2012 of the Board of Medical Examiners, as informational.**

c. The Committee reviewed the **Ratified January 11, Committee Minutes, of the Board of Medical Examiners, as informational.**

d. The Committee reviewed the **Open Board Agenda for March 14, 2012 of the Board of Medical Examiners, as informational.**

e. The Committee reviewed the **Open Board Agenda Disciplinary-Matters for March 14, 2012 of the Board of Medical Examiners, as informational.**

f. The Committee reviewed the **Closed Agenda-Matters pending litigation and disciplinary action for March 14, 2012 of the Board of Medical Examiners, as informational.**

There being no other business to come before the Committee in Public Session, on a motion by Claire O'Connell seconded by Jeffrey Maas, the Public Session was adjourned and the Committee convened in Executive Session for the purpose of receiving counsel, to conduct one (1) investigative inquiry, to review five (5) items of old business and five (5) applications.

The Committee reconvened in Public Session. The next scheduled meeting is May 18, 2012. There being no other business to come before the Committee, on a motion by Jeffrey Maas, seconded by Claire O'Connell, the meeting was adjourned at 11:30 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Physician Assistant Advisory Committee

Dorcas K. O'Neal
Executive Director

