

**PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR EXAMINERS COMMITTEE
PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES
JULY 7, 2005**

I. CALL TO ORDER

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Professional Counselor Examiners Committee was called to order at 9:35 a.m. by Vice-Chair Abbey F. Bradway who read the notice of compliance with the Open Public Meetings.

II. ROLL CALL

Present:

Vice Chair, Abbey F. Bradway
Committee Member, Jerry Cohen
Committee Member, Ronald A. Rossell
Committee Member, Edward Stroh

Excused:

Committee Chair, J. Barry Mascari

Staff Present:

Executive Director, Elaine L. DeMars
Deputy Attorney General, Mileidy Perez
Agnes Almeida, Administrative Staff
Celeste Sweeper, Administrative Staff
Perry Tsay, Summer Intern
Anuj Shah, Division of Law Summer Intern

III. APPROVAL OF PUBLIC MINUTES

On a motion by Edward Stroh, seconded by Ronald Rossell, the minutes of June 2, 2005 public session meeting were approved as presented.

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no members of the public present.

V. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Executive Director Elaine L. DeMars announced the June 20, 2005 Senate confirmation of Kimberly S. Ricketts as Director of the Division of Consumer Affairs.

VI. CORRESPONDENCE

Roger Pinches

Mr. Pinches wrote to the Committee requesting guidance regarding the appropriate title to use in his health counseling practice. Mr. Pinches will be informed in writing that in order to engage in the practice of counseling licensure is required. A copy of the rules and regulations governing the practice of professional counseling will be mailed to Mr. Pinches.

VII. OLD BUSINESS

A. Portability

Jan McMillan, Ph.D., LPC, AASCB Past President and current Chair of the National Credentials Registry is scheduled to attend the September 1, 2005 Committee meeting to discuss counselor licensure portability .

B. NBCC Annual Meeting

Committee member Jerry Cohen will represent the New Jersey Professional Counselor Examiners Committee on August 5-6, 2005 for NBCC's annual review of examination programs meeting to be held in North Carolina.

VIII. NEXT MEETING

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Committee is August 4, 2005 at 9:30 a.m., 124 Halsey Street, 6th floor, Newark, New Jersey.

2005 Meeting Dates

August 4, 2005

November 3, 2005

September 1, 2005

December 1, 2005

October 6, 2005

XI. EXECUTIVE SESSION

On a motion by Edward Stroh, seconded by Ronald Rossell, the Committee voted to move to Executive Session at 9:45 a.m. to review applications for licensure, consumer complaints and disciplinary matters.

X. CREDENTIAL REVIEW

On a motion by Jerry Cohen, seconded by Ronald Rossell, the Committee voted to approve the following applications as noted:

Professional Counselors

Bass, Karen

Brash, Elena

Brown, Kimberly

Carpenter, Tracey

Carson, Hannah

Cegelka, Janet M.

Connell, Leslie

Davis, Valorie

DeOliveira, Jamie

Figuroa, Claudia

Gitlow, Deanna P.

Gitto, Bruce R.

Herits, Marybeth

Jordan, Dorothy G.

Kalieta, Vonetta D.

Lee, Joon Eui

Murray, Christine

Nappi, Vincent

O'Grady, Monica
Popielarski, Mary Lou
Sales, Christopher J.
Scott, Deborah P.
Standish, Janine M.
Taormina-Danastor, Audrey

Associate Counselors

Banda, Danice C.
Bryk, Lisa
Doyle, Shelley
Grinberg, Marina
Tekelly, Michael K.
Velasco, Dinelle
White, Kerstin

Out to State

Dickson, Kelly

XI. ADJOURNMENT On a motion by Edward Stroh and seconded by Ronald Rosell, the meeting adjourned at 3:36 p.m.