

**APPROVED MINUTES OF THE
VERMONT BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
MARCH 10, 2010 MEETING**

Present John Lavoie, Chair, John Langfeldt, Raymond McCandless, Katherine Silloway, Linda Retchin, Gertrude Hodge, Joanne Bugbee and Richard Dickinson; Absent: Dr. Edward Pantzar. Office of Professional Regulation Personnel: Larry Novins, Rita Knapp, and Diane Lafaille; Others: Diane Peterson, Peter Taylor, Donna Hayes, and Rebecca MacDonald.

1. The meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m.
2. The minutes of the February 10, 2010 meeting were approved as written.
3. Hearings/Stipulations/Closing Reports
 - A. DE 14-0202, DE 20-0302, DE 25-0402 – Dr. Kenneth Kero requested that the conditions be removed from his license. Ms. Knapp advised that all of the conditions placed on Dr. Kero's license have been met. Dr. Langfeldt moved, seconded by Dr. Dickinson, to remove the conditions from his license. Approved.
 - B. Closing Reports:
 - 2008-449 and 2008-450 – Dr. Lavoie presented this case for closure. Dr. Langfeldt moved, seconded by Dr. Dickinson, to close this case with changes. Approved.
 - 2009-40 – Dr. Lavoie presented this case for closure. Ms. Retchin moved, seconded by Dr. Langfeldt, to close this case. Approved.
 - 2009-579 – Dr. Lavoie presented this case for closure. Ms. Retchin moved, seconded by Dr. Silloway, to close this case. Approved.
 - 2009-504 – Dr. Lavoie presented this case for closure. Ms. Retchin moved, seconded by Dr. Langfeldt, to close this case. Approved. Mr. McCandless was opposed.
 - 2009-249 – Dr. Langfeldt presented this case for closure. Dr. Dickinson moved, seconded by Ms. Retchin, to close this case. Approved.
 - 2008-354 – Dr. Langfeldt presented this case for closure. Dr. Silloway moved, seconded by Dr. Dickinson, to close this case. Approved.
4. Old Business
 - A. Previously, Julia Solookio of Oral Health Enrichment came before the Board to hold a presentation on how this organization can be useful to Board members to help dentists who have been sanctioned and are required to complete courses or a hands-on training. Dr. Langfeldt advised that currently there are only 3 states that have utilized their services. He has contacted these 3 states and hopes to have more information to bring before the Board at its next meeting.

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| B. | Jurisprudence examination update–The committee changes. They will be meeting again and will make regarding the dental hygiene jurisprudence exam. O work on there-drafting of the dental jurisprudence | has met and has made a presentation to the Board nce this is complete they will exam. |
| C. | Templatetousewhensettingupconditionsina hasbeentabled.Dr.SillowaywillworkwithMs.K | StipulationandConsentOrder– napponthis. |
| D. | AADHsubmittedaletterrequestingthattheybe forcontinuingeducation.Ms.Retchingatheredadd presentedthistotheBoard.Dr.Sillowaymoved,s letterbesentstatingthattheBoardappreciatesa andthattheBoardlooksforwardtoseeingcourses organizationcomebeforeitforreview.Ms.Retchi notedintheletterthattheirorganizationlookst | includedasanapprovedsponsor itionalinformationand econdbyDr.Dickinson,thata lloftheinformationprovided sponsoredbythis nrequestedthatitalsobe oeveryimpressive.Approved. |
| E. | Dr.WilliamGouldsubmittedarequestforcontin needsadditionalinformationbeforeitcanmakead toRule4.13(c),whichstatesinpart,“Case-by-cas maybeapproveduponsubmittingtotheBoardacour qualifications,sponsoringorganization,anddates Boardalsowouldliketoknowifheplanstocharge Boardwillreviewhisrequestagainonncethisinfor TheBoardstatedthatheorthesponsoringcompany accreditationbyADAorAGD.Hemayalsowanttos conflictofinterest.TherewritingofPACEguidel determiningthis. | uingeducation.TheBoard etermination.Heshouldrefer eapproval–Individualcourses seoutline,instructor ofpresentation...”.The afeeforthiscourse.The mationhasbeenprovided. maywanttolookinto eeiftheremaybea inesmayhelphimin |
| 5. | New Business | |
| A. | Dr.StephenZoniessubmittedaletteraskingwha regulationsareconcerningownershipofanincorpora licensedentities.TheBoardrefershimtosection | tthecurrentrulesand ateddentalpracticebynon- 721(a)(2)ofitsstatutes. |
| B. | TheMaineBoardofDentalExaminerse-mailedthe Fillers.TheBoardhasnotspecificallyaddressed | BoardregardingDermal thisissue. |
| 6. | Other | |
| A. | StephenCartersubmittedaletterregardingimpl action. | ants.ThisdidnotrequireBoard |
| B. | BillH.88–ExpandingtheBoardofDentalExamin taken. | erswasaddressed.Noaction |

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7. Public Comment

- A. Ms. MacDonald reported that at a Town Meeting in Plover, it was voted to keep fluoride in the water.

8. The Board adjourned at 11:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by Diane Lafaille