

**APPROVED MINUTES OF THE
VERMONT BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
APRIL 14, 2010 MEETING**

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

1. The meeting was called to order at 9:06 a.m.
2. The minutes of the March 10, 2010 meeting were approved with minor corrections.
3. Hearings/Stipulations/Closing Reports
 - A. 2009-523–Kelly Rantanen–Dr. Dickinson moved, seconded by Dr. Silloway, to hold Ms. Rantanen in default. Approved.

Ms. Retchin moved, seconded by Dr. Silloway, to accept the State's recommendation for an indefinite suspension. Approved.

2009-339–Dr. Silloway presented a case for closure. Dr. Pantzar moved, seconded by Ms. Retchin, to reject this closing report. Approved. Dr. Dickinson recused himself.

2009-52–Dr. Pantzar presented this case for closure. Ms. Retchin moved, seconded by Dr. Silloway, to close this case. Approved.

2009-118–Dr. Pantzar presented this case for closure. Ms. Retchin moved, seconded by Dr. Silloway, to close this case. Approved.
4. Old Business
 - A. Previously, Julia Solookio of Oral Health Enrichment came before the Board to hold a presentation of 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 will provide the Board additional information at its May meeting.
 - B. Jurisprudence examination update–The committee has met and has made changes. The committee plans to have a draft for the Board to review at its May meeting.
 - C. Template to use when setting up conditions in a Stipulation and Consent Order–has been tabled. Dr. Silloway will work with Ms. Knappon this.

5. New Business

- A. Savannah Bordeaux, RDH submitted documentation of completion of a local anesthesiacourse and is requesting that local anesthesiaprivileges be placed on her license. The Board determined that this course does not meet the requirements set forth in Board Rule 6.9. Therefore, the Board is not able to grant local anesthesiaprivileges to her dental hygiene license.

6. Other

- A. Dr. Dickinson updated the Board on the AADE meeting he recently attended.
- B. The Board audited 10% of its licensees for continuing education. They reviewed the audits that were submitted.
- C. Bill H. 88—Expanding the Board of Dental Examiners was addressed. No action taken.

7. The Board adjourned at 10:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by Diane Lafaille