



Board of Accountancy

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Accountancy Minutes

Tuesday, December 5, 2023, at 9:00 a.m.

Board Members Present: Robert Sinkewicz, CPA, Chair; Jeff Langmaid, CPA, Vice-Chair; Rebecca James, CPA; Daniel Coane, Public Member, Secretary

Board Members Not Present:

OPR Personnel: Emily Tredeau, Esq., Staff Attorney; Aprille Morrison, Licensing Administrator Supervisor; Michelle Lavoie, Licensing Administrator II; Agatha Kessler, Deputy Director; Kevin Rushing, Director

Guests: Attorney Brooke Dingleline; Michelle Eno (SOS Office); Kim Broeker; Donna London; Gina Hruban.

1. Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m. by the Chair.

2. Approval of minutes from October 24, 2023, meeting:

Mr. Langmaid moved to approve the minutes of October 24, 2023, as presented. Mr. Coane seconded. The motion passed unanimously. Ms. James abstained.

3. Discipline: None

4. Application Review:

Jesse Miller – Endorsement Application
Alex Johnson – Endorsement Application
Cole Sheffert - Examination Application
Caroline Mank - Examination Application
Donna London - Examination Application
Michelle Eno - Examination Application

Ms. James moved to approve the application for VT licensure. Mr. Langmaid seconded. Motion passed.

Johann Desilva - Examination Application
Thomas Salmon – Examination Application

Ms. James moved to approve the applications pending the new experience supervision form. Mr. Langmaid seconded. Motion passed.

5. Discussion Items:

NASBA 30 Month Extension

Mr. Langmaid moved to amend the Rule 5.8 to accept national CPA exam results

for 30 months instead of the current 18. Mr. Coane seconded. Motion passed.

Email Correspondence from Yoo-No Chung regarding 30 Month Extension.

-Mr. Langmaid moved to deny the extension for Yoo-Na Chung. Mr. Coane seconded. Motion passed.

6. Other Business:

Emily Tredeau attended the NASBA meeting virtually. Lots of talk about recruiting people to the field and about AI. Overwhelming trend in other jurisdictions is to accept exam results for 30 months, which could make Vermont an outlier if our limit remained 18 months.

7. Adjournment:

There being no additional business, Mr. Sinkewicz moved to adjourn the meeting at 10:27a.m. Mr. Coane seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Next Scheduled Meeting – Tuesday, January 23, 2023, to
be held remotely.

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