

GUAM BOARD OF ALLIED HEALTH EXAMINERS

HEALTH PROFESSIONAL LICENSING OFFICE

Terlaje Professional Bldg., Conference Rm 209, 194 Hernan Cortez Avenue, Hagåtña.

SCHEDULED REGULAR SESSION

Friday, January 8, 2021

VIA GoToMeeting

Public Notice posted on the Website of the Attorney General of Guam

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call**
- II. Adoption of Agenda**
- III. Minutes of December 18, 2020 for approval**
- IV. Treasurer's Report - Catherine San Nicolas**
- V. HPLO Administrator's Report – Zennia Pecina, RN**

- VI. Old Business**
 - A. Legal Counsel Report – Robert Weinberg, Assistant Attorney General**

 - B. Complaint(s):**
 - 1) 2020-11 Reginald Mendoza against Noel Silan, DPM.
 - 2) 2020-12 Patricia Roberts against Kevin Malakooti, DVM.

- VII. New Business**
 - A. Renewal Applications:**
 - 1) **Paul BEAN** for Chiropractic Medicine (Miller)
 - 2) **Jin Mo YOON** for Chiropractic Medicine (Miller)
 - 3) **Placido NICDAO** for Chiropractic Medicine (Miller)
 - 4) **Daniel LORD** for Clinical Psychology (Balajadia)
 - 5) **Patricia TAIMANGLO** for Clinical Psychology (Balajadia)
 - 6) **Gilbert SANDERS** for Clinical Psychology (Balajadia)
 - 7) **Mamie BALAJADIA** for Clinical Psychology (Pereda)
 - 8) **Christine AFLAGUE** for Licensed Professional Counselor (Pereda)
 - 9) **Risha AGUON** for Licensed Professional Counselor (Pereda)
 - 10) **Barbara ROSARIO** for Licensed Professional Counselor (Pereda)
 - 11) **Valerie REYES** for Licensed Professional Counselor (Pereda)
 - 12) **Valerie REYES** for Licensed Mental Health Counselor (Pereda)
 - 13) **Valerie REYES** for Marriage & Family Therapist (Pereda)
 - 14) **Wayne BUTLER** for Marriage & Family Therapist (Pereda)
 - 15) **Thelma RAMOSO** for Nutritionist/Clinical Dietitian (San Nicolas)
 - 16) **Jeremy KERSEY, PA-C** for Physician Assistant (Tajalle)

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Board Meeting Attendance Sheet

194 Hernan Cortez Ave, Hagatna, GU 96910
Health Professional Licensing Office Room 213

Date of Meeting: January 8, 2021, Friday Regular Meeting Special Meeting

Meeting Call to Order: 12:04 p.m. Time of Adjournment: 12:52 p.m. Quorum No Quorum

VIRTUAL "GOTOMEETING"

| BOARD MEMBERS | POSITION | SIGNATURE |
|------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Balajadia, Mamie | Chairperson | <i>M. Balajadia</i> |
| Miller, Greg | Vice Chairperson | <i>Present</i> |
| San Nicolas, Catherine | Treasurer | <i>Present</i> |
| Cepeda, Nadine | Secretary | <i>Absent</i> |
| Claros, Ryan | Member | <i>Present</i> |
| Chong, Richard | Member | <i>Present</i> |
| Crisostomo, Sibyl | Member | <i>Present</i> |
| Cruz, Greg | Member | <i>Present</i> |
| Ogo, Alesia | Member | <i>Present</i> |
| Pereda, Vincent | Member | <i>Present</i> |
| Pomes, Paul | Member | <i>Present</i> |
| Tajalle, Ray | Member | <i>Absent</i> |
| Triolo, Dennis | Member | <i>Present</i> |

OTHERS PRESENT

| PRINT NAME | AGENCY | SIGNATURE |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| Rob Weinberg | Legal Counsel | <i>Present</i> |
| Zennia Pecina | DPHSS/HPLO | <i>Absent</i> |
| Rosemary Carman | DPHSS/HPLO | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| <i>Natasha Charfauros</i> | <i>SPKR. T. TERLAGE'S OFC</i> | <i>Present</i> |
| <i>Chantay Benitez</i> | <i>FlameTree</i> | <i>Present</i> |
| <i>Vanessa William</i> | <i>Attorney</i> | <i>Present</i> |
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MINUTES OF December 18, 2020

VIA GoToMeeting

This Regular Scheduled Session was posted on the website of the Office of the Attorney General

Present were: Present were: Dr. Mamie Balajadia, Chair; Dr. Gregory Miller, Vice-Chair; Nadine Cepeda, Secretary; Catherine San Nicolas, Treasurer; Vincent Pereda, Member; Dr. Richard Chong, Member; Sibyl Crisostomo, Member; Dr. Dennis Triolo, Member; Dr. Ryan Claros, Member; Ray Tajalle, Member; Alesia Ogo, Member; Greg Cruz, Member; Dr. Paul Pomes, Member; AAG Rob Weinberg, Legal Counsel; and Rosemary Carman, staff of HPLO.

Others present: John Roberts, Patricia Roberts, and David Lubofsky

I. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order by the Chair at 12:03 pm.

Subject meeting was posted on the Website of the Attorney General of Guam.

II. Adoption of Agenda

Motion was made by Cepeda; Seconded by Miller.

III. Minutes of December 4, 2020

Motion was made by San Nicolas to approve the Minutes of December 4, 2020; Seconded by Cepeda.

IV. Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Catherine San Nicolas reported that the first meeting of all Licensure Boards' Treasurers was held, coordinated by the Administrator of HPLO, to review all Boards' budget and expenditure. A limited Report was generated via the Accounting Division of the Department of Administration (DOA). The Financial Report listed 7 Boards' Expenditures but no funding was showing under the Allied Health Board. This Group of Board Treasurers planned to meet regularly to work on amending the current law that monies collected by each Board are not subject to the "Transfer Authority by the Governor" but can be carried over in future fiscal years to address the Board's regulatory function.

V. HPLO Administrator's Report – Zennia was absent attending to the COVID testing and vaccine administration sites.

VI. Old Business

A. Legal Counsel Report – AAG Mr. Weinberg that all the Boards have yet to complete their Rules. Any Investigation of Complaints should consult with or talk to the Legal Counsel first before going any further with the Investigator, such as, settling with the Licensee before the Board's approval.

B. Complaints:

1) **2020-11 Reginald Mendoza against Noel Silan, DPM.**

This Complaint was assigned to Dr. Miller, to investigate. Dr. Miller, DPM reported that he was still reviewing the documents related to this case.

2) **2020-12 Patricia Roberts against Kevin Malakooti, DVM.**

This Complaint was assigned to Dr. Pomes, DVM. He was scheduled to talk to Dr. Malakooti.

VII. New Business

A. Initial/New Applications:

- 1) Tia LA, PA-C for *Physician Assistant* (Tajalle)
- 2) Jonei DELGADO for *Nutritionist/Clinical Dietitian* (San Nicolas)
Motioned by Miller; and seconded by San Nicolas. New Applications were approved.

B. Renewal Applications:

The following Renewals were approved. Motioned by Cepeda; Seconded by Miller

- 1) Gracielle DUPALOC for *Nutritionist/Clinical Dietitian* (San Nicolas)
- 2) Hee Jae LEE for *Nutritionist/Clinical Dietitian* (San Nicolas)
- 3) JongSun BAIK for *Acupuncture* (Balajadia)
- 4) Gregory MILLER for *Chiropractic Medicine* (Balajadia)
- 5) Stephen BEHNKE for *Clinical Psychology* (Balajadia)
- 6) Vincent PEREDA for *Licensed Mental Health Counselor* (Balajadia)
- 7) Carolyn ZIEBER for *Licensed Professional Counselor* (Cepeda)
- 8) Lynette ARRIOLA for *Licensed Professional Counselor* (Cepeda)
- 9) Jesse BALETO for *Licensed Professional Counselor* (Cepeda)
- 10) Marci NACU for *Licensed Professional Counselor* (Cepeda)
- 11) Marci NACU for *Marriage & Family Therapist* (Cepeda)
- 12) Roland GOLEZ for *Physical Therapy* (Claros)
- 13) Julienne DUENAS for *Physical Therapy* (Claros)
- 14) Jordan TINGSON for *Physical Therapy* (Claros)
- 15) Erickson GASCON for *Physical Therapy* (Claros)
- 16) Isaias SANTOS for *Physical Therapy* (Claros)
- 17) Mitchel SWENA for *Speech & Language Therapist* (Crisostomo)
- 18) Joame TOPACIO for *Physical Therapy Assistant* (Claros)

VIII. Miscellaneous

Mr. David Lubofsky was present to address the Board concerning his Complaints against 3 GMH Physical Therapists. The levels of care given to his 5-year-old son Asher were described in the CMS Report. Mr. Lubofsky wanted the Board to include the CMS Report in the Investigation.

IX. Next Meeting - Friday, January 8, 2021, at 12:00 noon

X. Adjournment

The Meeting was adjourned at 12:35 p.m. Motioned by Cepeda ; Seconded by Tajalle.

Minutes Approved: _____

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Date: _____

1/8/2021

For more information or those with special accommodations, please call the Parole Office at 735-4132/33.

Friday, January 8, 2021

12:00 PM - Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners

GBAHE will be conducting a Virtual Meeting via Go To Meeting Video Conferencing on Friday, January 8, 2021 at 12:00 p.m.

GBAHE Regular Board Meeting 1-8-21

Fri, Jan 8, 2021 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ChST)

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Wednesday, December 30, 2020

2:00 PM - Guam Ancestral Lands Commission Board

The Guam Ancestral Lands Commission Board Meeting will be held on Wednesday, December 30, 2020, at 2:00 pm. This meeting is open to the public via ZOOM.

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 824 5629 1377

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Rosemary D. Carman

From: Anita Arile
Sent: Monday, December 28, 2020 10:53 AM
To: Rosemary D. Carman
Subject: RE: GBAHE and GBNE Regular Mtg Announcements

Monday, December 28, 2020 - 10:51 AM

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