

Guam Board of Examiners for Dentistry
Wednesday, March 20, 2024 at 3:00 p.m. Guam (ChST)

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Meeting ID: 867 4950 3881; Passcode: 994383

MINUTES

	Item	Discussion	Responsible Party	Reporting Time Frame	Status	
I	Call to Order	Meeting Chaired by Dr. Rapadas	Chair	1506	Called to Order	
	A. Roll Call	GBED: <u>HPLO Conference:</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dr. Antonio Rapadas, Chair <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dr. Robert Yang, Secretary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dr. Collette Supit, Treasurer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Autumn Yoo, Member <i>Virtually Present:</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dr. Joon Ha, Vice Chair	Others Present <u>HPLO Conference:</u> Jennifer Bruan, HPLO	Chair	1506	Quorum Established
	B. Proof of Publications	Published: 3/13/2024 and 2/18/2024	GBED	1506	Noted	
II	Approval of Agenda	<i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Yang</i>	GBED	1507	Unanimously Approved	
III	Approval of Minutes	<i>Motion to approve minutes, dated 2/21/2024: Dr. Ha; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i>	GBED	1507	Unanimously Approved	
IV	Treasurer's Report	No report	Dr. Supit	1508	No report	
V	HPLO Administrator Report	HPLO: Nothing to Report	Z. Pecina	1517	No Report	
VI	New Business	A. Initial Application for Review and Approval	GBED	1519		
		1. Michelle Q. Mercado – Dental Auxiliary <i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i>			Unanimously Approved	
		2. Shaniah Muna – Dental Assistant <i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i>			Unanimously Approved	
		3. Leah Brown – Dental Assistant <i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i>			Unanimously Approved	
		4. Clark R. Moreno – Dental Assistant.			Unanimously Tabled	

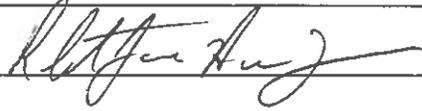
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		<p>A. Yoo reported that the application is incomplete: pending receipt for court order regarding a legal name change. <i>Motion to table: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i></p>			
		<p>B. Renewal Applications for Review and Approval 1. Mia Mae Diego-Stevens – Dental Assistant <i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i></p>			Unanimously Approved
		<p>2. Angelica R. Reyes – Dental Assistant <i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i></p>			Unanimously Approved
		<p>3. Georgia Jane A. Motes – Dental Assistant <i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i></p>			Unanimously Approved
		<p>4. Paulo Brando D. Sunga – Dental Assistant <i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i></p>			Unanimously Approved
		<p>C. Change of Workplace. 1. Dr. Tracy R. Sunga – Dentist <i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i></p>			Unanimously Approved
		<p>2. Malenckov Towai – Dental Assistant <i>Motion to approve: A. Yoo; 2nd: Dr. Supit</i></p>			Unanimously Approved
		<p>Change in CE requirements. The GBED discussed the CE requirements, which were reduced from 65 to 30 hours during COVID, and decided to increase the CE requirements to 40 hours for September 2025 applications. <i>Motion to raise CE to 40 hours: Dr. Supit; 2nd A. Yoo.</i></p> <p>Furthermore, Dr. Yang reminded the Board of the former Asst AG R. Weinberg’s suggestion for the Board to review the CE requirements to ensure the categories are in-line with the mandate. The Chair stated that this suggestion will be brought to the attention of the new Asst AG assigned to the GBED.</p> <p>With respect to the complaints decided by the Board in previous meetings, the Chair stated that he, on behalf of the Board, will officially write to the complainants and complainees indicating that the Board has determined that the licensees were not at fault; therefore, the complaints are officially closed. He stated that this letter will be coordinated with the Asst AG.</p>			<p>Unanimously Approved</p> <p>GBED to review CE Categories</p> <p>Chair to finalize letter to Officially Close Complaints</p>

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X	Announcements	Next Regular Board Meeting: April 17, 2024 at 3:00 p.m.	GBED	1515	Set Meeting Date
XI	Adjournment	Motion to Adjourn: Dr. Yang; 2 nd A. Yoo	GBED	1517	Adjourned

Minutes Drafted by: FLAME TREE Freedom Center, Inc.

Date Submitted: 3/27/2024

Submitted by the GBED Secretary:



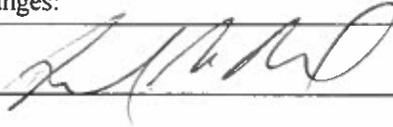
Date:

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Approved by the GBED with or without changes:

Date:

Certified by or Attested by the Chairperson:



Date:

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