

# **KENTUCKY BOARD OF PROSTHETICS, ORTHOTICS AND PEDORTHICS BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

**January 3, 2013 - 9:10 A.M.**

A regular Board meeting of the Kentucky Board for Prosthetics, Orthotics and Pedorthics was held at the Office of Occupations and Professions located at 911 Leawood Drive in Frankfort, KY on January 3, 2013.

## **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Sienna G. Newman  
Paul O. Hatcher  
Robert O. Williams  
Edward H. Gildehaus, III

## **OTHERS PRESENT**

Alan Kleinman  
Karen Lawson Bonn  
Ralph Bouvette  
Barry Crume  
Michael Blom  
Mike Lagerstrand

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Mrs. Newman called the meeting to order at 9:10 a.m.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

None

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **Adding BOC to the Board's Regulations**

- Letter from Claudia Zacharias, BOC President & CEO – The Board reviewed and discussed Ms. Zacharias' letter.
- Letter from Keith Senn, COO/Partner Center for Orthotic & Prosthetic Care – The Board reviewed and discussed Mr. Senn's letter.
- Brad Watson, Clarksville, Lim and Brace, Vice President & Maren Bonn, President Restorative Medical– Mr. Watson & Ms. Bonn addressed the Board with each of their concerns of not having the Board of Certification/Accreditation, International (BOC) in the Board's regulations for those applicants proceeding to gain certification with the Board of Certification/Accreditation, International (BOC) after January , 2013.
- Residency Requirements – The Board reviewed and discussed an e-mail from Mr. Mattingly in regards to the discrimination of residency requirements from Certification and Exam Deadlines with Board of Certification/Accreditation, International (BOC) & American Board of Certification (ABC) after January 1, 2013.

The discussed the process of adding the Board of Certification/Accreditation, International (BOC) to the Board's regulations and the time frame that the process could take.

Mr. Williams made a motion to amend regulation 201 KAR 44:090 and 201 KAR 44:120 to allow the Board of Certification/Accreditation, International (BOC) examination to qualify as one of the requirements for licensure with the Board. The motion, seconded by Mr. Hatcher, carried unanimously.

Mr. Gildehaus made a motion for Ms. Newman to create a response to the above who addressed the Board and the above discussed amongst the Board with the Board's response in regards to their concerns.

**Alan Kleinman** – Mr. Kleinman addressed the Board in regards to his uncertainty of needing licensure to practice as a Custom Shoemaker in Kentucky. Mr. Kleinman asked that the Board grandfather him with the Board as a Licensed Shoemaker. Mr. Hatcher made a motion to deny Mr. Kleinman's request for all exemptions with the Board. The motion, seconded by Mr. Gildehaus, carried unanimously. The Board recommends that Mr. Kleinman apply with the Board for licensure as a Pedorthist if he wishes to continue to practice in Kentucky.

**Kentucky Board of Pharmacy – KRS 319B.090** – The Board reviewed and discussed the letter from Michael Burleson, Executive Director of Kentucky Board of Pharmacy. Mr. Bouvette addressed the Board with his concerns in regards to KRS 319B.090 and pharmacist interns and pharmacy technicians. Mr. Gildehaus made a motion for Ms. Newman to create a letter with the Board's opinion on KRS 319B.090 (8). The motion, seconded by Mr. Hatcher, carried unanimously.

**Certification and Exam Deadlines with Board of Certification/Accreditation, International (BOC) & American Board of Certification (ABC)** – The Board reviewed and discussed an e-mail from Ms. Zacharias in regards to those applicants in the process of taking exams with ABC or BOC and are not able to get certified and licensed before the grandfathering licensing option with the Board expired. Mr. Williams made a motion that if applicants are scheduled to take exams with ABC/BOC prior to December 31, 2012 or have taken ABC/BOC exams and are waiting for results will be able to get grandfathered in once they have received their certification. Ms. Newman will address the exam deadline concern in a letter. The motion, seconded by Mr. Gildehaus, carried unanimously.

**Custom Orthoses** - The Board reviewed and discussed an e-mail from Ms. McGill in regards to an exception for two Licensed Orthotic Fitters being able to continue fabricating custom orthoses. Mr. Williams made a motion for Ms. Newman to create a letter with the Board's response. The motion, seconded by Mr. Gildehaus, carried unanimously.

**KRS 319 Question Inquiry** – The Board reviewed and discussed an e-mail from Mr. Correia in regards to questions he had about KRS 319. Mr. Gildehaus made a motion for Ms. Newman to create a letter with the Board's response. The motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, carried unanimously.

## **MINUTES**

The November 5, 2012 minutes were called to the attention of the Board. A motion was made by Mr. Gildehaus to approve the minutes as presented. The motion, seconded by Mr. Hatcher, carried unanimously.

## **FINANCIAL REPORT**

The Board reviewed the financial report ending November and December 2012. No actions taken.

## **LICENSURE REPORT**

The Licensure Report at the time of the meeting consisted of:

- 34 - Prosthetist / Orthotist
- 13 - Pedorthist
- 14 - Prothetist
- 21 - Orthotist
- 15 - Orthotic Fitter

## **REPORT FROM O & P**

Ms. Vick discussed an update with the Database and the position available for a new board administrator with Occupations and Profession Office.

## **BOARD COUNSEL REPORT**

Ms. Evans discussed with the Board about her meeting with the Kentucky Pharmacy Board in December and what it consisted of in regards to KRS 319B.090.

## **COMPLAINTS**

None

## **APPLICATIONS COMMITTEE**

Mr. Williams made a motion to defer the following applications as reviewed. The motion, seconded by Mr. Gildehaus, carried unanimously.

### LICENSED ORTHOTICS

Steven J. Keeton  
Jeffrey K. Johnson  
Larry A. Abramis  
Stephen Deaton  
David Walker  
Ryan Watson  
Robert W. Luckett  
Shawn A. Kirk

### LICENSED PROSTHETICS

Jonathan W. Justice  
Michael Lagerstrand  
Ron Odom  
Barry McClanahan  
Charles D. Cunliffe  
Ervin L. Stepp  
Ron W. Boots

### LICENSED PEDORTHICS

Robert Burnetts

### LICENSED PROSTHETICS & ORTHOTICS

Casey R. Thomas  
Shamshad Ahmed  
Shannon D. Kiser  
Luther H. Wooten, III  
Maria Harris  
Billy D. Wilson

### LICENSED ORTHOTIC FITTERS

Vince Adkins  
Joseph D. Desensi  
Cassidy R. Brown  
Tony G. Cook  
Louis A. Sprague  
William N. Carr  
Mandy J. Henderson  
Michael B. Sulek  
John P. Potter

Mr. Williams made a motion to deny the following applications as reviewed. The motion, seconded by Mr. Gildehaus, carried unanimously.

LICENSED ORTHOTIC FITTERS

Glenda Plowman  
Thomas J. Nichter  
Emily Newman  
Natalie Tefft  
Erick Kenkel  
Mary K. Hosch

LICENSED ORTHOTICS

Michael Blom

LICENSED PROSTHETICS

Nicholas T. Wheeler

Mr. Gildehaus made a motion to approve the following applications as reviewed. The motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, carried unanimously.

LICENSED PROSTHETICS

Stephen P. Deaton  
Bryan G. Fairbanks  
William B. Love  
Thomas E. Caldwell, III  
Douglas P. Smith  
David L. Wagers  
Jude E. Blair  
Kimberly Mattingly  
Eric D. Kimsey  
Steven A. Roller  
Robert W. Luckett  
David B. Luckett  
Steven J. Keeton

LICENSED ORTHOTICS

John W. Ryan  
Charles A. Kinne  
Eric D. Schopmeyer  
Robert B. Smith  
Mark A. Siegel  
Mark A. Martien  
Jamie M. Hicks  
Richard A. Romain  
Aaron J. Drury  
Michael P. Lagerstrand  
Donna C. Hinnant  
Susan M. Hinnant  
Michael T. Swords  
Michael D. Johnson

LICENSED PEDORTHICS

Mark A. Mahoney, Sr.  
Larry V. Abramis  
Terra R. Blandford  
Cecelis A. Cox  
Robert W. Luckett

LICENSED PROSTHETICS & ORTHOTICS

Aaron C. Royster  
Steven E. Ellis  
Richard Rocco, Jr.  
Richard Thiele  
Kurt A. Keeton  
Tim C. Ruth  
Jeffrey S. Phelps  
William I. Lester  
Robert L. Polander  
Keen R. Allen  
Brent T. Libby  
Jeffrey A. Luke  
Fahim U. Khan  
Ralph A. Strano  
Robert D. Price  
Thomas M. McIntosh

LICENSED ORTHOTIC FITTERS

Brenda S. Wells  
Michael E. Blom  
LeAnn R. Sexton  
Jeffrey K. Johnson  
Garry M. Burke  
Dana J. Taylor  
Gregory T. Frey  
Matthew A. Shadwick  
Ben L. Graves  
Stephen E. Gray  
Sherry A. Richter  
Jana M. Gray  
Richard D. Noland  
Ginger Skinner  
Elizabeth A. Peters  
Tim A. Wilson  
Brian P. Thomas  
Sonja L. Rawlings

Mr. Gildehaus abstained from the following application:  
Barry McClanahan

Ms. Newman abstained from the following application:  
Thomas E. Caldwell, II

Mr. Williams abstained from the following applications:

Ron W. Boots

Casey R. Thomas

Maria Harris

Ralph Strano

Thomas M. McIntosh

Tim C. Ruth

William I. Lester

### **NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. on February 13, 2013.

### **TRAVEL AND PER DIEM**

Mr. Gildehaus made a motion that travel and reasonable expenses be approved for today's meeting. Mr. Williams seconded the motion, carried unanimously.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Having no further business being brought before the Board for discussion Mrs. Newman asked for a motion to adjourn. Mr. Williams made a motion that the meeting be adjourned at 6:10 p.m. Mr. Gildehaus seconded the motion, carried unanimously

Prepared by: Robin Vick, Board Administrator  
January 25, 2013