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**Maine Board of Chiropractic Licensure
Minutes of the January 14, 2015 Board Meeting**

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Morin, called the meeting to order at 9:10 A.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Paul Morin, Chiropractor, Chairperson
Linda Boyle, Public Member
Moshe Myerowitz, Chiropractor
Robert Lynch, Chiropractor
Joseph Kerwin, Chiropractor
Chandra Sasseville, Chiropractor

STAFF PRESENT

Michael Miller, Assistant Attorney General
Kelly McLaughlin, Senior Consumer Assistant Specialist
Jessica Gowell, Planning and Research Associate I
Geraldine Betts, Administrator
James Liddell, Professional Licensing Supervisor

OLD BUSINESS

Review and approval of the minutes of September 24, 2014

In a motion by Kerwin, seconded by Myerowitz, to accept the minutes of September 24, 2014 as presented. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Complaint Committee's Report

2013 CHI 9202

Myerowitz recused and left the room.

In a motion by Morin, seconded by Boyle, to schedule 2013 PHA 9202 for an adjudicatory hearing with no offer of a consent agreement. Motion carried, Complaint Officer and Myerowitz recused, Lynch opposed.

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2014 CHI 9739

Lynch recused and left the room.

In a motion by Morin, seconded by Sasseville, to dismiss 2014 CHI 9739 with no evidence of a violation of the Board's Laws and Rules and authorize staff to file a complaint through the Board of Chiropractic Licensure due to the potential of practicing outside the scope and misrepresentation. Motion carried, Complaint Officer and Lynch recused.

2014 CHI 9794

Lynch recused and left the room.

In a motion by Morin, seconded by Sasseville, to dismiss 2014 CHI 9794 with no evidence of a violation of the Board's Laws and Rules and authorize staff to file a complaint through the Board of Chiropractic Licensure due to the potential of practicing outside the scope and misrepresentation. Motion carried, Complaint Officer and Lynch recused.

2014 CHI 10519

Sasseville and Myerowitz recused and left the room.

In a motion by Lynch, seconded by Morin, to dismiss 2014 CHI 10519 with no evidence of a violation of the Board's Laws and Rules. Motion carried, Complaint Officer, Sasseville and Myerowitz recused.

Election of Officers

In a motion by Morin, seconded by Boyle, to nominate and elect Paul Morin as Chairperson, Joseph Kerwin as Complaint Officer, Robert Lynch as Continuing Education Officer and Moshe Myerowitz as Secretary. Motion carried.

Board Action on Applications

Dustin Slocum, CR 815 (renewal)

In a motion by Kerwin, seconded by Morin, to preliminary deny licensure to Dustin Slocum, CR 815, and offer a consent agreement to include the following: 1) Admission to 10 M.R.S. § 8003(5-A)(A)(1); 10 M.R.S. § 8003-G(2)(B) and 10 M.R.S. § 8003(5-A)(A)(4); 2) Reprimand and 3) \$250.00 fine. Motion carried.

Roger Neadeau, CR 889 (reinstatement)

In a motion by Morin, seconded by Sasseville, to preliminary deny licensure to Roger Neadeau, CR 889, and offer a consent agreement to include the following: 1) Admission to 32 M.R.S. § 454; 32 M.R.S. §553-A(2) and Board Rules Chapter 6, § 1(A); 2) Completion of forty eight (48) hours of additional continuing education with at least twenty four (24) hours in Category 1 to be completed within six (6) months of the execution of the consent agreement which units shall be in addition to the units required for renewal; and 3) Pay a civil penalty of \$100.00 per continuing education hour not completed on time totaling \$2,400.00 and \$1,000.00 fine for unlicensed practice for a total of a \$3,400.00 fine. Motion carried.

Teri Langford, CR 2247 (initial application)

In a motion by Sasseville, seconded by Boyle, to give Teri Langford the opportunity to explain to the Board the current status of the license held in Texas which is "Probation CE." Once the Board receives the information they will act upon the initial application. Motion carried.

Cheryl Anne Veronica LaGrange, CR 2220

In a motion by Sasseville, seconded by Boyle, to authorize staff to obtain more information from Cheryl Anne Veronica LaGrange, CR2220, and to table action on the application. Motion carried.

Administrator's Report

Administrator Betts informed the Board that The Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation will soon be sending renewal reminders and licenses via email only. The effective date of these changes is to be determined.

Adjournment

There being no further business Morin motioned to adjourn at 1:20 p.m., seconded by Boyle. Motion carried.