

STATE OF MAINE
BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKER LICENSURE
Minutes of June 13, 2014 Board Meeting

I. CALL TO ORDER

Sheila Thibodeau, Board Chair, established a quorum was present and called the meeting to order at 9:17 a.m.

Members present: Sheila Thibodeau, Kathy Caliendo, Lee-Andra D’Attilio, and Linda Butler.

Others present: Torrey Gray, Board Administrator; Robert Perkins, AAG; Merica Tripp, Research and Planning Associate; and Colleen Eugley, Board Clerk.

Members Absent: None.

II. OLD BUSINESS

A. Review and Approval of March 14, 2014 Minutes

A motion was made by Linda Butler to approve the minutes for March 14, 2014. The motion was seconded by Kathy Caliendo.

Vote: 2 in favor (1 recused – Sheila Thibodeau)

III. NEW BUSINESS

A. Complaint Presentations

2013-SOC-9705

A complaint was filed against a social worker for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Sheila Thibodeau to dismiss the complaint. The motion was seconded by Lee-Andra D’Attilio.

Vote: 4 in favor

2013-SOC-9487

A complaint was filed against a social worker for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Sheila Thibodeau to dismiss the complaint. The motion was seconded by Linda Butler.

Vote: 4 in favor

2014-SOC-9858

A complaint was filed against a social worker for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Lee-Andra D'Attilio to dismiss the complaint. It will be reviewed under another board's jurisdiction. The motion was seconded by Kathy Caliendo.

Vote: 4 in favor

2013-SOC-9429

A complaint was filed against a social worker for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Sheila Thibodeau to dismiss the complaint. The motion was seconded by Lee-Andra D'Attilio.

Vote: 4 in favor

2014-SOC-9985

A complaint was filed against a social worker for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Kathy Caliendo to dismiss the complaint. The motion was seconded by Linda Butler.

Vote: 3 in favor (1 recused – Lee-Andra D'Attilio)

2013-SOC-9666

A complaint was filed against a social worker for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Lee-Andra D'Attilio to dismiss the complaint with a letter of guidance to be kept in the licensee's file for one year. The motion was seconded by Linda Butler.

Vote: 4 in favor

2014-SOC-9970

A complaint was filed against a social worker for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Linda Butler to dismiss the complaint. The motion was seconded by Kathy Caliendo.

Vote: 4 in favor

2013-SOC-9625

A complaint was filed against a social worker for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Linda Butler to dismiss the complaint. The motion was seconded by Lee-Andra D'Attilio.

Vote: 4 in favor

B. License Denial Hearings

Tonya Dearborn

The hearing began at 11:00 a.m.

The hearing ended at 12:00 p.m.

A motion was made by Lee-Andra D'Attilio to grant the appeal. The motion was seconded by Sheila Thibodeau.

Vote: 4 in favor

Dorothy Spiller

The hearing began at 12:13 p.m.

The hearing ended at 1:11 p.m.

A motion was made by Sheila Thibodeau to uphold the denial. The motion was seconded by Lee-Andra D'Attilio.

Vote: 4 in favor

C. Complaint Items

2013-SOC-9471 – Review letter of guidance

A motion was made by Sheila Thibodeau to approve the letter of guidance. The motion was seconded by Kathy Caliendo.

Vote: 3 in favor

2012-SOC-8292 – Approval of consent agreement

A motion was made by Sheila Thibodeau to approve the consent agreement. The motion was seconded by Kathy Caliendo.

Vote: 3 in favor

2010-SOC-6397

A motion was made by Sheila Thibodeau to approve the final quarterly report and close the case. The motion was seconded by Lee-Andra D’Attilio.

Vote: 4 in favor

2013-SOC-9201 – Review quarterly report

A motion was made by Sheila Thibodeau to approve the report. The motion was seconded by Lee-Andra D’Attilio.

Vote: 4 in favor

2010-SOC-6791 – Review quarterly report

A motion was made by Lee-Andra D’Attilio to approve the report. The motion was seconded by Linda Butler.

Vote: 4 in favor

2013-SOC-9152 – Review quarterly report

A motion was made by Kathy Caliendo to approve the report. The motion was seconded by Sheila Thibodeau.

Vote: 4 in favor

D. Application

Sergei Rukavitsyn

A motion was made by Lee-Andra D'Attilio to preliminarily deny the application. The motion was seconded by Linda Butler.

Vote: 4 in favor

IV. ADJOURN

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 1:35 p.m.

The next meeting is scheduled for July 11, 2014, in the Central Conference Room.

Respectfully submitted,

Colleen Eugley
Board Clerk