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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
BUREAU OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL AFFAIRS

**F I N A L M I N U T E S**

MEETING OF:

**STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY**

TIME: 9:33 A.M.

Board Room B  
One Penn Center  
2601 North Third Street  
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17110

Tuesday, June 12, 2018

State Board of Massage Therapy  
June 12, 2018

BOARD MEMBERS:

Becky D. Lesik, LMT, Chairperson  
Ian J. Harlow, Commissioner of Professional and  
Occupational Affairs - Absent  
Gloria E. Rosado, LMT, Vice Chairperson  
Camille Baughman, BS, MA, LMT, Professional Member  
Jamie H. Corey, LMT, Professional Member  
Mary Meyers, LMT, Secretary, Professional Member  
Nancy M. Porambo, MS, LMT, CNMT, NCTMB, Professional  
Member  
Linda A. Chamberlain, MS, BSN, RN, Chief, Division of  
Home Health, Secretary of Health Designee  
Jessica A. Nelson, Office of Attorney General Designee

BUREAU PERSONNEL:

Jacqueline A. Wolfgang, Esquire, Board/Regulatory  
Counsel  
Peter D. Kovach, Esquire, Board Counsel  
Dean F. Picarella, Esquire, Board Prosecution  
Liaison  
Adam L. Morris, Esquire, Board Prosecutor  
Carol J. Niner, Board Administrator

ALSO PRESENT:

Nina M. Kottcamp, NCBTMB, LMT, Harrisburg Area  
Community College  
Joshua Montross, Massage Therapy Student, Metro Beauty  
Academy  
Sierra Hickman, Massage Therapy Student, Metro Beauty  
Academy  
Stephanie Shull, WellSpan  
Olivia Supplee, Metro Beauty Academy  
Mike Walters, LMT, An Athlete's Edge  
Alania Lambert, Massage Therapy Student, Metro Beauty  
Academy  
Miranda Robinson, Massage Therapy Student, Metro  
Beauty Academy  
Brittany Moyer, Instructor, Metro Beauty Academy  
Ashley Zietlow, Metro Beauty Academy  
Larissa Woodring, Metro Beauty Academy  
Laura B. Embleton, Associated Bodywork & Massage  
Professionals

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ALSO PRESENT:

Natalie Cook, The Winter Group  
Shirley Scranta, American Organization for Bodywork  
Therapies of Asia, International School of Shiatsu

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2 State Board of Massage Therapy

3 June 12, 2018

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5 The regularly scheduled meeting of the State  
6 Board of Massage Therapy was held on Tuesday, June 12,  
7 2018. Becky Lesik, LMT, Chairperson, called the  
8 meeting to order at 9:33 a.m.

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10 [Chairperson Lesik requested the introduction of Board  
11 members, staff, and audience members in attendance.]

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13 Report of Prosecutorial Division

14 [Adam L. Morris, Esquire, Board Prosecutor, presented  
15 a Consent Agreement for File No. 18-72-01689.

16 Jamie Corey recused from the discussion on the  
17 matter.]

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19 Approval of Minutes of the April 10, 2018 meeting

20 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

21 I would like to back up to the approval  
22 of the Board minutes from our previous  
23 meeting, which was on April 10, 2018.

24 Any additions or corrections? With  
25 that, I need a motion from the floor to

1 approve as presented.

2 MS. PORAMBO:

3 Motion to approve as presented.

4 MS. COREY:

5 I'll second.

6 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

7 Jamie seconds. All those in favor? All  
8 those opposed? Any abstentions?

9 [The motion carried. Linda A. Chamberlain and Gloria  
10 Rosado abstained from voting on the motion.]

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12 Report of Board/Regulatory Counsel

13 [Jacqueline A. Wolfgang, Esquire, Board Counsel,  
14 referred to the Regulatory Status Report, noting the  
15 approval of the Fees regulation (16A-724) by the  
16 Office of General Counsel and the Office of Attorney  
17 General. She also referred Board members to the  
18 Status of Cases Report for review.

19 Ms. Wolfgang noted matters for deliberation  
20 during Executive Session.

21 Ms. Wolfgang noted the Drug Enforcement  
22 Administration (DEA) Regulations for the Board's  
23 review and information. She stated DEA ruled that  
24 marijuana extracts were a Schedule I drug. She also  
25 noted clarification regarding cannabidiol (CBD) oil.]

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2 [Pursuant to Section 708(a)(5) of the Sunshine Act, at  
3 9:44 a.m. the Board entered into Executive Session  
4 with Jacqueline A. Wolfgang, Esquire, Board/Regulatory  
5 Counsel, and Peter D. Kovach, Esquire, Board Counsel,  
6 to have attorney-client consultations and for the  
7 purpose of conducting quasi-judicial deliberations.  
8 The Board returned to open session at 1:58 p.m.]

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10 [Linda A. Chamberlain, MS, BSN, RN, Chief, Division of  
11 Home Health, exited the meeting at 1:58 p.m.]

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13 MOTIONS

14 MS. WOLFGANG:

15 Pursuant to Section 708(a)(5) of the  
16 Sunshine Act, the Board entered into  
17 Executive Session with Board Counsel to  
18 have attorney-client consultations and  
19 for the purpose of conducting  
20 quasi-judicial deliberations regarding  
21 BPOA vs. Monica Abbate; BPOA vs. Candace  
22 Frisby; the Application of Fengling Qu;  
23 the matter of the Application of Ann  
24 Gayma Rosenblum; BPOA vs. Yanhong Yao  
25 dba Healing Touch; the Applications on

1 the agenda at Items 10 through 20; and  
2 CE Waiver requests of Giselle Liana  
3 Scott, LMT and Kelly Kark.

4 I believe the Board would entertain  
5 a motion at this time regarding BPOA vs.  
6 Monica Abbate, File No. 13-72-11263. I  
7 believe the Board would consider a  
8 motion to adopt the proposed  
9 Adjudication and Order of the Hearing  
10 Examiner.

11 MS. COREY:

12 So moved.

13 MS. MEYERS:

14 Second.

15 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

16 All those in favor? All those opposed?

17 Any abstentions?

18 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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20 MS. WOLFGANG:

21 Regarding BPOA vs. Candace Frisby, File  
22 No. 15-72-02063, I believe the Board  
23 would consider a motion to adopt the  
24 proposed Adjudication and Order of the  
25 Hearing Examiner.

1 MS. ROSADO:

2 So moved.

3 MS. PORAMBO:

4 Second.

5 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

6 Gloria first. Nancy second. All those  
7 in favor? All those opposed? Any  
8 abstentions?

9 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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11 MS. WOLFGANG:

12 Regarding the matter of the Application  
13 of Fengling Qu, File No. 18-72-01602, I  
14 believe the Board would entertain a  
15 motion to adopt the proposed Memorandum  
16 Order of the Hearing Examiner.

17 MS. ROSADO:

18 So moved.

19 MS. COREY:

20 I'll second.

21 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

22 Jamie seconds. All those in favor? All  
23 those opposed? Any abstentions?

24 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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1 MS. WOLFGANG:

2                   Regarding the matter of the Application  
3                   of Ann Rosenblum, File No. 17-72-10127,  
4                   I believe the Board would entertain a  
5                   motion to adopt the proposed Memorandum  
6                   Order of the Hearing Examiner.

7 MS. BAUGHMAN:

8                   So moved.

9 MS. PORAMBO:

10                   Second.

11 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

12                   All those in favor? All those opposed?

13                   Any abstentions?

14 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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16 MS. WOLFGANG:

17                   Regarding BPOA vs. Yanhong Yao dba  
18                   Healing Touch, File No. 14-72-11454, I  
19                   believe the Board would entertain a  
20                   motion to instruct Board Counsel to  
21                   draft an A&O pursuant to discussions in  
22                   Executive Session.

23 MS. MEYERS:

24                   So moved.

25 MS. NELSON:

1 I'll second.

2 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

3 All those in favor? All those opposed?

4 Any abstentions?

5 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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7 MS. WOLFGANG:

8 Regarding the Consent Agreement at Item  
9 No. 9 of your agenda, File No. 18-72-  
10 01689, I believe the Board would  
11 entertain a motion to adopt the Consent  
12 Agreement. I would note for the record  
13 that Jamie Corey has recused from this  
14 matter.

15 MS. ROSADO:

16 So moved.

17 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

18 Gloria first. We need a second from the  
19 Board.

20 MS. MEYERS:

21 Second.

22 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

23 Mary seconds. All those in favor? All  
24 those opposed? Any abstentions?

25 [The motion carried. Jamie Corey recused herself from

1 deliberations and voting on the motion. The name of  
2 the case is BPOA vs. John Paul Kowalski, L.M.T.]

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4 MS. WOLFGANG:

5 I believe the Board would entertain a  
6 motion to provisionally deny the  
7 Application of Amy Suzanne Miller.

8 MS. COREY:

9 So moved.

10 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

11 Jamie first.

12 MS. BAUGHMAN:

13 Second.

14 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

15 Camille seconds. All those in favor?

16 All those opposed?

17 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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19 MS. WOLFGANG:

20 I believe the Board would entertain a  
21 motion to grant the Application of Julie  
22 Ann Nelson. For the record, Board  
23 member Nancy Porambo has recused from  
24 this matter.

25 MS. BAUGHMAN:

1                   So moved.

2 MS. MEYERS:

3                   Second.

4 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

5                   Camille first and Mary second. All  
6                   those in favor?

7 [The motion carried. Nancy Porambo recused herself  
8 from deliberations and voting on the motion. Mary  
9 Meyers opposed the motion.]

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11 MS. WOLFGANG:

12                   I believe the Board would entertain a  
13                   motion to grant the Application of  
14                   Amanda McClain.

15 MS. COREY:

16                   So moved.

17 MS. PORAMBO:

18                   Second.

19 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

20                   Jamie first. Nancy second. All those  
21                   in favor? All those opposed? Any  
22                   abstentions?

23 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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25 MS. WOLFGANG:

1 I believe the Board would entertain a  
2 motion to provisionally deny the  
3 Application of Leslie Rottstein pursuant  
4 to discussions in Executive Session.

5 MS. NELSON:

6 So moved.

7 MS. BAUGHMAN:

8 Second.

9 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

10 Jessica first. Camille second. All  
11 those in favor? All those opposed? Any  
12 abstentions?

13 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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15 MS. WOLFGANG:

16 I believe the Board would entertain a  
17 motion to provisionally deny the  
18 Application of Xingmeng Chen Luse.

19 MS. COREY:

20 So moved.

21 MS. PORAMBO:

22 Second.

23 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

24 Jessica first. Nancy second. All those  
25 in favor? All those opposed? Any

1 abstentions?

2 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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4 MS. WOLFGANG:

5 I believe the Board would entertain a  
6 motion to provisionally deny the  
7 Application of Bin Wang.

8 MS. BAUGHMAN:

9 I so move.

10 MS. MEYERS:

11 Second.

12 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

13 Camille first. Mary second. All those  
14 in favor? All those opposed? Any  
15 abstentions?

16 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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18 MS. WOLFGANG:

19 I believe the Board would entertain a  
20 motion to provisionally deny the  
21 Application of Zi Jia Yin.

22 MS. COREY:

23 So moved.

24 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

25 Jamie first.

1 MS. PORAMBO:

2 I'll second.

3 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

4 Nancy second. All in favor? All those  
5 opposed? Any abstentions?

6 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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8 MS. WOLFGANG:

9 I believe the Board would entertain a  
10 motion to provisionally deny the  
11 Application of Heehwa Choi Polkowski.

12 MS. COREY:

13 So moved.

14 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

15 Jamie first.

16 MS. MEYERS:

17 Second.

18 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

19 Mary second. All in favor? All those  
20 opposed? Any abstentions?

21 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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23 MS. WOLFGANG:

24 I believe the Board would entertain a  
25 motion to deny the Application of

1                   Xiaonan Sun pursuant to instructions  
2                   given to Board Counsel and the Board  
3                   Administrator.

4 MS. PORAMBO:

5                   So moved.

6 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

7                   Nancy first.

8 MS. NELSON:

9                   I'll second.

10 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

11                   Jessica second. All in favor? All  
12                   those opposed? Any abstentions?

13 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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15 MS. WOLFGANG:

16                   I believe the Board would entertain a  
17                   motion to grant the Application of  
18                   Tiffany Rei Silliman Cohen.

19 MS. COREY:

20                   So moved.

21 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

22                   Jamie first.

23 MS. ROSADO:

24                   Second.

25 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:



1                   Gloria second. All in favor? All those  
2                   opposed?

3 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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5 MS. WOLFGANG:

6                   I believe the Board would entertain a  
7                   motion to grant the Reactivation  
8                   Application of Amanda Marie Spangler  
9                   without further examination.

10 MS. PORAMBO:

11                   So moved.

12 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

13                   Nancy first.

14 MS. MEYERS:

15                   Second.

16 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

17                   Mary second. All those in favor? All  
18                   those opposed? Any abstentions?

19 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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21 MS. WOLFGANG:

22                   I believe the Board would entertain a  
23                   motion to grant the CE Waiver of Giselle  
24                   Liana Scott, L.M.T.

25 MS. ROSADO:

1                   So moved.

2 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

3                   Gloria first.

4 MS. PORAMBO:

5                   Second.

6 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

7                   Nancy second. All those in favor? All  
8                   those opposed?

9 [The motion carried unanimously.]

10   \*\*\*

11 MS. WOLFGANG:

12                   I believe the Board would entertain a  
13                   motion to grant an extension of six  
14                   months for CE and also waive the  
15                   in-person contact hour requirement for  
16                   Kelly Kark.

17 MS. PORAMBO:

18                   So moved.

19 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

20                   Nancy first.

21 MS. ROSADO:

22                   Second.

23 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

24                   Gloria second. All those in favor? All  
25                   those opposed? Any abstentions?

1 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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3 Public Session

4 [Laura B. Embleton, Associated Bodywork & Massage  
5 Professionals, suggested conducting the public session  
6 at the beginning of the meeting. Ms. Niner was  
7 requested to inform the Board before the meeting of  
8 the agenda containing only reports on disciplinary  
9 actions in order to entertain such a suggestion.

10 Ms. Embleton questioned whether the Fees  
11 regulations had been sent to the Independent  
12 Regulatory Review Commission (IRRC) IRRC for its  
13 review. Ms. Wolfgang stated the regulations should  
14 soon be forwarded to IRRC.]

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16 Adjournment

17 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

18 I would like a motion from the Board to  
19 adjourn.

20 MS. PORAMBO:

21 Motion to adjourn.

22 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

23 Nancy. Second, please?

24 MS. NELSON:

25 Second.

1 CHAIRPERSON LESIK:

2                   Jessica second. All those in favor?

3                   All those opposed? Any abstentions?

4 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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6 [There being no further business, the State Board of  
7 Massage Therapy Meeting adjourned at 2:11 p.m.]

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10   CERTIFICATE

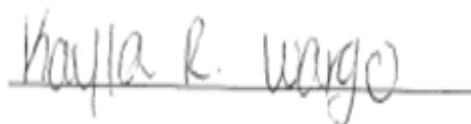
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12           I hereby certify that the foregoing summary  
13 minutes of the State Board of Massage Therapy Meeting,  
14 was reduced to writing by me or under my supervision,  
15 and that the minutes accurately summarize the  
16 substance of the State Board of Massage Therapy  
17 Meeting.

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Kayla R. Wargo,

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Minute Clerk

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Sargent's Court Reporting

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Service, Inc.

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STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY  
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11	9:39	Approval of Minutes
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13	9:40	Report of Regulatory Counsel
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15	9:41	Report of Board Counsel
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17	9:44	Executive Session
18	1:58	Return to Open Session
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20	1:58	Motions
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22	2:08	Public Session
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24	2:11	Adjournment
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