

<p>Georgia State Board of Funeral Service Board Meeting May 11, 2010</p>

Public Hearing:

A public hearing was held on May 11, 2010 at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA, for the purpose of taking action against Riverdale Cremation Service due to the results of a routine inspection. Vice Chairman, Terry Daviston called the hearing to order at 9:06 a.m. The hearing was adjourned and the Board began its regular meeting.

A meeting of the Georgia State Board of Funeral Service was held on May 11, 2010 at the Professional Licensing Boards office in Macon, GA. Terry Daviston, Vice Chairman, called the meeting to order immediately following adjournment of the public hearing.

A quorum was established with members present being: Terry Daviston, Vice Chairman; Draper Watson, David Roach, Linda Ware, Nancy Kennedy and Thelon Hamby.

Others present were as follows: Steve Lindsey, Executive Director; Melanie Brown, Board Support Specialist; Marie Owens, Inspector; Howard Fields, Inspector, Reagan Dean, Assistant Attorney General and Graham Barron, Assistant Attorney General via teleconference.

Thelon Hamby moved, Linda Ware seconded, and the Board voted to close the case against Riverdale Cremation Service with no action.

Linda Ware moved, Draper Watson seconded, and the Board voted to approve the minutes of the April 13, 2010 meeting with one correction.

Draper Watson moved, Linda Ware seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the following licenses issued since the April 13, 2010 meeting:

1.	CREM000086	East Georgia Crematory	Crematory	Swainsboro	GA
2.	FEST001756	Blankumsee, Thomas & Wright Funeral Services (BTW)	Funeral Establishment	Quitman	GA
3.	FEST001757	Williams Funeral Home of Eatonton	Funeral Establishment	Eatonton	GA
4.	FEST001758	Miller's Family Mortuary Inc	Funeral Establishment	Griffin	GA
5.	FSA005122	Duff, Charles Ryan	Funeral Service Apprentice	Atlanta	GA
6.	FSA005123	Slate, Benjamin Wade	Funeral Service Apprentice	Toccoa	GA
7.	FSA005124	Wright, Timothy C	Funeral Service Apprentice	Smiths Station	AL
8.	FSA005125	Mike, Derrick Marko	Funeral Service Apprentice	Albany	GA

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9.	FSA005126	Wimberly, Felicia Taylor	Funeral Service Apprentice	Gainesville	GA
10.	FSA005127	Hufstetler, Dwight Frank, Jr	Funeral Service Apprentice	Villa Rica	GA

Thelon Hamby moved to enter into Executive Session to deliberate on applications, complaints, and investigations, as authorized by O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2 (k) and 43-1-19 (h). David Roach seconded the motion. The motion was carried by Terry Daviston, Vice Chairperson; Draper Watson, David Roach, Linda Ware, Nancy Kennedy and Thelon Hamby. The Board concluded Executive Session in order to vote on the matters discussed and to continue with the public session.

Linda Ware moved, David Roach seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations made in Executive Session on the following appointments:

10:00 a.m.		Cognizant Interview	C M T D T M Inc.	Referred to Attorney General for consent order
10:00 a.m.	1230425	Apprentice Supervising Trade Embalmer	Nesbitt, Karen Owens Supervisor: George Wyche	Approve
10:15 a.m.	1223967	FDFCC	American Crematory FDFCC: Patty S. Decker-Hastings	Approve
10:15 a.m.	1231889	FDFCC	Banister Funeral Home FDFCC: Amanda Ray Lucas	Approve
10:30 a.m.	1233274	FDFCC	Peoples Funeral Home FDFCC: Lloyd Thomas	Approve
10:30 a.m.	1227741	New Establishment	Bentley's Crematory FDFCC: Calvin J. Bentley, Sr.	Approve
10:45 a.m.	1230647	FDFCC	Collins Funeral Home FDFCC: William Michael McPherson	Approve
10:45 a.m.	1222076	FDFCC	Community Funeral Home of Pike FDFCC: Sigrid Raquel Russell- Kendall	Approve
11:00 a.m.	1230650	FDFCC	Smith's Mortuary FDFCC: Rochelle Dennis Smith	Approve
11:00 a.m.	1230903	FDFCC	Jones-Stewart Funeral Home FDFCC: Jamie Shane Stewart	Approve
11:15 a.m.	1231893	FDFCC	Hicks Funeral Home FDFCC: Karen Beth Davis	Reschedule
11:15 a.m.	1232044	New Establishment	Lawson Funeral Home LLC FDFCC: Lawson, James Arthur	Approve

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11:30 a.m.		New Establishment Name Change	Southcare Cremation Society and Memorial Center	Approve
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1.	Jones Funeral Chapel	1231871	Funeral Establishment	Crawford, GA	Approve
2.	Helton Bros Funeral Home	1232952	Funeral Establishment	Bremen, GA	Approve
3.	Daryl Hammond	1168748 1168751	Embalmer Funeral Directory	Gainesville, GA	Approve
4.	Gloria Ingram	1230709	Embalmer	Cumming, GA	Approve
5.	Williams, Derwin	1220647	Apprentice	Decatur, GA	Deny
6.	Harper, Donna May	1217185 1217187	Embalmer Funeral Directory By Reciprocity	Suwanee, GA	Approve
7.	Caver, Johnell		Embalmer Funeral Directory By Endorsement/Reciprocity	Lake Wales, FL	Approve
8.	Ingram, Adrick Alexander	1230987 1230989	Embalmer Funeral Director	Macon, GA	Approve

Linda Ware moved, David Roach seconded, and the Board voted to accept the report of pending cases presented by the Attorney General.

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Linda Ware moved, David Roach seconded, and the Board voted to accept recommendations made in Executive Session on the following complaint and compliance issues:

Complaints:

• FUN090095	Send appointment letter for FDFCC to meet with the cognizant
• FUN090106	Close
• FUN100102	Close with letter of concern to Funeral Home urging them to file death certificates in a timely manner
• FUN100106	Refer to AG for public consent order \$500 fine, pay restitution to the family in the amount of \$3,600.00, provide proof of \$3,600.00 paid in full to family, and suspend license for 2 years Board will follow up on theft by deception charge

Orders Accepting Fine Money:

A. L. Spaulding Funeral Home	Mc Rae	Each casket meets pricing information requirements	\$200	Accept
Harrington Funeral Home	Lakeland	Eight Adult Caskets in Display Room	\$300	Accept

Thelon Hamby moved, Draper Watson seconded, and the Board voted to approve the following Continuing Education courses:

Program Provider/Sponsor	Course Title	HRS Approved	DENIED *include reason
International Cemetery and Funeral Association	ICCFA University, College of 21 st Century Services	25	
	ICCFA University, College of Administration and Management	25	
	ICCFA University, College of Cremation Services	25	

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	ICCFA University, College of Funeral Home Management	24.5	
	ICCFA University, College of Land Management & Grounds Operations	0	Not germane to the profession
	ICCFA University, College of Sales & Marketing	24.5	
NFDA Kathleen Walczak 13625 Bishop's Drive Brookfield, WI 3005-6607 800-228-6332 262-789-6977 fax	Executive Roundtable Group 1	22	
	Executive Roundtable Group 2	22	
	Dealing with the Media in the 21 st Century	1	
Select Independent Funeral Homes Amy Hunt, Director of Meetings and Education 500 Lake Cook Road Suite 205 Deerfield, IL 60015 800-323-4219 847-236-9968 fax ahunt@selectedfuneralhomes.org	Group 3 Roundtable Meeting - Exploring the Legal Aspects of Copyright and Cremation Perry, GA	4	
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Thelon Hamby moved, Linda Ware seconded, and the Board voted as follows on the following items of other business:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chappelle M. Williams EMB004097 FD004499 	Request to waive the final year of probation	Deny
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Craig Wright</u> <u>FSA004292</u> 	Request to keep apprentice hours previously completed	Approve

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• <u>Nathaniel Payne</u> <u>FD002955</u>	Request to lift probation	Approve
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The next meeting of the Board will be June 8, 2010, at 10:00 a.m. at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 3:15p.m.

Minutes approved at the June 8, 2010 board meeting.