

**GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY
MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING
September 04, 2008**

The Georgia Board of Massage Therapy board meeting was held on September 04, 2008, 10:00 a.m., at the Professional Licensing Boards Division offices located at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

The following members were present:

Jane H. Johnson, Chairman
Kathy V. Lescak, Vice Chairman
Melony Phillips, Cognizant
Steve Earles

Absent:

Marlene Gaskill, Consumer

Administrative Staff Present:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director, Lynn Eason, Investigations Area Supervisor, Chris Harvey, Deputy Inspector General, Serena Gadson, Application Specialist II, Yvonne LeSane, Application Specialist, Pam Candler, Application Specialist and Amanda Allen, Board Secretary

Attorney General's Office

Janet Jackson, Assistant Attorney General (via video-conference)

Ms. Johnson established that a quorum of the Board was present and called the Board meeting to order at 9:03 a.m.

Agenda:

Ms. Phillips moved, Ms. Lescak seconded, and the Board voted to approve the agenda as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Announcements:

Ms. Johnson announced that Ms. Marlene Gaskill, Consumer Member would be unable to attend today's scheduled Board meeting.

Minutes:

Ms. Lescak moved, Ms. Phillips seconded, and the Board voted to approve the Minutes from the following scheduled meeting dates with corrections. None opposed, motion carried.

- June 19-20, 2008
- June 27, 2008 Conference Call
- July 15, 2008 Conference Call

Correspondence:

Correspondence received between scheduled Board meetings were reviewed, discussed and responses provided to the following individuals by the Administrative Staff:

- Lori A. Dampier
- Patricia James
- Angela Michelle Lanier

Ms. Lescak moved, Ms. Phillips seconded, and the Board voted for the administrative staff to respond to all correspondence presented to the Board as directed. None opposed, motion carried.

Investigations Division

The Board met with Mr. Lynn Eason, Investigations Area Supervisor, and Mr. Chris Harvey, Deputy Inspector General, to discuss all issues and concerns regarding the complaint process.

The Board agreed to arrange a training session with the Investigations Division regarding massage therapy and ethics. Ms. Phillips will oversee the training session.

Executive Director's Report:

1. Copies of the 2009 Proposed Board meeting dates were distributed to the Board. The Board stated they would review and discuss the proposed dates at the next scheduled Board meeting.
2. Mr. Zimmerman summarized to the Board of the current budget cuts and the reorganization plans of the Professional Licensing Boards Division.
3. Mr. Zimmerman informed the Board that all licensed Massage Therapist would be able to renew their license on-line towards the end of September. All licensees who provided and maintain an active e-mail address will receive notification of the upcoming renewal via e-mail.
4. Mr. Zimmerman informed the Board that he had received several correspondences in reference to licensed Massage Therapist practicing out of their scope of practice by performing massage techniques on animals. AAG, Ms. Janet Jackson, stated she would have to review the law on veterinary practices, in order to, ascertain whether massage therapist are allowed to perform massages on animals. The Board voted to table the discussion until a later date and time.
5. Mr. Zimmerman requested clarification from AAG, Janet Jackson on how the Board should handle the inappropriate advertisements listed in the local telephone directories by AT&T. The Board stated that would table the discussion until the next scheduled Board meeting allowing Assistant Attorney General, Janet Jackson time to review the material distributed by the Board. **Mr. Earles moved, Ms. Phillips seconded, and the Board voted to refer the distributed information to AAG, Ms. Janet Jackson for legal recommendations.**

6. The Board requested an updated status on the information submitted to Mr. Bill Crews, Non-public Post Secondary Educational Commission during an earlier scheduled Board meeting regarding the guidelines and procedures involving the approval of Georgia Schools as Board Recognized Massage Therapy Educational Programs. Mr. Zimmerman stated he would contact Mr. Bill Crews in reference to attending the next scheduled Board meeting via in person, teleconference, or by providing the Board a written status report.
7. Mr. Zimmerman discussed drafting a standard response letter regarding all massage therapy complaints received for review dealing with on-line explicit Massage Therapy advertisements. Ms. Johnson stated she would draft the letter and distribute it to the Board for review at the next scheduled Board meeting. All letters submitted to the owners of such websites will be ratified by the Board at their next scheduled Board meeting.

Ms. Phillips moved, Mr. Earles seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Executive Director's Report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Policy and Rule Discussion

SYNOPSIS OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY RULES, CHAPTER 345-1, RULE 345-1-.01 DEFINITIONS

PURPOSE: The purpose of the proposed amendment is to define an additional nationally available exam acceptable to the Board

MAIN FEATURES: The main feature of the proposed amendment is to add a second nationally available exam approved by the Board as one requirement for licensure.

THE PROPOSED CHAPTER TO THE GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY RULES, CHAPTER 345-1 DEFINITIONS.

NOTE: Underlined text is proposed to be added; lined through text is proposed to be deleted.

Chapter 345-1 Definitions.

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345-1-.01 Definitions.

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(1) Applicant – Any person seeking licensure under this chapter.

(2) Board – The Georgia Board of Massage Therapy established by this chapter (hereafter: “Board”).

(3) License – A valid and current certificate of registration issued by the Board.

- (4) Licensee – any person holding a license.
- (5) Massage Therapist – any person who administers massage or massage therapy for compensation.
- (6) Massage Therapy – See O.C.G.A. § 43-24A-3.
- (7) Supervision – For purposes of this chapter "supervised" means the supervisor is physically on-site, qualified and immediately available.
- (8) NCBTMB - National Certification Board for Therapeutic Massage & Bodywork.
- ~~(9)~~ (a) NCETM Exam – National Certification Exam for Therapeutic Massage.
- ~~(10)~~ (b) NCETMB Exam – National Certification Exam for Therapeutic Massage & Bodywork.
- (9) FSMTB – Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards.
 - (a) MBLEx Exam – Massage & Bodywork Licensing Exam (Offered by FSMTB)
- ~~(11)~~ (10) Approved Provider (of Continuing Education hours) means one that holds the designation of “Approved Provider for Continuing Education” by the NCBTMB, or other CE provider approved by the board.
- ~~(12)~~ (11) Sexually Oriented Business – For the purposes of the board rules, sexually oriented business shall mean, not inclusively or limited to, a sex parlor, massage parlor, adult bookstore, adult movie theater, adult video store, adult motel, spa alluding to sexual content or services or other commercial business which offer items or services to provide sexual stimulation or gratification to the public.
- ~~(13)~~ (12) Clock Hour – one “clock hour” of continuing education refers to at least fifty (50) minutes of any one clock hour during which a student participates in a learning activity in the physical presence of an instructor, or in a distance learning activity designed by an approved provider.
- ~~(14)~~ (13) Advertise – for the purposes of this chapter of the Board rules, “advertise” shall mean, but is not limited to, any issuance or distribution of any card, sign or other device, or, any allowance or permission of the issuance or distribution of any card, sign or other device to any form of media or placement in any physical entity.

AUTHORITY: O.C.G.A. §§

Ms. Lescak moved, Mr. Earles seconded, and the Board voted to post Rule 345-4-.01 Definitions with the proposed amendments upon the receipt of the memo of authority by the Assistant Attorney General.

**SYNOPSIS OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE
GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY RULES,**

**CHAPTER 345-4, RULE 345-4-.01(2) LICENSE RENEWAL, RULE 345-4-.02
CONTINUING EDUCATION HOURS**

PURPOSE: The purpose of the proposed rule amendment is to _____

MAIN FEATURES: The main feature of the proposed rule amendment is to _____

**THE PROPOSED CHAPTER TO THE GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE
THERAPY RULES, CHAPTER 345-4, RULE 345-4-.02 CONTINUING
EDUCATION HOURS**

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345-4-.02 Continuing Education Hours

(1) Every massage therapist licensed pursuant to this chapter shall be required to complete a minimum of twenty-four (24) continuing education (CE) hours related to the practice of massage therapy as a condition for renewing his or her license for each biennium renewal expiration date except as otherwise provided for in this chapter.

(2) ~~A listing of courses and/or providers, not all inclusive, which have been pre-approved by the Board as acceptable course hours toward the continuing education requirements of the Board, may be available on the board's website or from the board office. Approved providers for Continuing Education may be found on the National Certification Board for Therapeutic Massage and Bodywork website at www.ncbtmb.org. Licensees do not have to be nationally certified by NCBTMB to access the NCBTMB continuing education providers. The Board only accepts those Continuing Education Providers assigned a provider code number by NCBTMB.~~

(3) The Board may consider a waiver or variance of the requirement of CE hours for licensees who can provide acceptable proof of a verifiable illness, disability or hardship that substantially affected their ability to obtain the required CE hours during the prior biennium renewal period through submission to the board of a completed, signed waiver/variance request form *prior* to the biennium renewal expiration date of October 31st of every even numbered year.

(4) An applicant who is licensed **during the second year** of the biennium renewal period shall only be required to provide 12 hours of continuing education (CE) hours for that renewal period.

(5) An applicant having graduated from a Board recognized approved massage therapy education program within one year of their application date shall be exempt from continuing education requirements for their initial biennium renewal period only.

(6) An applicant for reinstatement must show along with their completed application that they have taken the required twenty-four (24) hours of continuing education within one (1) year of the date of their reinstatement application to the board.

(7) Each licensed massage therapist shall maintain records of attendance and supporting documents for continuing education for a period of three (3) years from the date of attendance.

(8) Reporting and Auditing: The method of reporting and auditing continuing education shall be:

(a) At the time of license renewal, each massage therapist shall certify to the Board that he/she has completed the continuing educational hours required for license renewal.

(b) The staff of the Professional Licensing Boards shall randomly audit a percentage, determined by the Board, of active licensees for compliance with continuing education requirements. Documentation of continuing education which the Board deems as acceptable proof or verification of completion shall include, but is not limited to, the following:

1. For continuing education courses that include attendance and participation at a presentation such as a workshop, seminar, conference or in-service educational program, a certificate of completion or similar documentation, including your massage therapy license number and the providers CEU Number, signed by program official and a program description including sponsor, course title, date, program objective/learning outcomes, content description, agenda or schedule;

2. Lectures and Multi-Media courses: For lectures, a certificate of completion or similar documentation, including your massage therapy license number and the providers CEU Number, signed by program official and a program description including sponsor, course title, date, program objective/learning outcomes, content description, agenda or schedule. Multi-Media courses shall require the successful completion and submission of a written post experience examination to evaluate material retention. Multi-Media courses include, but are not limited to, audio, audiovisual, closed circuit television, and the internet;

3. Correspondence Courses: A certificate of completion or similar documentation, including your massage therapy license number and the providers CEU Number signed by program official and a program description including sponsor, course title, date, program objective/learning outcomes, content description, agenda or schedule;

4. Formal self study, viewing of videotapes in a professional setting, satellite broadcasts, or computer learning activities must include:

(i) Verified instructional time by the course sponsor; a certificate of completion or similar documentation signed by program official; and

(ii) A program description including sponsor, course title, date, program objective/learning outcomes, content description.

Authority:

Authority: O.G.C.A. §§ _____

Ms. Lescak moved, Mr. Earles seconded, and the Board voted to post Rule 345-3-.02 Continuing Education Hours with the proposed amendments upon the receipt of the memo of authority by the Assistant Attorney General.

**SYNOPSIS OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE
GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY RULES,
CHAPTER 345-3, RULE 345-3-.02 APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE POST JULY
1, 2007.**

PURPOSE: The purpose of the proposed rule amendment is _____

MAIN FEATURES: The main feature of the proposed rule amendment is _____

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**DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE EXISTING RULE AND THE PROPOSED
AMENDMENT TO THE GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY RULES,
CHAPTER 345-3, RULE 345-3-.02(20(f)) APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE POST JULY
1, 2007**

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Chapter 345-3 APPLICATIONS

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345-3-.01 Application for Licensure Prior to July 1, 2007

345-3-.02 Application for Licensure Post July 1, 2007. Amended.

345-3-.02 Application for Licensure Post July 1, 2007

(1) The applicant for licensure as a massage therapist shall submit an application on a form approved by the Board, and evidence satisfactory to the Board that the applicant:

- (a) is at least 18 years of age; and
- (b) has a high school diploma, GED, or recognized equivalent; and
- (c) is a citizen of the United States or a permanent resident of the United States.

(2) In addition to the information called for on the form, the applicant must also submit the following:

- (a) three (3) references: two (2) professional references from licensed healthcare professionals or instructors from a massage therapy program, and, one (1) personal reference (excluding immediate family). All references must have known the applicant for two (2) years; however, for applicants who have graduated from a massage therapy program within one (1) year of the date of their application, the licensed professional references or instructors must have known the applicant for only a minimum of six (6) months; and

(b) photograph of the applicant. Only a passport type (3"X 3") photo taken within the past twelve months will be accepted; and

(c) authorization to perform a criminal background check; and

(d) the proper fee – see fee schedule; and

(e) official school transcript, **in original sealed envelope** , by the applicant’s school or program, of successful completion (graduation) of a board-recognized massage therapy education program consisting of a minimum of five-hundred (500) hours of course and clinical work in accordance with Board rule 345-8; and

(f) official verification from ~~the~~ NCBTMB (National Certification Board for Therapeutic Massage and Bodywork) or FSMTB (Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards) showing applicant has passed the NCBTMB National Certification Exam for Therapeutic Massage (NCETM) or ~~the~~ National Certification Exam for Therapeutic Massage & Bodywork (NCETMB), or, the FSMTB Massage & Bodywork Licensing Exam (MBLEx), or an exam deemed equivalent or equal to the NCE or FSMTB exam by the Board.

Authority O.C.G.A. §§

Ms. Lescak moved, Mr. Earles seconded, and the Board voted to post Rule 345-3-.02 Application for Licensure Post July 01, 2007 with the proposed amendments upon the receipt of the memo of authority by the Assistant Attorney General.

Credentialing Services Application

Application for credentialing services from International Consultants of Delaware Global Credentials Evaluation Services was reviewed and revised with the Board by Ms. Gadson, Licensure Supervisor. Ms. Gadson stated she would inform the “pending” applicants who applied during the grandfathering period from another state or jurisdiction that they must submit their application information to CGFNS for evaluation.

Ms. Phillips moved, Ms. Lescak seconded, and the Board voted to accept the credentialing services application with revisions from International Consultants of Delaware Global Credentials Evaluation Services.

Ms. Phillips moved and Ms. Lescak seconded, and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2(k) (1) (2), O.C.G.A. § 50-14-2(1), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2-(k) (4), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19 (h) (2) & (4) to receive and review information pertaining to Applications, receive the Attorney General’s, Cognizant, and Investigation Reports. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Board members Phillips, Earles, Lescak, and Johnson. The Board concluded Executive Session in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

APPLICATIONS:

345-3-.01- Applications for Licensure Prior to July 01, 2007:

Ms. Lescak moved and Mr. Earles seconded and the Board voted to take the following action on applications for licensure by official transcripts:

Applications: A-I (Pamela Candler, Applications Specialist)

Barrett, Leland	Approved for licensure
K.B.	Denied; program not recognized as an approved school
Forbes, John	Approved for licensure
Giles, Danl J.	Approved for licensure
Harris, Vonquetta	Approved for licensure

Applications: J-Q (Serena Gadson, Applications Specialist)

Jackson, Christopher	Approved for licensure
M.S.K.	Denied; <u>petition for waiver posted for October meeting</u>
B.S.L.	Approved Pending
Lane, Marvis T.	Approved for licensure

Ms. Phillips moved and Ms. Lescak seconded and the Board voted to take the following action on applications for licensure by official transcripts:

G.L.	Denied; did not graduate from massage program
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Applications: R-Z (Yvonne LeSane, Applications Specialist)

K.R.S.	Approved Pending
Ueber, Annie M.	Approved for licensure

Mr. Earles moved and Ms. Phillips seconded and the Board voted to take the following action on applications for licensure by local government business license/tax forms:

Applications: A-I (Pamela Candler, Applications Specialist)

M.H.C.	Approved Pending
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Applications: J-Q (Serena Gadson, Applications Specialist)

Molnar, Martin	Approved for licensure
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Applications: R-Z (Yvonne LeSane, Applications Specialist)

Steeley, Charles E.	Approved for licensure
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Applicant Interview (via telephone conference)

After an in-depth discussion, Mr. Earles moved, and Ms. Phillips seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on applications for licensure by official verification from another state or jurisdiction.

U.T. & G.L. - Denial Stands. Board will reconsider the denial of application upon the receipt of the completed credentialing evaluation performed by CGFNS. Applicant has sixty days to refer his file to CGFNS for evaluation.

345-3-.02 Application for Licensure Post July 1, 2007

Licensure by Application:

Ms. Phillips moved and Ms. Lescak seconded and the Board voted to take the following action on applications for licensure:

D.A.C.	Refer to AG; consent order with probation
D.E.	Pending
L.F.	Issue with signed consent agreement with fine
Giattina, Leslie	Approved for licensure
R.G.	Pending
Herbst, Jeffrey	Approved for licensure
Hollis, Mary C.	Approved for licensure
Lee, Karen	Approved for licensure
Marra-Frederick, Yolanda	Approved for licensure
Martin, Bruce J.	Approved for licensure
Napier, Holly M.	Approved for licensure
Saxton, Leslie T.	Approved for licensure
G.S.	Issue with signed consent agreement with fine
Smith, Brooke E.	Approved for licensure
A.S.	Issue with signed consent agreement with fine
K.S.	Issue with signed consent agreement with fine
Stone, Edgar IV	Approved for licensure
Taylor, Rachael O.	Approved for licensure
S.M.T.	Pending
Vickers, Elizabeth	Approved for licensure

Licensure by Endorsement:

Mr. Earles moved and Ms. Phillips seconded and the Board voted to take the following action on applications for licensure:

Matthews, Altemetta	Approved for licensure
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Waiver Petitions

A.J.C.	Pending; waiver petition denied
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Mr. Earles moved and Ms. Phillips seconded and the Board voted to deny the petition for variance or waiver of Board Rule 345-3-.01 (a) – professional references.

Approved Licensees

Mr. Earles moved and Ms. Phillips seconded and the Board voted to ratify list of approvals for licensure determined to have met licensure requirements as follows:

License No.	Licensee	Issue Date
MT005174	Patterson, Amy Lee	6/18/2008
MT005175	Lucero, Valerie Ann	6/18/2008
MT005176	Shen, Chia Hung	6/19/2008
MT005177	Budny, Ellen Kathleen	6/20/2008
MT005178	Bennett- DuBrois, Anaya Iman	6/20/2008
MT005179	Crosier, Catherine Ansley	6/20/2008
MT005180	Lockhart, Pamela A	6/23/2008
MT005181	Wiggins, Norma Elaine	6/23/2008
MT005182	Ransby, Devin Veronne	6/23/2008
MT005183	Reed, Carlos Wayne	6/23/2008
MT005184	Reynolds, Sarah Elizabeth	6/23/2008
MT005185	Shacor, Cheryl Yahfaw	6/23/2008
MT005186	Sullivan, Jodi Lyn	6/23/2008
MT005187	Tanksley, Gail M	6/23/2008
MT005188	Wasserman, Brenda S	6/23/2008
MT005189	Williams, Jessie Mae	6/23/2008
MT005190	Wymbs-Cruz, Nancy A	6/23/2008
MT005191	Stephens, Quentin Jon	6/24/2008
MT005192	Yepifantsev, Dmitriy P	6/24/2008
MT005193	Keenum III, Robert Wesley	6/25/2008
MT005194	Dewberry, Linda Gail	6/25/2008
MT005195	Phillips, Keeley Suzanne	6/25/2008
MT005196	McGee, Andrew	6/25/2008
MT005197	Luedke, Teresa Lynn	6/25/2008
MT005198	Jacobson, Terry	6/25/2008
MT005199	McClure, Ivan	6/25/2008
MT005200	Holton, Matthew Glynn	6/25/2008
MT005201	Prather, Sarah Sherin	6/25/2008
MT005202	Powers, Lenore Renee	6/25/2008
MT005203	Flory, Zachary David	6/25/2008
MT005204	Blount, Nicholas	6/26/2008
MT005205	Blakeman, Sandra Marlene	6/26/2008
MT005206	Bartlett, Suzi So	6/26/2008
MT005207	Bailey, Falisa Denese	6/26/2008
MT005208	Cowen, Cynthia Louise	6/26/2008
MT005209	Jackson, Danyielle DeJannice Veronique	6/26/2008
MT005210	Johnson, Tracy Dawn	6/26/2008
MT005211	Gleason, Kathleen Ann	6/26/2008
MT005212	Hester, Jessica Lynn	6/26/2008
MT005213	Wolfgang, Sara Anne	6/26/2008
MT005214	Smith, Tammy Lou	6/26/2008
MT005215	Mann, Natalia	6/27/2008
MT005216	Cavazos, Ashley K	6/27/2008
MT005217	Oxford, Yvette Felder	6/27/2008
MT005218	Hamby, Kaley Hope	6/30/2008

MT005219	Hilton, Timothy Eugene	6/30/2008
MT005220	Lester, Catherine Michelle	7/1/2008
MT005221	Singleton, Lee Anna	7/2/2008
MT005222	Wright, Ann Marie Vilma	7/2/2008
MT005223	Rollings, Sherry	7/2/2008
MT005224	Castillo West, Ileana Maritza	7/2/2008
MT005225	Manders, Emily Ann	7/3/2008
MT005226	Veerasingham, Allan Charles	7/3/2008
MT005227	Chibana, Yoko Chibana	7/7/2008
MT005228	Hayes, Alberta Ledora	7/7/2008
MT005229	Dennis, Helen Theresa	7/8/2008
MT005230	Fryer, Lauren Elizabeth	7/8/2008
MT005231	Daniels, Soo Jeong	7/8/2008
MT005232	Clayton, Ronnie Jean-Louis	7/10/2008
MT005233	Ginoba, Melanie Doris	7/15/2008
MT005234	Karrle, Kristen Kandi	7/17/2008
MT005235	Watson, Elaine Ann	7/17/2008
MT005236	Simard, Roland Raymond	7/17/2008
MT005237	Mitchell, Casen A	7/17/2008
MT005238	Juntunen, Jason James	7/17/2008
MT005239	Wilson, Suzette Karen	7/17/2008
MT005240	Wilson , Jonah	7/17/2008
MT005241	Williams, Joy Marie	7/17/2008
MT005242	Uffner, Natasha Cherie	7/17/2008
MT005243	Steinberg, Vicki Rene	7/17/2008
MT005244	Smith, Natalie M	7/17/2008
MT005245	Johnbaptiste, Shaquanta M	7/17/2008
MT005246	Everett, Laura L	7/17/2008
MT005247	McClure, Ashly Roxanne	7/17/2008
MT005248	McGowan, Kelly Anne	7/17/2008
MT005249	MooYoung, Elizabeth	7/17/2008
MT005250	Raines, Mary Katherine	7/17/2008
MT005251	Bell, Lenicha Marie	7/17/2008
MT005252	Davis, Lisa Marie	7/17/2008
MT005253	Alford, Kesyla Lil Chara	7/17/2008
MT005254	Underwood, Michaela Rena'	7/18/2008
MT005255	Seiler, Deborah Lynn	7/21/2008
MT005256	Robinson, Ashley Rose	7/22/2008
MT005257	Martinez, Debra Ann	7/24/2008
MT005258	Eubanks, Richard Dennis	7/28/2008
MT005259	Hunter, Karen Elaine	7/28/2008
MT005260	Cowart, Randall Wheeler, Jr	7/30/2008
MT005261	Tribble, Vanessa Abigail	7/30/2008
MT005262	Russell, Teri Lynn	7/30/2008
MT005263	Oliver, Tyeasha Yasmin	7/30/2008
MT005264	Maddox, Cody Lee	7/30/2008
MT005265	Christensen, Marcy Kay	8/6/2008
MT005266	Corbin, Phillip William	8/6/2008
MT005267	Daniel, Natascha M	8/6/2008
MT005268	Denmon, Aubrey Michelle	8/6/2008

MT005269	Foster, Daphne Faith	8/6/2008
MT005270	Hollar, Barry Gilbert	8/6/2008
MT005271	Holmes, Dorothea Chris	8/6/2008
MT005272	Sakin, Najah Jameelah	8/6/2008
MT005273	Burton, Chris Alan	8/6/2008
MT005274	Everette, Christina Michelle	8/6/2008
MT005275	Haley, Pamela Ada	8/6/2008
MT005276	Ivey, Elizabeth Ashley	8/6/2008
MT005277	Liles, Joseph Aaron	8/6/2008
MT005278	Warren, Stuart Barnwell	8/6/2008
MT005279	Currie, Cornelius Jamar	8/6/2008
MT005280	Piazzzi, Robert	8/6/2008
MT005281	Marchman, Ryan Keith	8/13/2008
MT005282	Prevost, Jennifer Wynton	8/13/2008
MT005283	Wilcock, Chad Lesueur	8/13/2008
MT005284	Elliott, Shanequa Jolene	8/18/2008
MT005285	Ostell, Jeanette Lynn	8/18/2008
MT005286	Ratliff, Norma Kay	8/19/2008
MT005287	Myers, Anna Claire	8/19/2008
MT005288	Willis, Amber C	8/19/2008
MT005289	Siegle, Kathleen Joyce	8/20/2008
MT005290	Melosci, Deirdre Jean	8/25/2008
MT005291	Jones, Deuk Hee	8/25/2008
MT005292	Burnett, Ann Richelle	8/25/2008
MT005293	Burtis, Heather McShay	8/25/2008
MT005294	Harris, Jamie Lynn	8/26/2008
MT005295	Pearce, Jacqueline S	8/26/2008
MT005296	Bryan, Germaine Nohealani	8/26/2008
MT005297	Churchill, Diana	8/26/2008
MT005298	Lefevers, Debra Doris	8/26/2008
MT005299	Alsup, Chelsea Rae	8/26/2008
MT005300	Reed, Andrea Nicole	8/26/2008
MT005301	Hawkins, Katherine Suzanne	8/26/2008
MT005302	Palazzari, Jennifer Marie	8/26/2008
MT005303	Crawley, Nicole Lynn	8/26/2008
MT005304	Ward, Rebecca Jan	8/26/2008
MT005305	Wright, John Lionel	8/26/2008
MT005306	Wolf, David C	8/26/2008
MT005307	Richie, Mina Dee Marie	8/26/2008
MT005308	Martin, Gerold Dan	8/26/2008
MT005309	LaFace, Trisha Ann	8/26/2008
MT005310	Katzban, Nicholas J	8/26/2008
MT005311	Moseley, Seana Hartnett	8/26/2008
MT005312	Espinosa, Sarah Elizabeth	8/26/2008
MT005313	Brown, Robin Maria	8/26/2008
MT005314	Taylor, Robert Lynn	8/26/2008
MT005315	Iglesias Devesa, Maria Lourdes	8/26/2008
MT005316	Tritenko, Olessya	8/26/2008
MT005317	Albanese, Donna Marie	8/26/2008
MT005318	Palmer, Zenovia Leonora	8/26/2008

MT005319	Hughes, Robin Kristene	8/26/2008
MT005320	Parker, Rebecca LeeAnn	8/29/2008
MT005321	Duncan, Jennifer Lee	8/29/2008
MT005322	Zhao, Dan	8/29/2008

Massage Therapy School Report:

The following recommendations were presented to the Board for the approval of the following Massage Therapy Schools as Board Recognized Massage Therapy Educational Programs:

- Beauty & Massage Institute of Vero Beach, Vero Beach, FL.
- Soothing Arts Healing Therapies, Destin, FL.
- Gadsden State Community College, Anniston, AL.

Ms. Lescak moved, Mr. Earles seconded and the Board voted to accept the Massage Therapy School report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Cognizant's Report:

Complaint 35463- Refer to Investigations
 Complaint 35664- Refer to Investigations
 Complaint 35487- Refer to Investigations
 Complaint 35663- Close case, no further action required.
 Complaint 36716- Refer to Investigations
 Complaint 36707- Refer to Investigations

Ms. Lescak moved, Mr. Earles seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Cognizant's recommendations as presented during executive session. None opposed, motion carried.

Enforcement Report:

Enforcement report was presented by the Board's Secretary, Ms. Amanda Allen.

- Complaint 32695 - Case Closed. Signed voluntary C & D order presented.
- Complaint 32680- Refer back to Enforcement for further action.
- Complaint 34026 – Case Closed. No further action required.
- Complaint 34366- Case Closed. Signed voluntary C & D order presented.
- Complaint 33323 – Signed voluntary C&D order presented. Case referred back to Enforcement for further action.
- Complaint 34073 – Signed voluntary C&D order presented. Case referred back to Enforcement for further action.

Ms. Phillips moved, Ms. Lescak seconded and the Board voted to accept the Enforcement Report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Additional Business Discussed:

Copy of all Board policies were distributed to the Board. Policies will be reviewed and revised during the next scheduled Board meeting.

There being no additional business to discuss, Ms. Lescak moved, Ms. Phillips seconded, and the Board voted to adjourn today's meeting at 4:00 p.m.

Minutes recorded by:

Amanda Allen, Board Secretary

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director

Jane H. Johnson, Chair
Georgia State Board of Massage Therapy

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director
Professional Licensing Boards Division

These minutes were approved and signed on: _____