

GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY  
CONFERENCE CALL – RULES COMMITTEE MEETING  
November 14, 2011

A conference call for the Georgia Board of Massage Therapy Rules Committee was held on November 14, 2011 at 9:00 a.m., at the Professional Licensing Boards Division offices located at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

**The following members were present:**

Jane H. Johnson, Chair  
Kathy V. Lescak, Vice-Chair

**Administrative Staff Present:**

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director

Ms. Johnson called the Conference Call meeting to order at 9:08 a.m.

**Agenda:**

**Ms. Lescak motioned, Ms. Johnson seconded, and the Board voted to approve the agenda as presented with no additions. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Ongoing Rules Discussion – Proposed Amendments & Changes:**

- Rule 345-8-.03 Maintaining Board Recognition Status  
The committee reviewed and discussed changes to the existing rule in order to remove outdated language and requirements following recent full Board discussion about massage therapy education programs.
- Rule 345-4-.02 Continuing Education Hours  
The committee reviewed and discussed changes to the existing rule in order add updated language concerning disciplinary actions to be considered by the Board for licensee's not obtaining continuing education hours in accordance with Board rules.

The recommendations will be presented to the full Board for discussion during their next scheduled meeting for further discussion and recommendations before the Board considers any amendments.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the conference call adjourned at 10:40 a.m.

**Minutes recorded by:**

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director

**Minutes reviewed and edited by:**

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Jane Johnson, Chair  
Georgia State Board of Massage Therapy

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