

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF  
EXAMINERS OF PSYCHOLOGISTS  
Meeting Minutes – July 25, 2014**

The Georgia State Board of Examiners of Psychologists met Friday, July 25, 2014, at the Professional Licensing Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia 31217.

**Members Present:**

Linda F. Campbell, Ph. D., Vice Chair  
A. Melton Strozier Jr., Ph.D  
William F. Doverspike, Ph.D  
Judy Grammer, Consumer Member

**Members Absent:**

Marsha B. Sauls, Ph.D., Chair  
Donald S. Meck, Ph.D.

**Administrative Staff Present:**

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director  
Chrissy Lewis, CCSI-LA  
Stacey Mitchell, Board Support Specialist

**Assistant Attorney General:**

Reagan Dean, AAG

Dr. Campbell, Vice Chair, established that a quorum was present and declared the meeting open at 8:50 a.m. Board members reviewed applications and assisted with the Oral Exams in Building B from 09:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.

**Agenda:** Approved as presented.

**Executive Session:**

**Dr. Campbell motioned, Dr. Doverspike seconded, and the motion carried for the Board to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. §43-1-2(k) (1) (2), §43-1-2-(k) (3) (4), §50-14-2(1) and §43-1-2 (k) (4) to deliberate on applications, oral examinations, complaints, and to receive the Assistant Attorney General's and Cognizant reports. Voting in favor of the motion were Campbell, Doverspike, Strozier and Grammer.**

**Investigative Interview:**

• **PSYC140024**

Dr. Strozier, Dr. Campbell, and Assistant Attorney General, Reagan conducted the interview. Administrative staff member Ms. Lewis assisted.

**Cognizant/Complaint/Enforcement Report:**

Recommend for Closure:

- PSYC140021 Remains Closed
- PSYC150001

**At the conclusion of Executive Session on Friday, July 25, 2014, Dr. Campbell declared the meeting to be "open" pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq. No Board votes were obtained during Executive Session.**

**Board Chair Report:** None presented

**GPA – Liaison Report:** None presented

**Requested Board Appearances; Petition for Waiver or Variances of a Board Rule:**

- Jackson, S. – Denial of Application for Licensure -Petition for the Waiver of Board rule 510-2-.04
  - Attorney: Schneider, J.A.

**Dr. Doverspike motioned, Dr. Strozier seconded and the Board voted to grant the petition request based on Board rules in effect at the time of her residency. None opposed, motion carried.**

- Loughan, A. – Denial of Application for Licensure - Petition for the Waiver of board rule 510-2-.01
  - Attorney: Cullen, Frances

**Ms. Grammer motioned, Dr. Strozier seconded and the Board voted to table further discussion and a vote on the Petition request until next Board meeting when the full Board is present; in addition, applicant asked to appear again at that time again as well. None opposed, motion carried.**

- Welcker, J. – Denial of Application for Licensure - Petition for the Waiver of board rule 510-2-.04
  - Attorney: Schneider, J.A.
  - Provided a Petition to the Board for the Waiver of Board rule 510-2-.04(4)

**Dr. Strozier motioned, Ms. Grammer seconded and the Board voted to table further discussion and vote in order that the Petition for Waiver be posted pursuant to O.C.G.A. 50-13-9.1(e) with a discussion and vote next scheduled meeting/applicant to be scheduled to appear again. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Correspondence:**

- Sims, D.C. – Open Records Request

**Dr. Strozier motioned, Ms. Grammar seconded, and the Board voted to approve the open records request for copies of application file to be sent to another licensing Board. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Minutes:**

**Dr. Doverspike motioned, Ms. Grammar seconded, and the Board voted to approve the June 27, 2014 open session meeting minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Dr. Campbell motioned, Dr. Doverspike seconded, and the motion carried for the Board to enter back into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. §43-1-2(k) (1) (2), §43-1-2-(k) (3) (4), §50-14-2(1) and §43-1-2 (k) (4) to continue deliberations on applications, oral examinations, complaints, and to receive the Assistant Attorney General’s report. Voting in favor of the motion were Strozier and Grammer.**

**Attorney General’s Report:** A written status and activity report was provided for Board review.

**Applications:**

NAME	TYPE	BOARD'S DECISION
1. J.B.	Exam	Approved to sit for exams
2. J.M.B.	Exam	Approved to sit for exams
3. C.R.	Exam	Pending
4. S.W.	Exam	Approved to sit for exams

**Oral Examinations:**

1. J.L.M.		Passed/Pending - Form G
2. J.S.		Passed/Pending - Form G
3. A.O		Passed/Pending - Form G
4. Coleman, April		Passed-Issue license
5. Pass, Nicole		Passed-Issue license
6. Leary, Kimberly		Passed-Issue license
7. Couillou, Ryan		Passed-Issue license
8. Schneider, Jeffrey		Passed-Issue license
9. Rutherford, Jasmine		Passed-Issue license

**Petition for Release of Terms and Conditions/Board Order (Private):**

- P.S.

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Dr. Strozier motioned, Ms. Grammar seconded, and the Board voted to continue the investigation into PSYC140024 at this time. None opposed, motion carried.

Dr. Strozier motioned, Ms. Grammar seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Cognizant report and recommendations as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Dr. Strozier motioned, Ms. Grammar seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Attorney General's report and recommendations as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Ms. Grammar motioned, Dr. Doverspike seconded, and the Board voted to refer G.M. for a peer review, and to the Attorney General's office for completion of recommendations as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Dr. Doverspike motioned, Dr. Grammar seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations on all applications by exam, endorsement, and reinstatement. None opposed, motion carried.

Dr. Strozier motioned, Dr. Doverspike seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations on oral examinations. None opposed, motion carried.

**Dr. Doverspike motioned, Dr. Strozier seconded and the Board voted to approve the licensees request for release having met all the terms and conditions of the Board Order. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Executive Session Minutes:**

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**Dr. Doverspike motioned, Dr. Strozier seconded and the Board voted to approve the July 25, 2014 Executive session meeting minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**There being no further business, Ms. Grammar motioned, Dr. Strozier seconded and the Board voted to adjourn today's meeting at 3:55 p.m.**

**Minutes recorded, reviewed and edited by:**

Stacey Mitchell, Board Support Specialist  
Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director HC-1

Linda Campbell, PH.D.  
Vice Chair

BRIG ZIMMERMAN  
Executive Director Healthcare 1

These minutes were approved on: August 22, 2014