

**GEORGIA BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PSYCHOLOGISTS**  
**Meeting Minutes –February 19, 2016**

The Georgia State Board of Examiners of Psychologists met Friday, February 19, 2016, at the Professional Licensing Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia 31217.

**Members Present:**

Marsha B. Sauls, Ph.D., Chair  
Donald S. Meck, Ph.D.  
William F. Doverspike, Ph.D  
Melton Strozier Jr., Ph.D.  
Judy Grammer, Consumer Member

**Members Absent:**

Linda F. Campbell, Ph.D – Vice-Chair

**Administrative Staff Present:**

Mary Katherine Lindsey, HC1  
Amanda Allen, Licensure Supervisor  
Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director  
Linsey Brookins, BSS

**Assistant Attorney General:**

Reagan Dean, AAG

Dr. Sauls, Chair, established that a quorum was present and declared the meeting open at 8:56 a.m.

**Agenda:** Approved as presented.

**Executive Session:**

**Ms. Grammer 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 administer the Board Oral Exams, receive the AAG and Cognizant (complaints) reports, review the prior meeting executive session minutes and deliberate on applications. Voting in favor of the motion were Sauls, Strozier, Meck, Grammer, and Doverspike.**

**At the conclusion of mornings Executive Session on Friday February 19, 2016, Dr. Sauls 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 Administered Oral Exams:**

**Recommendation:**

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| • D.A. | Passed; issue license |
| • C.B. | Passed; issue license |
| • K.F. | Passed; issue license |
| • A.H. | Passed; issue license |
| • J.H. | Passed; issue license |
| • J.P. | Passed; issue license |
| • L.P. | Passed; issue license |
| • R.S. | Passed; issue license |

**Dr. Strozier motioned, Dr. Meck seconded, and the Board voted to approve the recommendations on all oral examination candidates. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Cognizant’s – Complaints Report:**

- PSYC150004
- PSYC160016
- PSYC160026
- PSYC160035

**Recommendation - Close:**

- Closure
- Closure
- Closure
- Closure

**Complaint Report:**

- PSYC060067
- PSYC130033
- PSYC160009
- PSYC160019
- PSYC160025
- PSYC160030
- PSYC160031
- PSYC160033
- PSYC160034
- PSYC160036
- PSYC160037
- PSYC160038
- PSYC160039

**Recommendation:**

- Pending the receipt of additional info
- Refer to Investigations for Follow Up
- Pending Peer Review
- Pending further Board review
- Schedule Investigative Interview
- Pending further Board review
- Pending the receipt of additional info
- Pending the receipt of additional info
- Investigative Interview 03-25-16
- Pending further Board review
- Pending the receipt of additional info
- Pending the receipt of additional info
- Pending the receipt of additional info

**Investigative Interviews Conducted:**

- PSYC160013
- PSYC160018

**Recommendation:**

- Pending the receipt of additional info
- Pending the receipt of additional info

**Ms. Grammer motioned, Dr. Doverspike seconded, and the Board voted to approve the recommendations of the Cognizant on all complaints presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Attorney General’s Report:**

A written status and activity report was provided for Board review and discussion of the current cases open in the AG’s office.

**Dr. Doverspike motioned, Dr. Strozier seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations on the AG’s Report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Executive Session Correspondence - Applicant:**

- B.R. – Applicant will need to submit a new application/fee. PDSWE: Applicant will need to complete another post-doc in no less than 11 months or more than 24 months.

**Executive Discussion Item:**

- S.G.

**Dr. Doverspike motioned, Dr. Strozier seconded, and the board voted to table a vote on the licensee's request, pending submission of additional information for board consideration.**

**Applications:**

**Recommendation:**

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| • V.B.   | Approved to sit for exam                   |
| • N.B.   | Pending receipt for additional information |
| • S.C.   | Approved to sit for exam                   |
| • A.G.   | Approved to sit for exam                   |
| • A.H.   | Approved to sit for exam                   |
| • M.H.   | Approved to sit for exam                   |
| • R.H.   | Approved to sit for exam                   |
| • L.M.   | Pending receipt for additional information |
| • S.S.   | Approved to sit for exam                   |
| • M.W.   | Pending receipt for additional information |
| • A.M.   | Approved to sit for exam                   |
| • C.D.   | Approved to sit for exam                   |
| • R.F-B. | Approved to sit for exam                   |

**Dr. Strozier motioned, Dr. Meck seconded, and the Board voted to approve the recommendations on all applications as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Executive Session Minutes:**

**Recommendation:**

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| • January 22, 2016 | Recommend approval as amended |
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**Dr. Strozier motioned, Dr. Meck seconded and the Board voted to approve the January 22, 2016 Executive Session meeting minutes as amended. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Minutes:**

- January 22, 2016

**Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Strozier seconded, and the Board voted to approve the January 22, 2016 meeting minutes as amended. None opposed, motion carried.**

**GPA Liaison Report:**

Dr. Michael Rose

- Update on ASPPB moving forward with EPPP2 (Skills Exam) – Implementing over approximately the next three years;
- PSYPACT – Approved in AZ and Mexico; Requires minimum of seven states;
- GPA Meeting: April 13 -17, 2016

**Correspondence:**

- Mathis, S.- F. Cullen, Attorney; Revision of Compliance Letter
- Barnes, E. – CE's and Grand Rounds
- Shanahan, M. – CE hours

**Dr. Strozier motioned, Ms. Grammer seconded, and the Board voted for the staff to respond to all correspondences presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Miscellaneous Board Discussion:**

- Rule 5-10-9-.01 Temporary License - Tabled
- 2016 Proposed Legislation – Information Only  
HB 498 Psychological Testing – Board Supports
- CE Peer Group Consultation Report Form – Final Revisions
- Application: Requirement of Form G, PDSWE Affidavit of Supervisor (Clarification):  
Applicants who have completed their Post-Doctoral Supervised Work Experience (PDSWE) and verification of the completion is reported on the ASPPB completed PLUS application are not required to submit the Board’s form G. Those who have not completed the PDSWE at time ASPPB completed PLUS application is submitted to the Board are required to provide the Board’s form G upon completion of the PDSWE.

**Application Ratify List 01/23/16 to 02/19/16:**

License No	Licensee
PSY003974	Johnson, Jennifer Marie
PSY003975	Lannert, Brittany Kay
PSY003976	Remmert, Brittany Connor
PSY003977	Light, Sharee Nicole
PSY003978	Ryan, Heather R
PSY003979	Shelby, Tracy L

**Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Strozier seconded, and the Board voted to approve the Application Ratify List as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**There being no further business, Dr. Strozier motioned, Ms. Grammer seconded and the Board voted to adjourn today’s meeting at 3:39 p.m.**

**Minutes recorded by:**

Linsey Brookins, BSS

**Minutes reviewed and edited by:**

Brig Zimmerman, ED

**DR. MARSHA B. SAULS, Ph.D.**

**BRIG ZIMMERMAN**

Chair

Executive Director Healthcare 1

These minutes were approved on: **March 25, 2016**