

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND
AUDIOLOGY
Teleconference Call Board Meeting
May 11, 2009**

The Teleconference Board Meeting for the Georgia State Board of Speech Language Pathology and Audiology was held on Monday, May 11, 2009, at the Professional Licensing Boards, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

The following Board members were present:	Others Present:
Elizabeth (Beth) Larrimore - President Robin Bohannon Susan Daughtry Andrea Boswell Lori Smith	Anita Martin, Executive Director Susan Hewett, Licensure Supervisor Janet Wray, Sr. Assistant Attorney General Carol White, Board Secretary

Beth Larrimore established that a quorum was present and the Conference Call meeting that was scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m. was **called to order** at 10:15 a.m.

Review of April 6, 2009 board meeting minutes.

- *Board response:* Robin Bohannon moved to **approve** the minutes. Lori Smith seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Ratify list of licenses – *Board response:* Andrea Boswell moved to **approve** the list. Susan Daughtry seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

License Number	Name	License Type
PCET001419	Odom, Lainey Emmalyn	PCE Temporary License
PCET001420	Ingle, Sarah Jane	PCE Temporary License
SLP007051	VanUden, Celeste Marie	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007052	Ryan, Julie Anne	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007053	Blanchard, Heather P Furney	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007054	West, Amy Marie	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007055	Sims, Jessica Amy	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007056	Groves, Samantha Greer	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007057	Smithers, Shelli	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007058	Kempton, Elizabeth Bowen	Speech-Language Pathologist

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SLP007059	Yeomans, Lacey N	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007060	Harwood, Laura Francis	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007061	Shurig, Karen Lee	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007062	Clark, Elizabeth L	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007063	Bragg, Shannon Dyan	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007064	Rainey, Mary Louise	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007065	Hayes, Nicole N	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007066	Bearden, Melissa Blackmon	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007067	Prevost, Rachel Nora	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP007068	Frets, Cynthia Riddle	Speech-Language Pathologist
Reinstatements		
SLP007057	Smithers, Shelli	Speech-Language Pathologist
SLP001475	McClenny, Carolyn	Speech-Language Pathologist

Correspondence from Albert R. DeChicchis, Chair, Legislation & Government Affairs Committee.

- *Board response:* The Board appreciates your input. However, the law allows for licensure consideration of individuals with masters degrees; therefore the Board's rule needs to provide a route for licensure for these individuals.

Request from Buffy Mitchell, Roosevelt Warm Springs, CE approval request:

- *Board response:* Andrea Boswell made a motion to deny request. Susan Daughtry seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Executive Session:

Lori Smith made a motion, Robin Bohannon seconded and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A §43-1-2(k) to deliberate on applications. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Susan Daughtry, and Andrea Boswell. The Board concluded **Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and continue with the public session.

Request from V.S.R. to change Consent Order from Public to Private.

- *Board response:* Lori Smith made a motion to deny request. Susan Daughtry seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

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Review of Applications/Licensure:

1. **A.F. – SLP Renewal Applicant** – Andrea Boswell made a motion to approve the request. Lori Smith seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Cognizant Report; Lori Smith, AuD

J.S. – SLP Renewal Applicant

- Andrea Boswell made a motion to approve the renewal of J.S. with a letter from the Board stating the Board voted to allow renewal while it considers the additional evidence you submitted. Please be advised that the Board has not determined whether disciplinary action should be imposed against you based on the disciplinary action by the Professional Standards Commission, which you revealed in your renewal application. By permitting your renewal to proceed, the Board is not waiving its right to take disciplinary action.

Attorney General's Report: - Ms. Janet Wray

Ms. Wray provided the Board with one Public Consent Order and one Private Consent Order.

- Valerie S. Rapowitz – Lori Smith made a motion to accept the signed Public Consent Order from Valerie S. Rapowitz. Robin Bohannon seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.
- S.J.W. – Lori Smith made a motion to accept the signed Private Consent Order from S.J.W. Robin Bohannon seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

The next meeting is scheduled for June 15, 2009 at 10:00 am at the Professional Licensing Board, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 10:38 a.m.

Minutes recorded by:

Carol White, Board Secretary

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Anita O. Martin, Executive Director

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