

GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF ATHLETIC TRAINERS

237 Coliseum Drive
Macon, GA 31217
Conference Call Meeting
March 6, 2012
1:00 p.m.

The Board Meeting for the Georgia State Board of Athletic Trainers was held via telephone conference on Tuesday, March 6, 2012 at the Professional Licensing Boards, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

The following Board members were present:	Others Present:
Mr. Russ Hoff Mr. Tom Bair Mr. Paul White	Patricia Downing, Board Attorney Anita Martin, Executive Director

OPEN SESSION

Mr. Hoff established that a quorum was present and the meeting that was scheduled to begin at 1:00 p.m. was called to order at 1:15 p.m.

Minutes from the December 13, 2011 conference call board meeting.

Mr. Bair made a motion to approve the December 13, 2011 Conference call Board meeting minutes as amended. Mr. White seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Ratify Licenses.

Mr. Bair made a motion to approve the ratified license. Mr. White seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Discussion of Legislative Updates (per Dr. Malone from November Conf. Call)

No action was taken on this matter.

Miscellaneous:

- Mr. Bair provided information on HB 673 Georgia's Return to Play Act of 2012. It is primarily for adolescents and schools are required that parents be educated on concussion management. Mr. Bair states this bill is in committee and hopefully will be back before the House tomorrow, (3-7-12), and will make pass over day.

Attorney General's Open Session - Ms. Patricia Downing

- Ms. Downing asked the board if it needs a response in writing concerning sojourner. The Board withdraws its request.

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EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. Bair moved, Mr. White seconded and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. §43-1-2(k)(1)(2), and O.C.G.A. §43-1-19(h)(2) & (4) to receive information on applications and investigations. The Board concluded executive session in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

Cognizant Report.

AT120089 – The Board recommended accepting a signed Cease and Desist Order on Cassandra Godfrey of Milner, GA. The Board recommended requesting more information from complainant on A.G..

Application.

1. E.A.C. – The Board recommended approval.

OPEN SESSION

Mr. Hoff moved for the Board to go into Open Session.

Mr. Bair made a motion to approve all items recommended in Executive Session. Mr. White seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

There being no further business to come before the Board, Mr. Bair made a motion, Mr. White seconded the motion and the meeting was adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Minutes recorded by: Carol White, Board Secretary

Minutes reviewed and edited by: Anita O. Martin, Executive Director