

GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF ATHLETIC TRAINERS

The Georgia State Board of Athletic Trainers met on December 18, 2007 at the Office of the Professional Licensing Boards 237 Coliseum Dr. Macon, GA 31217.

Members Present:

- Russell Hoff, Chair
- Dr. Scott Malone, Vice Chair
- Jeff Treadway

Staff Present:

- Lisa Durden, Executive Director
- Patricia Downing, Board Attorney (via videoconferencing)
- David Higdon, Board Secretary

Mr. Hoff established that a quorum was present, and called the meeting to order at 9:20 a.m.

Mr. Hoff moved, Dr. Malone seconded and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. §43-1-2(k)(1)(2), O.C.G.A. §43-1-19(H)(2)&(4) and O.C.G.A. §43-1-2(k)(4) to deliberate on Applications and Complaints, and to receive information on Applications and Complaints. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Board Member Treadway. The Board concluded Executive Session in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

Agenda Items:

Paul Higgs: President of the Georgia Athletic Trainers Association met with the Board to discuss the Practic Act.

Randall Vaughn: The new Division Director of the Professional Licensing Boards introduced himself to the Board Members.

Minutes: Mr. Treadway moved; Dr. Malone seconded, and the Board voted to approve the minutes from the September 28, 2007 Conference Call.

Correspondence: Correspondence from JoLynn E. Miller reviewed. The Board directed Staff to send a response to her concerning license renewals and the reinstatement process.

Rule 53-6-.01: A motion was made by Mr. Hoff and seconded by Dr. Malone, and the Board voted to post Rule 53-6-.01 regarding renewal of licenses and Continuing Education.

Rule 53-6-.02: A motion was made by Mr. Hoff and seconded by Dr. Malone, and the Board voted to post Rule 53-6-.02 regarding late renewal of licenses.

2008 Board Meeting Dates: M. Hoff motioned; Mr. Treadway seconded, and the Board voted to approve the 2008 Board Meeting Dates.

- January 29, 2008 – Conference Call
- April 29, 2008 – Conference Call
- June 24, 2008
- September 24, 2008 – Conference Call
- December 16, 2008

Licenses to Ratify: Mr. Treadway motioned to approve the newly licensed Athletic Trainers. Dr. Malone seconded the motion, and the Board voted to approve the newly licensed Athletic Trainers (September 24, 2007 – December 17, 2007).

License Number	Name	License Type	Status	Issue Date	Expiration
AT001446	Morris, Amy D'Anna	Athletic Trainer	Active	9/24/2007	6/30/2008
AT001447	Raymond, Ashley D	Athletic Trainer	Active	9/24/2007	6/30/2008
AT001448	Clay, Jeffrey David	Athletic Trainer	Active	9/25/2007	6/30/2008
AT001449	Haber, Michael Gregory	Athletic Trainer	Active	9/27/2007	6/30/2008
AT001450	Graham, Daniel Joseph	Athletic Trainer	Active	9/27/2007	6/30/2008
AT001451	Lightfoot, Lanny Brian	Athletic Trainer	Active	9/27/2007	6/30/2008
AT001452	Stansifer, Corey Ryan	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/4/2007	6/30/2008
AT001453	Nurse, Kalia Marie	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/4/2007	6/30/2008
AT001454	Saito, Hiroko	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/4/2007	6/30/2008
AT001455	Ferster, Leah M	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/4/2007	6/30/2008
AT001456	Goins, Rickey Leon	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/11/2007	6/30/2008
AT001457	Brif, Clinton Alexander	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/18/2007	6/30/2008
AT001458	Williamson, Brandon Lane	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/18/2007	6/30/2008
AT001459	Wilson, Joseph D	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/23/2007	6/30/2008
AT001460	Norwood, Jaime Griffis	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/31/2007	6/30/2008
AT001461	Caldwell, Amanda C	Athletic Trainer	Active	10/31/2007	6/30/2008
AT001462	Collins, Tammy Marie	Athletic Trainer	Active	11/1/2007	6/30/2008
AT001463	DeWitt, Kelly J	Athletic Trainer	Active	11/7/2007	6/30/2008
AT001464	Jordan, Erin Michele	Athletic Trainer	Active	11/14/2007	6/30/2008
AT001465	Gibbs, Daniel John	Athletic Trainer	Active	11/20/2007	6/30/2008
AT001466	Darwin, Wendy Allison	Athletic Trainer	Active	11/20/2007	6/30/2008
AT001467	Shipman, Gina Marie	Athletic Trainer	Active	11/20/2007	6/30/2008
AT001468	Patera, Steven J	Athletic Trainer	Active	12/6/2007	6/30/2008
AT001469	Loubier, Christopher George	Athletic Trainer	Active	12/7/2007	6/30/2008
AT001470	Miller, Charles Lee, III	Athletic Trainer	Active	12/7/2007	6/30/2008
AT001471	Gilbert, Jeffrey Allen	Athletic Trainer	Active	12/12/2007	6/30/2008
AT001472	Chaudhry, Saboor H	Athletic Trainer	Active	12/12/2007	6/30/2008
AT001473	Wilcoxson, Lisa Michelle	AthleticTrainer	Active	12/12/2007	6/30/2008

Applications:

A.A.M. – Mr. Hoff motioned; Mr. Treadway seconded, and the Board voted to reinstate license upon receipt of the late renewal fee and reinstatement fee.

R.E.S. - Mr. Treadway motioned; Dr. Malone seconded, and the Board voted to refer case to Legal Services for a Public Consent Order to include payment of the fine for unlicensed practice. The Board will accept Order upon receipt of signed copy from R.E.S.

R.L.P. – Mr. Hoff motioned; Dr. Malone seconded, and the Board voted to refer case to Legal Services for a Public Consent Order to include the fine for unlicensed practice. The Board will accept the Order upon receipt of signed Order from R.L.P.

A.L.P. – Mr. Hoff motioned; Mr. Treadway seconded, and the Board voted to refer case to Legal Services for a Public Consent Order to include the fine for unlicensed practice. The Board will accept Order upon receipt of signed Order by A.L.P.

L.J.E. – Mr. Hoff motioned; Dr. Malone seconded, and the Board voted to refer case to Legal Services for a Public Consent Order to include the fine for unlicensed practice. The Board will accept Order upon receipt of signed Order by L.J.E.

C.D.B. – Dr. Malone motioned; Mr. Treadway seconded, and the Board voted to refer case to Legal Services for a Public Consent Order to include the fine for unlicensed practice. The Board will accept Order upon receipt of signed Order by C.D.B.

A.B.C. – Mr. Treadway motioned; Dr. Malone seconded, and the Board voted to request additional information for clarification of when compensation began.

Executive Director's Report:

- Newsletter forthcoming to be placed on the web.
- Press releases will be forthcoming after each Board Meeting.
- **AT040003** – Mr. Hoff motioned; Dr. Malone seconded, and the Board voted to close the case as insufficient evidence.
- Letter received from Gov. Sonny Perdue accepting Warren Morris' resignation from the Board.

Board Attorney's Report:

- No report given.

Cognizant Report:

- No report given.

Investigation's Report:

- **AT060003** – Mr. Hoff motioned; Dr. Malone seconded, and the Board voted to close the case with no action.
- **AT070014** – Case had been previously closed; it was submitted to the Board for final review. The Board did not accept the signed Cease and Desist Order.
- **AT080018** – Dr. Malone motioned; Mr. Treadway seconded, and the Board voted to refer the case back to Investigations for more information.
- **AT080024** – Mr. Treadway motioned; Mr. Hoff seconded, and the Board voted to issue a Cease and Desist Order and subpoena the respondent's contract from the school.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

Russ Hoff, Chairman

Lisa Durden, Executive Director
Professional Licensing Boards Division

Minutes Prepared by: David Higdon, Board Secretary
Reviewed/Edited by: Lisa Durden, Executive Director

Minutes approved at the January 29, 2008 Board meeting.