

GEORGIA COMPOSITE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS,  
SOCIAL WORKERS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS  
Conference Call Meeting Minutes – April 11, 2017

The Georgia Composite Board of Professional Counselors, Social Workers and Marriage and Family Therapists met via conference call Tuesday April 11, 2017 at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia for the purpose to obtaining all necessary Board votes from the previous Friday's meeting where a quorum was not established.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Steve Livingston, MFT, Chair  
Endsley Real, CSW, Vice-Chair  
Ben Marion, CSW/MFT  
Karen Warren-Rosas, MSW  
Tommy Black, LPC Jack Perryman, LPC  
Bonnie Barker, LPC

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Kathryn Klock-Powell, MFT  
Gerri Ann Robbins, MFT

**ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF PRESENT:**

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director, HC 1  
Linsey Brookins, Board Support Specialist  
Amanda Allen, Licensing Supervisor  
Hope Harrison, Licensing Analyst

**ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE:**

Betsy Cohen, Esq., AAG (via telephone)

Steve Livingston, Chair, established a quorum was present and called the Board meeting to order at 8:32 a.m.

**Agenda:** Approved as presented

**Ms. Barker motioned, Ms. Warren-Rosas 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. § 50-14-2(1), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2-(k) (4), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19 (h) (2) & (4) to receive and review information pertaining to Applications, receive reports from the Boards Assistant Attorney General, the Professional Practices (Complaints) and the Professional Standards (Applications) Committees. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Board members: Livingston, Real, Marion, Klock-Powell, Perryman, Barker, and Black**

**At the conclusion of Executive Session on Friday, April 11, 2017, Mr. Livingston declared the meeting to be "open" pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq.**

**Applications:**

The separate Professional Standards Committees reviewed and made recommendations on all applications presented by the administrative staff.

**Ms. Warren-Rosas motioned, Ms. Real seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations of the Clinical and Master Social Worker applications as presented. In addition, the Board voted that the licenses can be issued upon the receipt of a passing exam score report. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Ms. Warren-Rosas motioned, Ms. Real seconded, and the Board voted to refer the reinstatement application of S.R. to the AG's Office as recommended. None opposed, motion carried.**

Ms. Black motioned, Ms. Warren-Rosas seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations of the Associate and Professional Counselor applications as presented. In addition, the Board voted that the licenses can be issued upon the receipt of a passing exam score report. None opposed, motion carried.

Ms. Black motioned, Ms. Warren-Rosas seconded, and the Board voted to refer A.S. and D.C. to the Professional Practices committee as recommended. None opposed, motion carried.

Mr. Black motioned, Mr. Livingston seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations of the Associate and Marriage and Family Therapy applications as presented. In addition, the Board voted that the licenses can be issued upon the receipt of a passing exam score report. None opposed, motion carried.

**PSC Committee: Applicant Interviews:**

- T.B.
- K.T.
- K.R.
- D.E.
- M.B.
- H.S.
- J.G.
- E.W.

**Recommendation:**

Pending receipt of additional information  
Denial  
Denial  
Approve  
Pending receipt of additional information  
Approve  
Cancelled Appearance  
Approve

Mr. Black moved, Ms. Robbins seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations proposed by the committees for the Applicant Interviews as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

**Renewal Issues:**

- T.B.
- V.W.
- P.H.

**Recommendation:**

Pending receipt of additional information  
Pending receipt of additional information  
Refer to AG's Office

Mr. Black moved, Ms. Real seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations proposed for the renewal matters of T.B. and V.W. as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Mr. Warren Rosas moved, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to refer the renewal matters of P.H. to the AG's office as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

**Professional Practices Committee/Complaints:**

**Recommend Closure:**

COMP170035, COMP170066, COMP170074, COMP170098 and COMP170110

**Recommend Reschedule Investigative Interview:**

COMP170085 & COMP170086

**Recommend Referral to Investigations:**

COMP170099

**Pending Receipt of Additional Information:**

COMP170112

Mr. Black motioned, Ms. Real seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations of the Professional Practices Committee report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

**Assistant Attorney General's Report:**

Written status and activity report presented for Board review.

**Board Orders:**

- Davenport, D.
- D.M.
- J.L.

**Recommendation:**

Accept Public Consent Agreement upon receipt  
Accept Private Order  
Refer to AG's office; If terms agreed to, accept upon receipt

**Ms. Warren-Rosas motioned, Ms. Real seconded and the Board voted to accept the Board Orders presented to the Board by the Assistant Attorney General noted above. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Mr. Marion motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendation on J.L. and refer the matter to the AG's office, and in addition, for the Boards Executive Director to sign the signed Board Order received between meetings by express permission and to submit for docketing. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Ms. Barker motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Assistant Attorney General's report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Executive Session Minutes:**

- March 9, 2017 LPC-PSC Meeting
- March 10, 2017 Board Meeting
- March 29, 2017 Conference Call

**Ms. Real motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to approve the March 9, 2017 Executive Session LPC-PCS meeting minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Ms. Real motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to approve the March 10, 2017 Executive Session Board meeting minutes as presented None opposed, motion carried.**

**Ms. Real motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to approve the March 29, 2017 Executive Session conference call meeting minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Board Order Petition Request:**

- Tina Tinsley

**Recommendation:**

Request Granted

**Ms. Real motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to accept the probation termination request of T.T. as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Full Board Appearances (Open):**

- Shaquina Jimmerson
- Deanna Dillard

**Recommendation:**

Denial stands; additional supervision required  
Denial stands; does not meet supervision or education requirements

**Ms. Barker moved, Ms. Real seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations proposed for the above appearances as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Meeting Minutes:**

- March 10, 2017
- March 29, 2017 Conference Call

**Mr. Black motioned, Ms. Barker seconded, and the Board voted to approve the March 10, 2017 Board Meeting minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Mr. Black motioned, Ms. Barker seconded, and the Board voted to approve the March 29, 2017 Conference Call meeting minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Correspondence:**

- Application File Requests: Documents requesting to be released
  - Patricia Freeman (MSW001323) – Release app file to ASWB
  - Patrick Winters (LPC006077) - Release supervision docs to SC
  - Rochely Terron (LPC008877) –Release supervision docs to PA and FL
- Correspondence:
  - Levine, S. – Request Approval of CE hours Per Consent Order - Approved
  - Beabout, M. – Counselor Question
  - Frey, M. – PC’s & Work Experience-Supervision
  - Frey, M. – Re CE Course
  - Johnson, S. - Humana Behavioral Health: RE Insurance Billing/Claims
  - Barrett, R. – Telehealth Certification Institute, LLC : RE Biannual Meeting
  - Open Records Request from District of Columbia:
    - Maria Bejacmar-Didier, CSW003742

**Mr. Black motioned, Mr. Marion seconded, and the Board voted to approve the release of the file contents for P. Freeman, P. Winters and R. Terron as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Ms. Warren-Rosas motioned, Ms. Real seconded, and the Board voted to approve the release of the file contents for M. Bejacmar-Didier as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Mr. Black motioned, Ms. Robbins seconded, and the Board voted to approve the Board Staff to respond as directed to all other correspondences listed above. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Petitions for Waiver/Variance:**

- C. Jean – Rule 135-5.03(1)(a)
- K. Banta – Rule 135-5-.02
- C. Cole – Rule 135-5-.02
- L. Cooper – Rule 135-3-.03(1)(a)
- P. Hindman – Rule 135-6-.04

**Recommendation:**

- Granted – 6 months
- Denied
- Denied
- Denied
- Denied

**Ms. Barker motioned, Ms. Warren Rosas seconded, and the Board voted to grant the petition request of C. Jean; six additional months approved. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Ms. Black motioned, Mr. Peterman seconded, and the Board voted to deny the petition requests for K. Banta, C. Cole, L. Cooper, and P. Hindman for failure to substantiate a verifiable and demonstrable hardship as required by law. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Application Ratify List: Issued Date: 3/9/2017 - 4/6/2017**

license No	Licensee
AMFT000483	Brianna Rae Brown
AMFT000484	Neva Danielle Evans
AMFT000485	Meagan Elizabeth Dawn Goodliffe
AMFT000486	Katina Rachelle Hall
AMFT000487	Erica Michelle Levy
AMFT000488	Kendall Hope Loudon
AMFT000489	Danielle Marie Tidwell
AMFT000490	Stephanie Adrianna Villarreal

AMFT000491	LaTrice Nicole Wright
APC005853	Kimberly Dawn Arnold
APC005854	Quinsana Lashawn Beaty
APC005855	Jennifer Bebecca Beaujon
APC005856	Geri Makeita Cassady
APC005857	Angie U.L. Caswell
APC005858	Carmella Ashlee Christensen
APC005859	Teristan Prince Sinatra Cooper
APC005860	Carolyn Elizabeth Gensler
APC005861	Gary Lamonte Green
APC005862	Crystal Racquel Hardy
APC005863	Carrie Lee Hirst
APC005864	Alexandria Arielle Hodges
APC005865	Noelle Jozefowicz
APC005866	Elizabeth Ann Kirk
APC005867	Elizabeth Grace Kraich
APC005868	Nicole Alyssa Miller
APC005869	Courtney King Moore
APC005870	Nicole Leigh Ridley
APC005871	Jacqueline Alexandra Ryanczak
APC005872	Kathryn Stephanie Skira
APC005873	Karen Brown Taylor
APC005874	Amanda Leigh Patterson
APC005875	Kimberly Patrice Whitner
APC005876	James Sample Elliott, Jr
APC005877	Lucila Goicochea Barbaran
APC005878	Jacqueline T.P. Jenkins
APC005879	Antonia Mack
APC005880	Alfredo Morales Celedon
APC005881	Jasmine Janae Pitts
APC005882	Lisa Michelle Stephans
APC005883	Kimberly Swanson
APC005884	Megan Trace Tenenbaum

APC005885	Brittney Morgan Bledsoe
APC005886	Pamela Anne Corsentino
APC005887	Shaunte Dabney
APC005888	Tracy Anne Milstead
APC005889	Diane M Hodge
APC005890	Emily Katherine Ralls
APC005891	Brooke McGuire Andrews
APC005892	Tiffany Bass Jackson
APC005893	Dalia M Diaz
APC005894	Jennifer Jane Dyson
APC005895	Aprell Hamilton Taylor
APC005896	Wyakemia Shantwann Holliday
APC005897	Kevin Ramone Larkins
APC005898	Edliz Wade
CSW006022	Danielle Lyn Bell
CSW006023	Maureen Anne McFadden
CSW006024	Emma Fofu Odotei
CSW006025	Janet Elizabeth Ward
CSW006026	Doreen R. Church
CSW006027	Rose Almeter Dominey
CSW006028	Lauren Milligan Lawrence
CSW006029	Tiffany Dawn Davis
CSW006030	Azia Armine Morgan
CSW006031	Heather Christianne Sjogren
CSW006032	Devesea Brown Tatum
CSW006033	Jody Bern Baumstein
CSW006034	Lindsey Anne Galinis
CSW006035	Stephanie Leonard Higdon
CSW006036	Chantel-Yvette Wayne Cohen
CSW006037	Laura Lynn Cox
CSW006038	Jonathan Edward Hester
CSW006039	Erin Elizabeth Lopez
CSW006040	Mary Katherine Martin
CSW006041	Rebekah Lynn Mills
CSW006042	Sarah Helen Webb
CSW006043	Pagrita Compagaris Fuller
CSW006044	Rachel Yvonne Johnson
CSW006045	Katie Suzanne Leikam
CSW006046	Fabricia Costa Prado
LPC009467	Audrey Green Campbell
LPC009468	Chrislyn Lee Eblacas
LPC009469	Jeffrey Scott Giddens
LPC009470	Angela Latrice Samuel
LPC009471	Cassey L St.Rose
LPC009472	Quinn Blake Thibodeau
LPC009473	Katherine Rosser Traylor
LPC009474	Jennifer Glover Yaeger

LPC009475	Phyllis Jean Zupkow		LPC009524	Coretta Ann Green
LPC009476	Busola Sarah Adegunwa		LPC009525	Jeffrey Andrew Rector
LPC009477	Sharmekia LaShon Barnes		LPC009526	Joy Freeze Welcker
LPC009478	Korin Marie Best		LPC009527	Meranda Leigh Bice
LPC009479	Belinda Kay Brock		LPC009528	Monika Dorsey Hayes
LPC009480	Breanna K Brown		LPC009529	Jada Stone Harrison
LPC009481	Candace Nicole Bynum		LPC009530	Mindy Littlejohn
LPC009482	Rabeshia Monique Byrd		LPC009531	Young Rae Shim
LPC009483	Mary C Delaney			
LPC009484	Nathlie Shacobia Dowdell		MFT001534	Crystal Shakira Gillery
LPC009485	Gini M Ellis		MFT001535	Shelley Jean Smith
LPC009486	Kelli Maria Gordy		MFT001536	Kemisha Artavisous Copeland
LPC009487	Theresa Michelle Graham		MFT001537	Abeke Baker
LPC009488	Shanique G Griffiths		MFT001538	Kelly Anne Cave
LPC009489	Marcel Denice Henderson		MFT001539	Curtis Anthony Fox
LPC009490	Stephanie Celestia Herbert		MFT001540	Ayanna S Jarrett
LPC009491	Erika Brittany Hill		MSW007756	Victoria Elise Bethel
LPC009492	Richard Shaye Hudson		MSW007757	Inga Patrice Blazio
LPC009493	Makeesa Tranise Johnson		MSW007758	Andrew P Carrier
LPC009494	Felisha Ann Jones		MSW007759	Shanti Castaneda Delima
LPC009495	Alexander Daniel Kohl		MSW007760	Patty Ann Gilbert
LPC009496	Lashonda Renee Lane		MSW007761	Elizabeth Kathryn McCormick
LPC009497	Jennifer Wilson Loggins		MSW007762	Jessica Lyn Parker
LPC009498	Barbara Katherine Lowry		MSW007763	Jasmine J Robinson
LPC009499	Beth Kay McDonald		MSW007764	Mary Lyn Robinson
LPC009500	Thelizia Omega McElroy		MSW007765	Mecca Morgan Saunders
LPC009501	Shawnnell Trammel Whitehead		MSW007766	Natasha Vayner
LPC009502	Shamara Marquita Moody		MSW007767	Tanasia Shantee Byars
LPC009503	Pamela Elder Pinckney		MSW007768	Katina Beatrice Davis
LPC009504	Daniel James Richart		MSW007769	Deirdre Lynch Donahue
LPC009505	Sharon West Rogers		MSW007770	Jonathan William Goodan
LPC009506	Bridget S Simpson		MSW007771	Anna Alicia Morgan
LPC009507	Taylor Ann Smith		MSW007772	Lisa Claire Palmer
LPC009508	Seanna Kathleen Toso		MSW007773	Eleanor Ashman Parker
LPC009509	Meredith Walker Vaughan		MSW007774	Ericka Denese Shinholster
LPC009510	Donna McLemore Watkins		MSW007775	Clarinda Fiona Squires
LPC009511	Roderick Yves Watkins		MSW007776	Tawnia M Valdez
LPC009512	Takiedra Dionne White		MSW007777	Jacarri Michelle Wilcots
LPC009513	Lanitra Lashai Wilson		MSW007778	Chrishaundra Antwinette
LPC009514	Christine Marie Wolff		MSW007779	Danielle Gena Dollinger
LPC009515	Latoya Nimmons Wright		MSW007780	Grace Helena Walz
LPC009516	Pamela Anne Griswell		MSW007781	Sheriese Nicole Fowler
LPC009517	Beth J FitzGerald		MSW007782	Jesmine Jarray Handy
LPC009518	Roberta Sherell Scott		MSW007783	Christabelle Nathania Auguste
LPC009519	Samuel Joseph Smith, II		MSW007784	Laura Kathleen Iandoli
LPC009520	Jessica Anne Stearns		MSW007785	Saveen Sundrani
LPC009521	Augustina Kelechi Anaekwe		MSW007786	Betty Bryant
LPC009522	Dana Marie Powell		MSW007787	Jared Michael Campbell
LPC009523	Jennifer Harris Bramblett			

MSW007788	Brittney Eleni Fields
MSW007789	Jossette Marie Footmon-Smith
MSW007790	Jennifer Nicole Hudgins
MSW007791	Betheny Ann Kapper
MSW007792	Patrick Eugene Tarrance
MSW007793	Davis Crosland Vaughn
MSW007794	Deborah Susanne Sheral Willis
MSW007795	Ashley Elizabeth Bowman
MSW007796	Niya Arien Burnette
MSW007797	Leigh Ann Cundiff
MSW007798	Danielle Nicole Deane
MSW007799	Christina Marie Furtick
MSW007800	Danielle Monique Neal
MSW007801	Monet Symone Patrick
MSW007802	Georgia Stephonie Sinclair

**Mr. Black motioned, Ms. Warren-Rosas seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Application Ratify List of licenses issued between Board meetings as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**Executive Directors Report:**

Mr. Zimmerman announced a proposed meeting agenda for next month's Board meeting scheduled on May 5, 2017 due to hearings before the Board to be conducted (9 and 10 a.m.), and the Public Rules Hearing set forth for Rule 135-12 Testing and Assessment (2:20 p.m.). Open session will begin at 8:30 a.m., followed by executive (or closed) session around 11 a.m., and back into open session around 1:15 p.m.

**Mr. Black motioned, Ms. Real seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Executive Directors Report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.**

**With no additional Board business requiring discussion, Mr. Black motioned, Ms. Barker seconded, and the Board voted to adjourn today's meeting at 9:43 a.m.**

Minutes recorded by:

Linsey Brookins, BSS, HC-1

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director, HC 1

**STEVE LIVINGSTON**

Chair

**BRIG ZIMMERMAN**

Executive Director HC1

These minutes were approved on: **May 5, 2017**