

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD FOR THE CERTIFICATION
OF LIBRARIANS**

Board Meeting: September 17, 2008

A Board meeting of the Georgia State Board for the Certification of Librarians was held on Wednesday, September 17, 2008, at the Office of the Division Director, Professional Licensing Boards Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

The following Board members were present:

George R. Gaumont, Special Librarian
Marsha Lynn Christy, Public Librarian
Hasseltine N. Roberts, Trustee
Lamar Veatch, Ex-Officio Member
Susan S. Whittle, Public Librarian

Others present:

Deborah Beard, Executive Director
Sandra Mays, Applications Specialist
Marie S. Urquhart, Board Secretary
Chuck Miller, Investigative Unit

Chairman Gaumont established that a quorum was present at 10:07 a.m. and called the meeting to order.

Ms. Whittle made a motion to **approve** the minutes of the March 26, 2008 meeting.
Ms. Christy seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Christy made a motion to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A.43-1-2(k) and 43-1-19(h) to deliberate on applications and investigative matters and to receive an investigative report. Ms. Whittle seconded the motion. Voting in favor of the motion were those members present who included Board Members Christy, Gaumont, Roberts, Veatch, and Whittle. The Board concluded **Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

Applications:

The Board reviewed the following list of Librarians licensed since the last review. Ms. Whittle made a motion to **ratify** the following for licensure and reinstatement. Dr. Veatch seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

License No.	Name	Grade	Validity Date
LIB005242	Evette Yvonne Bridges	5B	04/04/2008
LIB005243	Laurie J. Howren	5B	05/13/2008
LIB005244	Christine Jennifer Bishop	5B	05/09/2008
LIB005245	Mia Shawn Manekofsky	5B	04/30/2008
LIB005246	Patricia P. Carterette	5B	04/22/2008
LIB005247	Julienne L. Marks	5B	04/22/2008

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LIB005248	Robbin Tomlin Glaser	5B	06/09/2008
LIB005249	Elizabeth Yvonne Miller	5B	06/03/2008
LIB005250	Chemera J. Ivory	5B	04/21/2008
LIB005251	Sonya Reed	5B	03/26/2008
LIB005252	Jason Trevor LeMay	5B	04/15/2008
LIB005253	Christina Olds Jordan	5B	04/08/2008
LIB005254	Jacob B. Newman	5B	06/06/2008
LIB005255	Randy Thomas Bell	5B	05/16/2008
LIB005256	Jessica Naomi Henderson	5B	05/30/2008
LIB005257	Maurica Wieskamp Barr	5B	06/10/2008
LIB005258	Erin R. Brooks	5B	06/11/2008
LIB005259	Sadeqwa Atkinson	5B	06/30/2008
LIB005260	Rebecca Anne Causey Mendeloshn	5B	06/20/2008
LIB005261	Abigail Leigh Phillips	5B	06/11/2008
LIB005262	Brian Keith Davis	5B	06/11/2008
LIB005263	Elizabeth Dalton Veasey	5B	08/05/2008
LIB005264	Stephanie Morgan Sanogo	5B	07/29/2008
LIB005265	Lindsay McGuire Pate	5B	07/30/2008
LIB005266	Kerwin Paul Pilgrim	5B	07/25/2008
LIB005267	Kelli Kay Murphy	5B	07/16/2008
LIB005268	Machelle Hill	5B	07/24/2008
LIB005269	Sarah Celeste Hill	5B	02/21/2008
LIB005270	Marsha D. Carlan	5B	07/17/2008
LIB005271	Dale Hamilton Tysor	5B	07/14/2008
LIB005272	Elyse M. Thompson	5B	07/09/2008
LIB005273	Terri Colette Corbin-Hutchinson	5B	07/09/2008

The Board **ratified** the following list of Librarians for reinstatement of licensure.

License No.	Name	Grade
LIB004212	Sharron Laverne Lacey	5B
LIB004871	Chadwich Leverte Burroughs	5B

The Board reviewed the list of applications for licensure as presented. Ms. Christy made a motion to **approve** the following for licensure and reinstatement. Ms. Whittle seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

License No.	Name	Grade	Validity Date
LIB005274	Leslie Judith James	5B	09/04/2008
LIB005275	Karen S. Kennedy	5B	08/29/2008
LIB005276	Rhonda Leaphart Jeffers	5B	09/04/2008
LIB005277	LaToya M. Davidson	5B	09/15/2008
LIB005278	Judith Ann Squires	5B	08/19/2008
LIB005279	Gina L. Martin	5B	08/11/2008

The Board **approved** the following list of Librarians for reinstatement of licensure.

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License No.	Name	Grade
LIB004329	Maria I. Betancourt	5B
LIB004632	Ching-Tung Chang	5B
LIB004876	Marlene F. Coleman	5B

Written Correspondence:

Robert L. Strickland: The Board reviewed information received regarding renewal of licensure. Ms. Christy made a motion to **approve** the renewal of licensure. Ms. Whittle seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Sonya Reed: The Board reviewed information received regarding renewal of licensure. Ms. Christy made a motion to **approve** the renewal of licensure. Ms. Whittle seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Investigative Unit:

The Board heard a report from the Investigative Unit on additional information requested by the Board regarding the following case which required no vote or additional action:

LIB060003

Executive Director's Report:

The Executive Director updated the Board on the following topics:

- 1,067 Active Licensees
- Voluntary Cease and Desist Hearings: Ms. Whittle made a motion for one (1) Voluntary Cease and Desist Hearing to be held on scheduled Board meeting dates beginning at 10:30 a.m. Ms. Christy seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Correspondence, Inquiries, and Requests:

Pat Carterette: The Board reviewed information received regarding online continuing education courses. Dr. Veatch will give a report at a future meeting.

The Board reviewed other information that did not require a vote or action.

Policy:

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Ms. Whittle made a motion to **approve** the following policy. Ms. Christy seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

It is the policy of the Georgia State Board for the Certification of Librarians to accept all Voluntary Cease and Desist Orders upon receipt in the Board office and authorize the president/chairperson or his or her designee to execute the Order and to authorize the Orders to be docketed and served. It is the intent of the Board that the Orders will be in effect upon docketing. The Georgia State Board for the Certification of Librarians will ratify the docketed Cease and Desist Orders at its next meeting after the date of docketing and include a list of the approved orders in the board minutes.

Other Business:

Dr. Gaumond reported to the Board that Valdosta State University is exploring options of offering a Specialist Degree, and will give updated reports at future meetings.

Ms. Whittle reported on the Emeritus Status Certificate, and the Board reaffirmed its previous decision of not establishing the certificate.

The Board discussed conducting a continuing education audit and will continue discussion at future meetings.

There was no further business and the meeting was adjourned at 11:42 a.m.

Recorded by Board Secretary

Reviewed by Executive Director

Chairman

These minutes were approved on _____

These minutes were signed on _____