

GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY
Board Teleconference Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, December 28, 2016 - 8:30 A.M.

The Georgia State Board of Physical Therapy met on December 28, 2016 at 8:30 a.m. The following members were present:

Board Members Present

Stefanie Palma, PT, Chairperson
Dorothy Gaskin, PT, Vice Chair
Reid Lawson, PT
Charles Bass, PT
Chad Whitefield, PT
Anne Thompson, PT
Jesse Crews, Consumer Member

Administrative Staff Present

Adrienne Price, Executive Director
Kathy Osier, Licensing Supervisor
Michelle Foster, Board Support Specialist

Board Members Absent

Monty Strickland, PT

Attorney General's Office

No attorney present.

Visitors Present

No visitors present.

Call to Order: Dr. Palma established that a quorum of the Board was present and called the meeting to order at 8:31 a.m.

OPEN SESSION

Agenda The Board accepts the agenda as presented.

Petition for Rule Waiver Request

1) Brenda Kerner - BR 490-2-.04(a)(4)(5)

Ms. Gaskin motioned, Mr. Lawson seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion to deny the petition for rule waiver of BR 490-2-.04(a)(4)(5) due to the petitioner's failure to substantiate her work history in the area of rehabilitation in the last 2-5 years and insufficient evidence to substantiate a substantial hardship.

Adjournment: There being no additional business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 8:39 a.m.

Minutes recorded by:

Michelle Foster, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Kathy Osier, Licensing Supervisor & Adrienne Price, Executive Director

Minutes approved on:

January 24, 2017

DR. STEFANIE PALMA
BOARD CHAIR

ADRIENNE PRICE
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR