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**REGULAR SESSION MEETING MINUTES via
Hangout Meet Video Conferencing
March 24, 2020**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mark Cornwall, PT PHD, FAPTA, President
Karen Bustillo, PT, DPT, OCS, CLT, Secretary
Nushka Remec, PT, MS, PCS; Vice President
Joshua Greer, Public Member
Kelly King, PT, DPT, Professional Member

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

Peggy Hunter, PTA, CLT; Professional Member
Michael S. Clinton, CPA; Public Member

**ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL
PRESENT:**

Mona Baskin, Assistant Attorney General

BOARD STAFF PRESENT:

Karen Donahue, PT, DPT, Executive Director
Monica Crowley, Licensing Administrator
Veronica Cardoza, Administrative Services Officer
Mindy Richardson, PT, Investigator

- 1) **CALL TO ORDER – 8:30 A.M.;** Dr. Cornwall called the meeting to order at 8:38 A.M. (A recording of the meeting is available through the Board Office)

Roll Call – The following Board Members were present: Dr. Cornwall, Dr. King, Dr. Bustillo, Ms. Remec, Mr. Greer and Dr. King

2) Review and Approval of Draft Minutes

A) February 25, 2020 Regular Session Meeting Minutes

The Board reviewed and discussed the above minutes.

Dr. King moved the Board to approve the February 25, 2020 Regular Session Meeting Minutes with the suggested changes. Mr. Greer seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

B) February 25, 2020 Executive Session Meeting Minutes-A

The Board reviewed and discussed the above minutes.

Dr. King moved the Board to approve the February 25, 2020 Executive Session Meeting Minutes-A. Dr. Bustillo seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

C) February 25, 2020 Executive Session Meeting Minutes-B

The Board reviewed and discussed the above minutes.

Dr. King moved the Board to approve the February 25, 2020 Executive Session Meeting Minutes-B. Ms. Remec seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

3) REVIEW, CONSIDERATION and ACTION

A) Applications for Licensure and Certification

- 1) Review, Consideration and Approval of Applications for Physical Therapist Licensure with Documentation Related to Disclosure on "Personal Information" Section of the

Application.

Alexis Araza

The Board reviewed and discussed the above application.

Dr. Bustillo moved the Board to approve the above Application for Physical Therapist Licensure upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript. Dr. King seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

Corey Ferguson

The Board reviewed and discussed the above application.

Dr. King moved the Board to approve the above Application for Physical Therapist Licensure upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript. Dr. Bustillo seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

Nathan Schermerhorn

The Board reviewed and discussed the above application.

Dr. Bustillo moved the Board to approve the above Application for Physical Therapist Licensure upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript. Dr. King seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

2) Review, Consideration and Approval of Applications for Physical Therapist Assistant Certification with Documentation Related to Disclosure on “Personal Information” Section of the Application

Michael Daneker

The Board reviewed and discussed the above application.

Dr. Bustillo moved the Board to approve the above Application for Physical Therapist Assistant Certification upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript. Ms. Remec seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

Matthew Kaul

The Board reviewed and discussed the above application.

Dr. Bustillo moved the Board to approve the above Application for Physical Therapist Assistant Certification upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript. Dr. King seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							

Absent	X	X					
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B) Review of and Possible Action on Application for Physical Therapist Licensure from Applicant Requesting ADA Accommodations.

A) Diane Uhri

The Board reviewed and discussed the above application.

Dr. King moved the Board to approve the ADA Accommodations for Ms. Uhri. Dr. Cornwall seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

C) Review of and Possible Action on Application for Physical Therapist Licensure from Applicant Requesting ADA Accommodations/Review, Consideration and Approval of Applications for Physical Therapist Assistant with Documentation Related to Disclosure on “Personal Information” Section of the Application.

A) Daniel Stolfa

The Board reviewed and discussed the above application.

Dr. King moved the Board to table the above application to the next Board meet to allow Mr. Stolfa to obtain current medical documents. Dr. Bustillo seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

D) Review of and Possible Action on the Following Applications for Physical Therapist Licensure – Foreign Educated Graduates of Programs Not U.S. Accredited. Review of

Education, Determination of Supervised Clinical Practice Period, and Possible Licensure/SCPP Agreement Approval

A) Fiona Coyle

Dr. Bustillo moved the Board accept Ms. Coyle proposed SCPP supervisors and facility and found her substantially equivalent. Ms. Remec seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

4) COMPLAINTS, HEARINGS, INVESTIGATIONS and COMPLIANCE

A) Review, Discussion and Possible Action for Initial Review

1) Case No. 19-56; Amberly Brown, PTA

Dr. Donahue provided a summary of the case for the Board. The Board held its initial review and discussion of Complaint # 19-56 at the regular session meeting on January 28, 2020. The Board requested further investigation to enable Ms. Brown to request Voluntary Surrender of her AZ Compact Privilege. Ms. Brown requested and received Voluntary Surrender of her AZ Compact Privilege# CP-000834A. A letter of Surrender of Compact Privilege was received on 2/25/2020.

The Board reviewed and discussed the above case.

Dr. King moved the Board to **Dismiss** Case No. 19-56. Mr. Greer seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

B) Review, Discussion and Possible Action for Potential Opening of Complaint

1) CG, PT

The Board reviewed and discussed the above agenda item.

Dr. King moved the Board to open a complaint. Dr. Bustillo seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

5) BOARD BUSINESS AND REPORTS

B) Review, Discussion:

- 1) Legislative Update- Cynthia Driskell, PT (Arizona Physical Therapy Association)

Ms. Cynthia Driskell provided an updated of the above topic. No action was need or taken.

A) Review, Discussion and Action:

- 1) PT Compact Renewal Requirements

Dr. Donahue provided an updated of the above topic. No action was need or taken.

- 2) PT Compact Substantive Policy Statement

Ms. Baskin provided an updated of the above topic. The Board reviewed and discussed the above agenda item.

Dr. King moved the Board to accept the PT Compact Substantive Policy Statement. Dr. Bustillo seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remec	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

- 3) FSBPT Board Training
- 4) April Board Meeting

(1) Hangout Meet Video Conferencing for Complaints

Dr. Donahue provided an updated of the above topic. No action was need or taken.

5) Executive Order 2020-07

(1) Draft Communication to Physical Therapists and Physical Therapist Assistants

The Board reviewed and discussed the above agenda item.

Dr. King moved the Board to Approve draft letter to be sent via email to all of our licensees and certificate holders regarding the Executive Order 2020-07 issued by the Governor. Dr. Bustillo seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remece	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

C) Review and Discussion:

1) Applications Submitted February 18, 2020 through March 18, 2020

- a) Applications Submitted 68
 - i. 9 PT by Endorsement
 - ii. 23 PT by Examination
 - iii. 7 PTA by Endorsement
 - iv. 26 PTA by Examination
 - v. 1 PT by Universal Recognition
 - vi. 2 PTA by Universal Recognition

2) PT Licensure/ PTA Certification February 18, 2020 through March 18, 2020

- a) Applications Approved 57
 - i. 23 PT by Endorsement
 - ii. 21 PT by Examination
 - iii. 4 PTA by Endorsement
 - iv. 6 PTA by Examination
 - v. 2 PT by Universal Recognition
 - vi. 1 PTA by Universal Recognition

D) Review and Discussion

1) February 2020 Financials

Dr. Donahue provided an updated of the above topic. No action was need or taken.

6) CALL TO THE PUBLIC

No one came forward.

7) ADJOURNMENT

Dr. King moved the Board to adjourn. Dr. Bustillo seconded the motion. Following review and discussion, the motion carried by roll call.

Vote	Mr. Clinton	Ms. Hunter	Dr. King	Ms. Remece	Mr. Greer	Dr. Cornwall	Dr. Bustillo
Aye			X	X	X	X	X
Nay							
Recused							
Abstained							
Absent	X	X					

Meeting adjourned at 9:44 A.M.

Prepared by,

Monica Crowley
Licensing Administrator

Approved by,

Karen Bustillo, PT, DPT, OCS, CLT
Secretary