## Minutes

The Physician Assistant Advisory Committee of the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision met on April 19, 2012, in accordance with the Open Meeting Act. The meeting was held at the office of the Board, 101 NE 51<sup>st</sup> Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Members present were:

Charles Womack, MD, Chairman Lindsey Gillispie, PA Don Flinn, PA Riaz Sirajuddin, MD Gerald Wootan, DO Thomas Pickard, DO Daniel McNeill, PhD, PA

Member absent was:

Clay Moore, D.Ph.

Others present included:

Bill O'Brien, Assistant Attorney General Elizabeth Scott, Assistant Attorney General Kim Heaton, Assistant Attorney General Lyle R. Kelsey, Executive Director Robyn Hall, Director of Licensing Kathy Plant, Executive Secretary

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 p.m. The minutes from January 5, 2012, Committee meeting were reviewed. Dr. Sirajuddin moved to approve the minutes. Ms. Gillispie seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Susan L. Davis, PA appeared to discuss pending allegations of dishonorable or immoral conduct likely to deceive/defraud/harm the public, prescribing violations, procuring/aiding/abetting a criminal operation, aiding/abetting the unlicensed practice of medicine, and use of false/fraudulent/deceptive statement in connection with the practice of medicine. Appearing with Ms. Davis was her attorney, Deborah Reheard. Ms. Scott briefed the Committee on allegations that Ms. Davis utilized pre-signed prescriptions at the direction of her physician who was out of town and, at times, out of the country, for extended periods of time. This also left her without a supervising physician during those times. She said Dr. Delia, Ms. Davis' supervising physician at the time the allegations occurred, had surrendered his medical license. Ms. Reheard explained Ms. Davis' financial obligations and worries. Ms. Davis did confront Dr. Delia several times but he was not open to change. She started looking for another job while she tried to make sure she had a supervising physician available when Delia was out of town/state/country. Ms. Davis has been working at VA since February 2011. Dan McNeill told Ms. Davis that she put finances ahead of numerous state and federal laws. Not only did she do harm to patients but to the PA profession as well. Ms. Davis stated that if she could do it over, she would just leave Dr. Delia's practice. Mr. Flinn said if she was having problems, she could have called the state board or one of the PA Committee members. After discussion, Dr. Wootan

moved to recommend that the Board revoke the license for at least one year. Ms. Gillispie seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Richard Clay Tessmer appeared in support of his application for reinstatement of Physician Assistant licensure after revocation. Mr. Tessmer had been assessed and treated at Acumen Institute in Kansas. That report was reviewed. Ms. Scott reported that Mr. Tessmer's license had been revoked in March 2010. Mr. Tessmer testified regarding his activities since his license was revoked, including his recovery efforts and the monitoring done by the Oklahoma Health Professionals Program. He discussed his practice plans and possible job opportunities, should his license be reinstated. He stated his boundaries are clear and his recovery is going well. The Committee discussed that it had been just a short time of recovery. After further discussion, Dan McNeill moved to recommend denial of the reinstatement application. Dr. Sirajuddin seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Ms. Scott introduced Kim Heaton, Assistant Attorney General. Ms. Heaton would be working for the Board part time, assisting Ms. Scott with cases.

The Chair called for new business. Dan McNeill reported on having received an e-mail from a PA working for the Laser Spine Institute. The PA works in Oklahoma on patients who may be from out of the state. The question was asked, if the patient is treated in Oklahoma, then returns home out of state, can the PA continue to manage patient from Oklahoma? After discussion, the Committee directed Dr. McNeill to respond that the PA could answer the patient's questions and offer comfort. But if the PA is going to manage patient care, he needs to be able to see the patient. There should be a local physician to cover follow-up care. Additionally, the patient's home state may prohibit a PA unlicensed in their state treating patients residing within their state. The Committee would not consider this the best medical practice; for controlled substance prescriptions, the PA needs to be able to have a face-to-face visit with the patient. Dr. Sirajuddin said an important point is to consider is where the care will be rendered and would there be a charge associated with it. The Committee acknowledged that this would be a growing issue.

Applications for licensure, reinstatement of licensure, transfer applications, applications for additional positions and additional alternate supervisors were considered.

Dan McNeill moved to recommend approval of the following applications for licensure as Physician Assistants. Lindsey Gillispie seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

<b>APA2122</b>	ANGLIN, JOHN	<b>APA2135</b>	KRYVENIA,
<b>APA2137</b>	<b>BODDEN, FLOYD</b>	<b>ALEXAND</b>	ER
<b>APA2131</b>	<b>BOOTHE, JESSICA</b>	<b>APA2124</b>	MUSGROVE, JENNA LEE
<b>JEANNE</b>		<b>APA2097</b>	OLIVER, RICHARD T JR
<b>APA2129</b>	<b>BRENNAN, JESSICA</b>	<b>APA2115</b>	<b>PUTNAM, JENNIFER</b>
LAURA		ROBIN	
<b>APA2123</b>	DICKEY, KATIE	<b>APA2116</b>	STEPHENS, MEGAN
<b>APA2140</b>	JOHNSON, YEH NING	REESE	
<b>APA2121</b>	JONES, GERALDINE	<b>APA2139</b>	SWAYDEN, KASEY
ANN	•	LEIGH	•

APA2125	WELLINGTON,	APA2119	WELLMAN, JENNIFER E
REBECCA R		APA2130	WHITE, BEVERLY DENE

Don Flinn moved to recommend approval of the following applications for licensure as Physician Assistants pending satisfactory completion of the files:

<b>APA2138</b>	CHAO, TINA	<b>APA2127</b>	SHEHAN, MARIA
<b>APA2133</b>	DAVIS, BRANDON DALE	LAURA	
<b>APA2118</b>	HOWELL, CLINT DEAN	<b>APA2117</b>	TRAYNOR, MEGAN
<b>APA2128</b>	NEFF, LARRY DEAN JR	<b>MARIE</b>	
<b>APA2136</b>	RAYCOB, TIMOTHY M	<b>APA2134</b>	VOGT, TERRY
<b>APA2132</b>	RICHARD, STEPHEN L	<b>APA2120</b>	YANG, BLIA

He further moved to recommend approval of the following applications for reinstatement of Physician Assistant licensure:

## PA984 FISHER, DAVID LEE LITTLE, CHRISTINA FAYE

PA816

Dr. Sirajuddin seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Don Flinn moved to recommend approval of the following applications for transfer of positions. Dr. Sirajuddin seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

## MARXER, DONALD HILL transfer to Douglas Riddle, MD

GOURLEY, LANA KAY transfer to Charles Cunningham, MD

JOERN, JERRY EARL transfer to Michael Houston, MD

GUTHRIE JR, DONALD AUGUSTUS transfer to Donald Tutt, MD

BUERGER, FRANK DEE transfer to Andrea James, MD

SCHMIDT, CAROL S transfer to Jamie Daugherty, MD

HAWK, SARAH MUMY transfer to Osman Kahn, MD

**DUNAGAN, MARY ANNETTE** transfer to Vania Revell, DO

PARNELL, JACKIE J transfer to Bret Hubbard, DO

**STREET, WILLIE JESSE** transfer to Kevin Penwell, DO

HARRIS, ELIZABETH ANNE transfer to Henry Pearce, MD

CASTEL, JULIE M transfer to Myron Mills, MD

MORGAN, SHELLY LYNN transfer to Lynn Wiens, MD

HABBEN, LEE ANN transfer to Phillip Washburn, MD

LINE, RHONDA MICHELLE transfer to Christopher Manus, MD

WADE, AARON CLAY transfer to Robert Gunderson, DO

**CUMMINGS, DEANNA JOHNSTON** transfer to Aaron Wilcox, DO

BOS, LARRY ALLEN transfer to Kyla Lussier, MD

**HILL, LINDA JEAN** transfer to Andrew Donnelly, MD

FIELDER, CATHTY JUDEAN transfer to Tom Foreman, DO

**DE MASTERS, KENNETH DALE** transfer to Ryan Dennis, MD

ROGERS, THERESA LYNN transfer to Daniel Boedeker, MD

BOSSE, BOBBY OMAR transfer to Melody Rachal, MD

HUIE, RHONDA RUTH transfer to Ronald Robinson, MD

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TATE, STEVEN ANTHONY transfer to Harold Delaughter, DO
   JAMES, CHRISTOPHER TODD transfer to Brent Mefford, MD
   GREEN, LARA ERIN transfer to Lana Nelson, DO
   ROARK, SALLY MARIE transfer to Richard Kirkpatrick, MD
   FARROW, DEMETRIOUS transfer to Scott Mitchell, DO
   ROBERTSON, ZACHARY ALAN transfer to Edwin Waters, MD
   RAMSEY, LESLEY KATHRYN transfer to Jerome Block, MD
   VALERIANO, JOY MARIE transfer to Jane Curtis, MD
   NEER, TERRI LYNN transfer to Frank Hubbard, DO
   WELLMAN, AMBER M transfer to Bruce Mackey, MD
   KROPFINGER, REBECCA LEAH transfer to Rosemary Avitey, MD
   BIRCH, JENNIFER JOY transfer to Willis Holloway, MD
   FUNK, BRANDON SCOTT transfer to Christopher Barry, MD
   MUNCY, DEVON JESSICA transfer to Xavier Gonzalez, MD
   DEWITT, CHRISTI RENAE transfer to Raymond Wall, MD
   GRIGGS, JANIS KAY transfer to Michelle Wells, DO
   ORDELHEIDE, FRANSEN transfer to Jennifer Holter, MD
   MIESCHER, CHERYL LEE
                                 transfer to Lisa Weber, MD
   WEBSTER, KAREN LEIGH transfer to Samuel Hague, MD
   HOVSETH, KINGERLY ANN transfer to Erin Allen, DO
   LAFAVE, SALLEE FERN transfer to Keith Ivens, MD
MANGUM, ROBYN DAWN transfer to Jeffrey Hoffsemmer, MD
GERMANY, LEE MAC transfer to Terrill Hulson, MD
PRASSADA, YOLANDA MARIA transfer to Dana Stone, MD
COLLINS, JESSICA DAWN transfer to Jesse Sullivan, MD
MCCASKILL, KIZZY LANAE transfer to Gagan Mall, MD
ARENDS, ANDREW ALLEN transfer to Jean Cannon, MD
   KING, ANDREA ANN transfer to Mohanad Shukry, MD
   HENSLEY, CRYSTAL JONES transfer to Christopher Hunter, MD
   TRAN, TRACI PHUONG transfer to Mark Adams, MD
   CURTIS, STACY LEANN transfer to Nathan Boren, MD
   KINNEY-BUNDY, JENNIFER LORRAIN transfer to Keith Ivens, MD
   MUNSANTO, DEIDRA DYAN transfer to Kevin Conatser, DO
HUYNH, BILL transfer to Lam Le, MD
BURKE, PHIL JOSEPH transfer to Michelle Salvaggio, MD
KEITH, STEPHANIE LEIGH transfer to Fadi Fasr, MD
TEEL, TRAVIS LEE transfer to Dale Anderson, DO
ATKINSON, KRISTINA MARIE transfer to Brett Cauthen, MD
BENNET-NOLLEY, TAMARA LEANNE transfer to Spyridon Marinis, MD
JACOBY, SHANNON MICHELLE transfer to Thomas Rothenbach, MD
KRUSE, JASON BRADLEY transfer to Jan Hill, MD
WILLIAMS, BRIAN GERARD transfer to Thomas McCulloh, DO
PIZINGER, CHRISTINA MARIE transfer to Khalili Saliba, MD
BODINE, AMANDA transfer to Richard Carter, MD
EDWARDS, LAUREN CURLEY transfer to Stephen Sparks, DO
WILSON, MICHELE MCNALLEY transfer to John Stepanek, DO
BRAINERD, CHRISTAL LYNNE transfer to James Freed, MD
JONES, CHARLES BLAISE transfer to Diana Hager, MD
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WILLIAMS, PATRICIA JOYCE transfer to Ted Kaltenbach, DO JONES, STEPHANI LYNN transfer to Chesca Craig-Goodell, DO HOFFMAN, KARLI ALIN transfer to James Riemer, DO CABRERA, BRITTANY FAITH transfer to Steven Drabek, MD RICH, DAVILYN RENE transfer to Christopher Abshere, MD SPELLS, AARON transfer to Charles Black, DO ALLISON, ERIKA MARIE transfer to Mark Willits, MD MILLER, JILL LEANN transfer to Stephen Lee, MD EDWARDS, BRADLEY ALAN transfer to Okey Nwokolo, MD JACKSON, SASA KOREN transfer to Larry Lovelace, DO WAINWRIGHT, TINA MARIE transfer to Boyce Coleman, M

Don Flinn moved to recommend approval of the following applications for additional positions. Dr. Sirajuddin seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

SWENSON JR., MAX BRIAN additional position with Stanley Stacy, DO ELLIOTT, ROGER ALAN additional position with Randel Estep, DO CLICK, JAMES NELSON additional position with James Johnson, MD WING, ARLYN GAIL additional position with Cristopher Schultz, DO CARDELLO, JOSEPH ANTHONY additional position with Henry Pearce, MD FALCONER, RALPH TILLMAN additional position with Christopher Meyer, MD LEWIS, JANE PEPER additional position with Billy Beets, MD MARTENS, JEFFREY DONOVAN additional position with Jason Sims, DO MCLAUGHLIN, JERRY TOOD additional position with J. Melton, DO, S. Coupens, MD and J. Alvis, MD

HABBEN, LEE ANN additional position with James Graham, MD
PLUMMER, KEITH GERRELL additional position with Stephen Woodson, DO
LINE, RHONDA MICHELLE additional position with Michael Vaclaw, MD
GARTZKE, ALFRED W additional position with C.D. Neilsen, DO and David Miller, MD

**OLDHAM, ROBERT ANTHONY** additional position with Russell Ingram, MD and Donald Haslam, MD

**BECERRA, MANUEL TED** additional position with Rodney McCrory, DO **ADAMS, TAMMIE DAWN** additional position with George Petry, MD and Ashraf Habib, MD

GREEN, INA KIM additional position with Gozde Demiralp, MD
MYERS, TAMI RENE additional position with Henry Pearce, MD
HILL, CONNIE JEAN additional position with Terry Brown, MD
TAYLOR, LESLIE ANNE additional position with George Lyons, MD
PICCIONE, JOSEPH JOHN additional position with Marvin Jin, MD
PEEVY, ROBERT EARL additional position with Ashraf Habib, MD
SMITH, JACK BRADLEY additional position with Jason Sims, DO
CARMOUCHÉ, SHANNAN LEE additional position with James Johnson, MD
SANFORD, JAIME ANN additional position with Stephen Hopkins, MD
JAMES, CHRISTOPHER TODD additional position with Jason Sims, DO
ATWOOD, PEGGY S additional position with Paul Weather, DO
SIGL, JULIE ANN additional position with Thomas Conklin, DO
WILLIAMS, REBECCA R additional position with Jason Hart, MD

LUCAS, SHELBY LAURA additional position with Christopher Meyer, MD VALERIANO, JOY MARIE additional position with Terry Brown, MD EARLEY, SARAH JAQUIER additional position with Gozde Demiralp, MD KIRTTENBRINK, ANDREA LEIGH additional position with Aaron Wilbanks, DO BRADSHAW, JERRI LYNN additional position with Christopher Meyer, MD CHRISTIAN, MICHAL GERALYN additional position with Joseph Broome, MD BARTON, ANNE KATHLEEN additional position with Paul Morrison, DO SIMON, JENNY REBECCA additional position with Donald Tutt, MD LIPKE, KYLE NATHAN additional position with Casey Peters, MD ARMS, TODD DAVID additional position with Jeffrey Reames, MD HAFNER, MICHAEL WAYNE additional position with Samuel Hague, MD DONALSON, TANNA LEE additional position with Gregory Dennis, DO and Juan Brou, MD

CLOPTON, MARIAN MEGAN additional position with Pam Allen, MD SALAMY-SULLINS, VICTORIA J additional position with Gilbert Parks, MD HOGAN, JAMES CAMERON additional position with Jesse Sullivan, MD SHARP, ANTHONY DAVID additional position with Brett Cauthen, MD THOMAS, MEBIN BABU additional position with R. Michael Eimen, DO MEIERS, ASHLEY NICOLE additional position with John Hackney, MD WILCOX, DAVE MICHAEL additional position with James Lynch, MD and George Petry, MD

BARNETT, PETER MICHAEL additional position with Everett Bayne, MD PERKINS, CHAD ALAN additional position with Stan Stacy, DO DUGUAY, LACI LYN additional position with Joseph Broome, MD JONES, STEPHANI LYNN additional position with John Hackney, MD

Dan McNeill moved to recommend approval of the following applications to add alternate supervisors. Don Flinn seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

PA 1962 **EMILY AULD** adding Anas Salkini MD

PA 2095 RYAN BALLARD adding Brock Schnebel MD and Ronald Dumigan MD

PA 1347 **ANTHONY BARBETTINI** adding Roberta Rau MD

PA 1234 **KENT BAYS** adding Philip Jones MD

PA 1781 **DEBORAH BEARCE** adding Harold Claver DO and Beth May DO

PA 999 **BRETT BENNETT** adding Monica Saenz DO

PA 807 **JEFFREY BIVENS** adding Melanie Pearce DO

PA 1402 **JERRI BRADSHAW** adding John Conley DO

PA 1752 ALAN BROKENICKY adding Christopher Simic DO

PA 510 **KENNETH BROOKS** adding Katherine Moxley MD

PA 2103 **JAYNE BRUCE** adding Kevin Gancarczyk MD, Wesley Brookover MD, Andrew Wright MD, Robert Bruce MD, Jeremy Carrico MD, Charles Pritchard MD, Sean Doyle MD, Curtis Powell MD, John Forrest MD, Jack Miller MD, Marc Milsten MD, Cole Davis MD, Scott Litwiller MD, Michael Wilkin MD, William Cook MD, Sunshine Murray MD, David Harper MD and David Confer MD

PA 880 TOMMY CAMP adding Jeffrey Dixon MD

PA 2013 AMY CAMPBELL adding Vishal Mundra MD

PA 2074 ERIN CAPPS adding David D'alessandro MD and David D'Alessandro MD

- PA 615 **JAMES CARPENTER** adding James Campbell DO, Randell Chapman MD and Gregory Starr MD
- PA 1944 JESSICA CHONLAHAN adding Gavin Gardner DO
- PA 1611 **KARI COCHRAN** adding Paul Nioce MD
- PA 1411 EDYTH COLLINS adding Brian Coleman MD
- PA 1531 **JENNIFER COMPTON** adding Robert Niebergall MD, Michael Gebetsberger MD and Monica Saenz DO
- PA 663 LISA CURTESS adding Jeffry Lester MD
- PA 564 ROBERT DICINTIO adding Russell Ingram MD
- PA 882 **PAULINE DOLTON** adding Thomas Auxter DO
- PA 2075 CINDY DUNLAP adding Angela Farrar DO and Darren Thomas MD
- PA 1953 **KAYLYNN ELMORE** adding Vishal Mundra MD, Monica Saenz DO, Malini Chintapalli DO, Vishal Mundra MD and Malini Chintapalli DO
- PA 1993 **SARA ENYART** adding Helen Franklin MD
- PA 1653 **TOD ESTES** adding Julia Kwon DO and Vishal Mundra MD
- PA 670 RALPH FALCONER adding John Conley DO
- PA 1626 RACHAEL FERGUSON adding Afsar Emery DO
- PA 1758 BRIAN FIPPS adding Farooq Maqbool MD
- PA 317 **DONALD FLINN** adding Robert Hynd MD, Thomas Lewis MD and David Holden MD
- PA 736 MANUEL FLORES adding Paul Nioce MD
- PA 942 **ALETA FOX** adding Don Carnahan MD
- PA 936 JEFFREY FREDERICK adding Robert Borden MD
- PA 1149 **JULIE GAYANICH** adding Gagan Mall MD
- PA 499 AMY GORDON adding Mark Medlin MD
- PA 318 **PETER GRAY** adding Trinitia Cannon MD
- PA 377 **TAD HALL** adding Paul Nioce MD
- PA 672 **ELIZABETH HARRIS** adding Thomas Lewis MD
- PA 989 **SANDRA HARRYMAN** adding Anderson Mehrle MD
- PA 1236 JOANNA HART adding Thomas Lewis MD
- PA 2105 SARA HATTAWAY adding Julie Curry DO and Renae Bernard MD
- PA 1680 ADAM HOGUE adding Elliott Cohen MD and James Williams DO
- PA 2090 **BRYAN HOWARD** adding Julie Curry DO, Renae Bernard MD and William Bowen MD
- PA 2068 **RHEA HUNT** adding James Freed MD and Karen Maluf MD
- PA 1579 RICHARD HUTCHISON adding Michael Sughrue MD
- PA 1975 LARRY HYTCHE adding Monica Saenz DO
- PA 2076 STEPHEN JENKS adding Darren Thomas MD
- PA 1687 MARCUS JONES adding Jeffrey Dixon MD
- PA 977 LISA KIPPENBERGER adding Thomas Lewis MD
- PA 875 **CHERYL KIRBY** adding Muneer Khan MD
- PA 1015 JENNIFER LOUCKS adding Edwin Carns MD
- PA 1325 **SHELBY LUCAS** adding John Conley DO
- PA 2024 REBECCA LYNCH adding R. Scott DO
- PA 697 **ROBERT LYNCH** adding Beth May DO
- PA 2073 **TIFFANY MARTINELLI** adding Kimberly Felten DO, Scott Felten MD, Christopher Simic DO, Jefferson Loyd DO, Renae Bernard MD, Justin Fairless DO, William Bowen MD, and Charles Rodman DO

- PA 638 **KEVIN MAXWELL** adding Boyce Coleman MD
- PA 914 **JULIE MCARTHUR** adding Bryan Lucenta MD
- PA 750 **JERRY MCLAUGHLIN** adding Lenny Stubbs MD
- PA 1876 **ALEX MEDGAARDEN** adding Malini Chintapalli DO, Julia Kwon DO and Vishal Mundra MD
- PA 1575 **JOSE MEDINA** adding Jeffrey Dixon MD
- PA 1895 **CHRISTY MILLER** adding Brent Wilson MD, Dillon Roach MD, Michael Kalcich MD, Jeffrey Dixon MD and Robert Worden DO
- PA 1433 ANDREA MOSER adding Muneer Khan MD and Roger Smith MD
- PA 1656 BERLINDA PADILLA-OTTO adding Rebecca Adochio MD
- PA 1723 CATHERINE PAZOURECK adding Jeffry Lester MD
- PA 740 **JEFFREY PHILLIPS** adding Jeffry Lester MD
- PA 2063 HOLLY PRESLAR adding David Long MD and Josh Mcwilliams MD
- PA 1306 **SHAWNA ROGERS** adding Monica Saenz DO, Vishal Mundra MD, Julia Kwon DO and Malini Chintapalli DO
- PA 622 ERIN ROWLAND-BROOKS adding Judy Magnusson DO
- PA 1954 **REBECCA RUTH** adding David Sasser MD
- PA 1965 HOLLY SHALHOOP adding Malcolm Buford MD
- PA 825 **LESLEY SMITH** adding Robert Niebergall MD, Enis Sakirgil MD, Malini Chintapalli DO, Vallory Tramonte MD, Michael Gebetsberger MD, Julia Kwon DO and Monica Saenz DO
- PA 698 **LONNIE SMITH** adding Jeffrey Dixon MD
- PA 573 **CAMELIA STANESCU** adding Pedro Lozano MD, Mazen Abu-fadel MD and Faisal Latif MD
- PA 491 **DOYLE STARK** adding Jack Kao MD
- PA 2070 MARK STEICHEN adding Vishal Mundra MD
- PA 1831 **ASHLEY THOMANN** adding Elliott Cohen MD, James Williams DO, W. Harrison DO, Tiffany Ferguson DO, Nicholas Reynolds DO and John Conley DO
- PA 524 FRANK THOMAS adding John Perona MD and William Bowen MD
- PA 866 **AARON WADE** adding Thomas Lewis MD
- PA 1419 AMY WALKER adding Stanley Dombek MD
- PA 842 **JAEMIE WATERS** adding Thomas Digiovanna MD, James Campbell DO and Randell Chapman MD
- PA 2058 **RUSSELL WHEELER** adding Timothy Rathbun DO
- PA 2091 **ERIN WRIGHT** adding Renae Bernard MD, Randy Engelman DO and Julie Curry DO

Staff asked the Committee if wanted to continue receiving recommendations as part of application for licensure. Ms. Hall pointed out that it was unlikely an applicant would ask someone to submit a recommendation who is going to give a bad one. The letters are not reviewed by the Committee so it seems like an unnecessary, redundant step. After discussion, Dr. Sirajuddin moved to eliminate the recommendation portion of the application. Ms. Gillispie seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

There being no further business, Dan McNeill moved to adjourn the meeting. Dr. Wootan seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative. The time was 4:10 p.m.