

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY **Florida Barbers' Board**

I. General Information

Meeting Type: General Business Meeting
Meeting Date: Monday, November 15, 2010
Meeting Location: Intercontinental Hotel
4860 West Kennedy Boulevard
Tampa, Florida 33609

Attendees:

Carl Troup, Vice Chair
Robert Collins
Julie Rivera
Edwin Stewart
Tommy Vaughn
Robyn Barineau, Executive Director, Department of Business and Professional Regulation (DBPR)
Rachel Clark, Assistant Attorney General, Attorney General's Office
Jason White, Assistant General Counsel, DBPR
Julie Rowland, Government Analyst, DBPR
John Miranda, Inspector, DBPR
Stephanie Walters, Court Reporter
Other interested parties

II. Major Issues/Actions

- Vice Chair Carl Troup excused the absence of Chair Herman White from the meeting.
- The board approved 15 licensure applications, denied four licensure applications, and approved three continuing education course applications.
- The board considered 35 disciplinary cases.
- Mr. Jason White, Assistant General Counsel, informed the board that there were 82 barbering cases in the Office of the General Counsel as of October 5, 2010.
- Mr. White announced to the board that he has accepted a position with the California Division of Prisons. He thanked the board for the opportunity to have worked with them.
- Ms. Robyn Barineau, Executive Director, informed the board that the balance in their operating account as of June 30, 2010, was over \$329,000, and the balance in their unlicensed activity account for the same period was over \$209,000. She added that the financial projections show both of these accounts maintaining a positive cash balance at least through June 30, 2015.
- Ms. Barineau announced that Vice Chair Carl Troup was elected Fifth Vice President of the National Association of Barber Boards of America (NABBA) at the annual conference recently held in St. Paul, Minnesota.
- Ms. Barineau informed the board that Mr. Michael Green, Unlicensed Activity

Administrator, Division of Regulation, is completing the development of a pamphlet for distribution to barbering schools and barbershops. He will have a draft available for the board's review at the February meeting.

- The board approved the language drafted by Ms. Rachel Clark, Assistant Attorney General, not requiring barbers endorsing from another state to go through the evaluation process as required for barbers endorsing from another country. This rule amendment reads as follows:
 - 61G3-16.005 – Endorsement:

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation shall issue a license by endorsement to a person who:

 - (1) Makes application and pays to the Department the fee specified in Rule 61G3-20.002, F.A.C.;
 - (2) Demonstrates that he or she possesses a current active license in another state or country;
 - (3) Demonstrates that he or she has satisfactorily completed a written examination comparable to or more stringent than the examination given by the Department;
 - (4) Demonstrates that he or she has completed:
 - (a) 1,200 hours of schooling in a program similar to, comparable to or more stringent than that required of Florida students and, at a minimum, covering the subjects of Safety, Sanitation and Sterilization, Hair Structure and Chemistry, Hair Cutting, Shampooing, Chemical Services, and Shaving as specified by the Barbers' Board; or
 - (b) An apprenticeship program of 1,200 hours; or
 - (c) A combination thereof.
 - (5) Certifies that he or she has read and understood and will abide by Chapters 455 and 476, F.S. and Chapter 61G3, F.A.C.
 - (6) For purposes of demonstrating that an ~~the~~ applicant from a territory or foreign country has met the requirements of subsections (2), (3) and (4) above, the applicant must provide the Board with an education evaluation conducted by a credential evaluation service that is a member of the National Association of Credential Evaluation Services.

The board agreed that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs is not necessary as there is no impact on small business. Ms. Clark will move forward with rulemaking.
- Ms. Barineau reported the following future meeting dates and locations:
 - February 28, 2011 – Orlando
 - May 16, 2011 – Fernandina Beach

III. Legislation/Rule Promulgation

- Ms. Clark will move forward with rulemaking for Rule 61G3-16.005, Florida Administrative Code – Endorsement.

IV. Action Required

- Ms. Clark will prepare all final orders and forward them to board staff for filing with the department's Agency Clerk.

- Mr. Green will provide a draft barbering pamphlet for review by the board at their February meeting.

Robyn Barineau
Executive Director
November 16, 2010