

**FLORIDA BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY
TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL MEETING**

Wednesday, October 6, 2010 - 10:00 a.m.

The Board of Cosmetology meeting was called to order at approximately 10:00 a.m., by Ms. Robyn Barineau, Executive Director.

Board Members Present

Myra Jowers, Chair
Monica Smith
Crystal Lackey
Ginny Fincel, Vice Chair
Laurel Ritenbaugh
Rosabel Ramos

Board Members Absent

None

Other Persons Present

Robyn Barineau, Executive Director, Department of Business and Professional Regulation (DBPR)
Jaime Liang, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General (OAG)
Julie Rowland, Government Analyst, DBPR

Interested Parties Present

Angela Clinton
Melanee Martin
Tiffany Chinnetta Smith
Kristi Spears
Avonia Taylor
Ladonna Gibson
Michael Marchese
Rita McCahera

The meeting was opened with a roll call and a quorum was established.

Approval of Minutes: July 19-20, 2010

Vice Chair Ginny Fincel moved to approve the minutes from the July 19-20, 2010, board meeting. Ms. Crystal Lackey seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

Applications

Licensure Applications

Informal Hearing

- Angela Clinton
Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. Clinton was denied at the July 19, 2010, board meeting based upon the noted criminal history. Ms. Clinton was present for the meeting and was sworn in by Assistant Attorney General, Jaime Liang. After review and discussion, the board tabled the application until the October 25-26, 2010, meeting to allow her to provide additional documentation regarding her criminal history. Ms. Clinton verbally waived the deemer clause to afford her time to collect the documentation.

- Melanee Martin
Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. Martin was denied at the July 19, 2010, board meeting based upon the noted criminal history. Ms. Martin was present for the meeting and was sworn in by Ms. Liang. After review and discussion, Ms. Lackey moved to approve the application based on the additional documentation provided. The board also imposed probation on the license to run concurrent with her criminal probationary period. Ms. Monica Smith seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.
- Tiffany Chinnetta Smith
Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. Smith was denied at the July 19, 2010, board meeting based upon the noted criminal history. Ms. Smith was present for the meeting and was sworn in by Ms. Liang. After review and discussion, Ms. Lackey moved to approve the application based on the additional documentation provided. Ms. Ritenbaugh seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.
- Kristi Spears
Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. Spears was denied at the July 19, 2010, board meeting based upon the noted criminal history. Ms. Spears was present for the meeting and was sworn in by Ms. Liang. After review and discussion, Vice Chair Fincel moved to approve the application based on the additional documentation provided. Ms. Ritenbaugh seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.
- Avonia Taylor
Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. Taylor was denied at the July 19, 2010, board meeting based upon the noted criminal history. Ms. Taylor was present for the meeting and was sworn in by Ms. Liang. After review and discussion, Vice Chair Fincel moved to approve the application based on the additional documentation provided. Ms. Ritenbaugh seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

Initial Review

- Ladonna Gibson
Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. Gibson was forwarded to the board for review based on the background information reflected on the application. Ms. Gibson was present for the meeting and was sworn in by Ms. Liang. After review and discussion, the board tabled the application until the October 25-26, 2010, meeting to allow her to provide additional documentation regarding her criminal history. Ms. Gibson verbally waived the deemer clause to afford her time to collect the documentation.
- April S. Guadalupe
Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. Guadalupe was forwarded to the board for review based on the background information reflected on the application. Ms. Guadalupe was not present for the meeting. After review and discussion, Ms. Smith moved to deny the application based on the noted criminal history. Ms. Rosabel Ramos seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.
- Melissa Laing
Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. Laing was forwarded to the board for review based on the background information reflected on the

application. Ms. Laing was not present for the meeting. After review and discussion, Ms. Lackey moved to approve the application based on the documents provided. The board also imposed probation on the license to run concurrent with her criminal probationary period. Ms. Smith seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

- Michael A. Marchese

Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Mr. Marchese was forwarded to the board for review based on the background information reflected on the application. Mr. Marchese was present for the meeting and was sworn in by Ms. Liang. After review and discussion, Ms. Ritenbaugh moved to approve the application based on the documents provided. Ms. Smith seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

- Rita McCahera

Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. McCahera was forwarded to the board for review based on the background information reflected on the application. Ms. McCahera was present for the meeting and was sworn in by Ms. Liang. After review and discussion, Vice Chair Fincel moved to approve the application based on the documents provided. The board also imposed probation on the license to run concurrent with her criminal probationary period. Ms. Smith seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

- Tam M. Nguyen

Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Mr. Nguyen was forwarded to the board for review due to revocation of a previous license. Mr. Nguyen was not present for the meeting. After review and discussion, Ms. Ritenbaugh moved to deny the application based on conflicting information on the certification of school hours. Ms. Smith seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

- Brittany Licari

Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Ms. Licari was forwarded to the board for review based on the background information reflected on the application. Ms. Licari was not present for the meeting. After review and discussion, Vice Chair Fincel moved to approve the application based on the documents provided. The board also imposed probation on the license to run concurrent with her criminal probationary period. Ms. Lackey seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

- Keshawn Wilson

Ms. Barineau noted that the licensure application for Mr. Wilson was forwarded to the board for review based on the background information reflected on the application. Mr. Wilson was not present for the meeting. After review and discussion, Vice Chair Fincel moved to approve the application based on the documents provided. The board also imposed probation on the license to run concurrent with his criminal probationary period. Ms. Lackey seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 12:30 p.m.