

**BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY
TELECONFERENCE
MINUTES**

DATE: December 22, 2009

TIME: 4:15 p.m. C.S.T.

LOCATION: 227 French Landing Drive
Heritage Place, Metro Center
Poplar Conference Room
Nashville, TN 37243

MEMBERS PRESENT: Brigina Wilkerson, PT, Chair
Lisa Fortner, PTA, Secretary
Brandon Hollis, PT
Michael Voight, DPT
Minty Ballard, Consumer

STAFF PRESENT: Marva Swann, Board Director
Marc Guilford, Assistant General Counsel
Ashley Carter, Deputy General Counsel
Alison Cleaves, Deputy General Counsel
Libby Miller, Director, Health Related Boards
Al Partee, General Counsel
Juanita Stone, Disciplinary Coordinator

PURPOSE OF MEETING: To Summarily Suspend the Physical Therapy License of Michael Cameron, PT, License #2736

With a quorum being present, Brigina Wilkerson, Chair, called the meeting to order at 4:24 p.m. C.S.T. Ms. Swann called the roll to establish that all participants were simultaneously able to hear and speak to each other during the meeting. Each participant answered affirmatively that he or she was connected. Each participant answered affirmatively that he or she was able to hear the responses given by the other participants.

Mr. Guilford presented the three (3) criteria necessary to conduct a meeting by teleconference:

- 1) The subject matter required timely action
- 2) The physical presence of all members was not possible considering the period of time required for action.
- 3) The participation by some or all of the members of the Board by electronic or other means was necessary.

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Dr. Voight made a motion, seconded by Ms. Fortner, that all criteria were met to proceed with the meeting electronically. Ms. Swann conducted a roll call vote with all members present voting affirmatively. The motion carried.

Marc Guilford, Assistant General Counsel for the Department, gave a brief statement as to the charges against Mr. Cameron. He then instructed the Board members as to their responsibilities under the Conflict of Interest Policy. Each member stated that he or she did not have previous knowledge of this matter.

After presentation of the evidence and the testimony of the victims, Minty Ballard made a motion seconded by Dr. Voight to summarily suspend the license of Michael C. Cameron, PT. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting affirmatively. The motion carried.

Brandon Hollis made a motion seconded by Ms. Ballard to adopt the Order of Suspension as written. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting affirmatively. The motion carried.

Lisa Fortner made a motion seconded by Dr. Voight to allow Ms. Swann to sign the Order of Suspension on behalf of the Board Chair, Brigina Wilkerson. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting affirmatively. The motion carried.

Ms. Swann signed the Order of Suspension on behalf of Brigina Wilkerson to summarily suspend the license of Michael Cameron, PT, on December 22, 2009. Mr. Guilford informed the Board members of Mr. Cameron's statutory right to a hearing within seven days. All members of the Board agreed to make themselves available if a hearing should be required within seven days.

The meeting was adjourned by roll call vote at 6:00 p.m. C.S.T.

These minutes were ratified at the February 12, 2010 meeting.