Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation Division of Professional Regulation

Illinois Public Accountant Registration and Licensure Committee Business Meeting

February 24, 2022

Time: 10:36 a.m. Adjourn 1:03 p.m. (Franklin/Lopez)

Location: Web-Ex Conference Call

Committee Members Present: Dawn Carlson, CPA, Chairperson

Richard Franklin, CPA, Member Cheryl Martin, CPA, Member Phillip Austin, CPA, Member Enrique Lopez, CPA, Member Andrea Wright, CPA, Member

Committee Members Absent: Ronald Spears, Public Member

Staff Present: Munaza Aman, Legal Counsel

Jim Koehl, Board Liaison

Roll Call

Topics:	Discussion:	Action:
Minutes	Minutes for September 22, 2021	Martin/Frankin moved to approve the September 22, 2021 minutes. Motion carried.
	Minutes for February 8, 2022	Martin/Frankin moved to approve the February 8, 2022 minutes. Motion carried.
Old Business	None	
New Business	None	
Closed Session		Franklin/Wright moved to go into closed session pursuant to Sections 2(c)(4) and (15) of the

Open Meetings Act. Motion carried. Roll call.

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			Subsequent to the motion a roll call was held and the following members voted unanimously to close the session.
			Carlson-yes Franklin-yes Martin-yes Lopez-yes Austin-yes Wright-yes
			Those voting yes constituted a majority of the quorum of the members of the Board. The session closed at 10:39 a.m.
Deliberations were	held in closed session on ca	ases presented to the Comm	nittee.
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Open Session	Cases deliberated or	ted on in Closed Session (continued)		
	Dale Dirks	2019-12247	Lopez/Austin moved to indefinitely suspend 065-20029. Martin recused. Motion carried.	
	Tracy Kamba	2019-10834	Carlson/Lopez moved to indefinitely suspend 239-4442. Motion carried.	
	CE Waiver Requests	3		
	Tim Elberfeld	22-0196	Martin/Lopez moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Arpit Bhatla	22-0197	Austin/Lopez moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Patrick Feders	22-0198	Carlson/Austin moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Ting Gong	22-0199	Austin/Lopez moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Neal Winston	22-0200	Franklin/Austin moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Miao Ye	22-0201	Carlson/Franklin moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Alan Witt	22-0202	Franklin/Martin moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Howard Rosen	22-0203	Franklin/Martin moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.	

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Cases deliberated on in Closed Session (continued)

John Pedersen	22-0204	Franklin/Austin moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.
Mirela Peci	22-0205	Franklin/Wright moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.
Mayank Patel	22-0206	Austin/Wright moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.
Grant Lavery	22-0207	Carlson/Wright moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.
Natasha Kiser	22-0208	Lopez/Austin moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.
Jeff Keegan	22-0209	Austin/Franklin moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.
Ashley Kaiser	22-0210	Lopez/Franklin moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.
Andrew Gorup	22-0211	Carlson/Martin moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.
Abigall Foreman	22-0212	Austin/Franklin moved to approve CE waiver pending receipt of her CE statement. Motion carried.
Jerry Fitzpatrick	22-0213	Austin/Martin moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.
Magdalena Fieldman	22-0214	Austin/Franklin moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.
Tracy Feldkamp	22-0215	Lopez/Franklin moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.

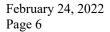
Open Session	Cases deliberated on in C	s deliberated on in Closed Session (continued)		
	Cyprian Ejiasa	22-0216	Austin/Franklin moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Daniel Donlon	22-0217	Lopez/Franklin moved to approve CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Harry Brandt	22-0218	Carlson/Franklin moved to approve CE waiver pending receipt of a physician statement. Motion carried.	
	William Bledsoe	22-0219	Austin/Franklin moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.	
	Vasillos Apostolopoulos	22-0220	Lopez/Franklin moved to deny CE waiver. Motion carried.	

Actions taken in Closed Session be approved (Lopez/Franklin). Motion carried. Roll call.

Minutes of closed session remain closed (Wright/Martin). Motion carried. Roll call.

Allow Chairperson to sign documents on behalf of the Committee (Franklin/Austin). Motion carried. Roll call.

Board Chairperson Time		The Chair thanked the Committee for their work and guidance as members.
Board Liaison Time	Next meeting date	The next meeting is scheduled for June 28, 2022.
Adjournment		Franklin/Lopez moved to adjourn the meeting at 1:03 pm. Motion carried.



Exceptions and Comments

Deliberations-Let it be noted for the record that the Director's decision regarding disciplinary matters is withheld from the minutes and rendered at the time the Board presents their Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Recommendations.