

**Department of Financial and Professional Regulation**  
**Division of Professional Regulation**  
**Massage Licensing Board**  
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Open Minutes: Illinois Massage Licensing Board

Date: August 10, 2015

Time: 11:30 a.m.

Location: Chicago office - Room 9-171A.

Board Members Present: Linda Moore, Chairperson  
Emmanuel Bistas, Member  
Karen Heyden, Member  
Cynthia Javurek Member  
Janie Swofford, Member  
Debbie Roberts, Member  
Brenda Cawley, Public Member

Staff Present: Bryan Schneider, Secretary  
Eric Eizinger, Office of the Secretary  
Azeema Akram, General Counsel  
Diane Green, Board Liaison

Guest Present: Maureen Mulhall, Lobbyist

Open Session: The meeting was called to order at 11:30 a.m. and roll call was taken.  
Those in attendance constituted a quorum.

Announcements

- And Correspondences:
- A. Bryan Schneider, Secretary and Eric Eizinger, Office of the Secretary introduced themselves and thanked the Board for their dedication to the profession on behalf of the State of Illinois.
  - B. New Board Members – Brenda Cawley and Debbie Roberts were introduced.
  - C. Azeema Akram gave an overview of the Massage Therapy Board for the New Board Members.
  - D. Emmanuel Bistas gave a report on the COMTA Educational Congress that he attended.

Review and Approval Motion by Emmanuel Bistas: Move to approve the May 18, 2015  
Open Minutes Open Minutes. Seconded by Karen Heyden and carried without dissent.

