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The Illinois State Medical Disciplinary Board (MDB) met via WebEx on Wednesday, April 7, 2021 for the purpose of conducting a regular business meeting.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. Amy Derick at 9:00 a.m.

The following members were present for all or portions of the meeting:

Sreenivas Reddy, M.D., Member, Vice Chair
Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Member
Peter Hofmann, M.D., Member
Umang Patel, M.D., Member
Karen O'Mara, D.O., Member
Caroline Moellering, Public Member
Aja Carr-Favors, J.D., Public Member

The members present constituted a quorum.

Also present for all or part of the meeting were the following:

Shami Goyal, M.D., Chief Medical Coordinator, John Zander, M.D., Deputy Medical Coordinator, Joseph Fojtik, M.D., Deputy Medical Coordinator, Frank Lamas, Chief of Medical Prosecutions Unit, Robert Mosley, M.D., Deputy Medical Coordinator, Kathleen Walsh, Board Liaison, Greg Marion, Chief of Medical Investigations, Munaza Aman, Associate General Counsel, Ted Adams, Chief of Investigations, and Jessica Pantoja, Patient Advocate Liaison.

COMPLAINT COMMITTEE REPORT:

Kathleen Walsh reported that the Complaint Committee met on April 7, 2021 for the purpose of reviewing 37 investigative files.

A motion was made by Dr. Amy Derick and seconded by Dr. Peter Hofmann to move to accept the Complaint Committee report for April 7, 2021. The motion passed.

CORRESPONDENCE: None.

MINUTES: A motion was made by Aja Carr-Favors and seconded by Dr. Peter Hofmann to move to accept the open minutes of the March 17, 2021 meeting. Roll call: All in favor; Amy Derick, M.D., Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Peter Hofmann, M.D., Sreenivas G. Reddy, M.D., Umang Patel, M.D., Karen O'Mara, D.O., Aja Carr-Favors, J.D., and Caroline Moellering. All opposed; None. The motion passed.

CHIEF MEDICAL COORDINATOR’S REPORT:

Dr. Shami Goyal had no report for this meeting because the internal database was recently upgraded, and no reports were generated in time for Board meeting.

CHIEF OF MEDICAL INVESTIGATIONS REPORT:

Greg Marion had no report for this meeting because the internal database was recently upgraded, and no reports were generated in time for Board meeting.

CHIEF OF MEDICAL PROSECUTIONS REPORT: Frank Lamas had no report for this meeting because the internal database was recently upgraded, and no reports were generated in time for Board meeting.

GENERAL COUNSEL REPORT: None.

ADMINISTRATOR’S REPORT: None.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: None

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None.

CLOSED SESSION:

A Motion was made by Dr. Darren Hancock and seconded by Caroline Moellering that the MDB open meeting be adjourned and the Board go into closed session, as permitted by the portion of the Open Meetings Act, Sections 2c (15). The Motion passed unanimously.

Amy Derick, M.D., requested roll call as follows: Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Sreenivas Reddy, M.D., Peter Hofmann, M.D., Umang Patel, M.D., Karen O’Mara, D.O., Aja Carr-Favors, J.D., and Caroline Moellering.

After discussion of deliberations, a motion was made by Dr. Amy Derick and seconded by Dr. Darren Hancock that the MDB closed meeting be adjourned and the Board reconvene open business meeting, as permitted by the portion of the Open Meetings Act, Sections 2c (15). The Motion passed unanimously.

DISCUSSION AND DELIBERATIONS

A motion was made by Dr. Umang Patel and seconded by Dr. Sreenivas Reddy to move to accept the following Consent Orders:

- 1. Lawrence Mason, MD CO 2014-07362
- 2. Lawrence O. Martin, MD CO 2020-00057
- 3. Barbara J. Blasko, MD CO 2020-03388
- 4. Michel Adonis, MD CO 2020-07162
- 5. Devinder K. Sidhu CO 2013-02894
- 6. Allen K. Missoi, MD CO 2020-03242
- 7. Denice Smith, MD CO 2011-01550-2

8. Raman Popli, MD	CO	2017-02513
9. Kristin E. Ellison, MD	CO	2016-04884
10. Vishnu Subramani, MD	CO	2015-03438
11. Allison C. Heacock, MD	CO	2011-09567
12. Michael Rock, MD	CO	2018-02176
13. Georges Germain, MD	CO	2021-00375
14. Jerry Leech, DC	CO	2021-00923

Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Recommendation to the Director

1. Craig S. Vinch, MD 2020-06054

Roll call: All in favor; Amy Derick, M.D., Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Peter Hofmann, M.D., Sreenivas G. Reddy, M.D., Umang Patel, M.D., Karen O'Mara, D.O., Aja Carr-Favors, J.D., and Caroline Moellering. All opposed; None. The motion passed.

In closed session, the MDB made the following recommendation on the respective cases:

- 2 Non-Disciplinary Orders presented and accepted.
- 1 Non-Disciplinary Order presented and deferred for further review.
- 0 Agreement of Care, Counseling and Treatment Orders presented.
- 1 Default Judgment presented and accepted.
- 0 Petition to Compel Examination and Order to Compel Examination Order presented.
- 0 Recommendation to the Director on Dismissal of Petition presented.
- 0 Administrative Law Judge Report presented.
- 9 Subpoenas presented and accepted.
- 14 Consent Orders presented and accepted.
- 1 Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Recommendation to the Director presented and accepted.

A motion was made by Dr. Amy Derick and seconded by Dr. Peter Hofmann to move to accept the above closed minutes recommendations. Roll call: All in favor; Amy Derick, M.D., Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Peter Hofmann, M.D., Sreenivas G. Reddy, M.D., Karen O'Mara, D.O., Umang Patel, M.D., Aja Carr-Favors, J.D., and Caroline Moellering. All opposed; None. The motion passed.

A Motion was made by Dr. Umang Patel and seconded by Dr. Peter Hofmann that the MDB open meeting be adjourned. The motion passed.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to be brought before the Medical Disciplinary Board, the meeting adjourned at 9:15 a.m.