Arizona State Board of Homeopathic and Integrated Medicine Examiners

Minutes of the Teleconference Meeting
Held on May 17, 2016

Presiding officer, Dr. Charles Schwengel, called the teleconference meeting to order at 8:00 a.m. and conducted a roll call of members present.

1. Call to Order, Roll Call

Present: ___
Charles Schwengel, DO, DO(H)
Alan Kennedy
LaJuana Gillette (joined the conference at 8:04 a.m.)
Dr. Les Adler, MD, MD(H)
Dr. Mary Grace Warner, MD, MD(H)

Christine Springer, Executive Director; Sabrina Kahn, Assistant Attorney General; and Elliott Schmerler, M.D. were also in attendance.

2. Declaration of Conflicts of Interest

There were no conflicts of interest declared.

3. Review, Consideration, and Possible Action on New Applications
   a. Homeopathic Physicians
      1. Elliott Dean Schmerler M.D.

   Executive Director Springer reviewed the status of the pending application. She directed the Board’s attention to the amended application submitted by Dr. Schmerler in which he amended his initial response to Question No. 16 and provided a written explanation of the circumstances.

   Mr. Kennedy made a motion to approve the amended application.

   MOTION: Mr. Kennedy
   SECOND: Mrs. Gillette
   ROLL CALL VOTE: 5 – Aye, 0 – Nay
   Kennedy, Gillette, Adler, Warner, Schwengel
   MOTION PASSED

   Dr. Schmerler thanked the Board for their consideration.
4. Review, Consideration, and Possible Action On Professional Business
   a. British Institute of Homeopathy International – Request annual renewal of 40 hour distance learning course

Mrs. Springer presented information concerning the request for the annual renewal of the distance learning course sponsored by the British Institute of Homeopathy International. There was a brief discussion of the merits of the program and Dr. Warner made a motion to approve the program renewal.

MOTION: Dr. Warner
SECOND: Dr. Adler
ROLL CALL VOTE: 5 – Aye, 0 – nay
Kennedy, Gillette, Warner, Schwengel, Adler
MOTION PASSED

5. Review and Discussion On Future Agenda Items

Martha Grout jurisdiction complaint inquiry

6. Call To The Public

No members of the public were present during this part of the meeting.

7. Review and Discussion on Future Board Meeting Dates

July 12, 2016 Regular Board Meeting

8. Adjournment

Following a motion by Mrs. Gillette, seconded by Dr. Warner the phone conference meeting adjourned at 8:21 a.m. Motion passed unanimously 5 – 0.

Respectfully Submitted

Christine Springer
Executive Director

Reviewed and Approved by the Board in a Regular Meeting held on July 12, 2016