

OREGON BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES

May 16, 2000

Present - Joan Miller, OD, President
 Doug Smith, O.D., Vice-President
 Candace Hamel, O.D.
 John P. Reslock, O.D.
 Jill A. Tanner, Public Member

 Thomas Cowan, Assistant Attorney General
 David Plunkett, Administrator
 Cathy Boudreau, Administrative Assistant

CALL TO ORDER -

Dr. Miller called the meeting to order at 8:10 a.m. by conference call originated in the office of the Executive Director, David Plunkett, at 3218 Pringle RD. SE, Salem, OR., 97302. Roll was taken and all Board members were present. For the record, it was noted that Tom Cowan, David Plunkett and Cathy Boudreau were also present.

The Board immediately went into Executive Session at 8:15 a.m. for the purpose of discussing complaint cases.

The Public Session reconvened at 8:57 a.m.

MINUTES -

ACTION ON EXECUTIVE SESSION

00-02-08 - Ms. Tanner moved that a Notice of Intent to Revoke a License, Refuse to Issue a License, and Imposition of Civil Penalties be issued to Dr. Helene Nguyen due to failure to complete continuing education in a timely manner, failure to appear, failure to produce records, and practicing optometry while not having at the time a valid license. Dr. Smith seconded the motion. The Board members were polled and the motion carried unanimously. This case will remain open.

00-04-02 - Ms. Tanner moved that a Notice of Intent to Revoke a License, Refuse to Issue a License, and Imposition of Civil Penalties be issued to Dr. Tera Palmblad due to failure to complete continuing education in a timely manner and practicing optometry while not having at the time a valid license. Dr. Smith seconded the motion. The Board members were polled and Dr.'s Miller, Smith, and Hamel, and Ms. Tanner voted aye, while Dr. Reslock voted nay. The motion carried. This case will remain open.

OTHER -

Dr. Smith inquired as to the position of the Board with regard to ABOP. Dr. Miller noted that at the last meeting of the Board, the position was that the majority of the Board were not in favor of the

ABOP proposal, while Dr. Hamel dissented. Dr. Miller will be preparing a letter representing the majority opinion, and Dr. Hamel will prepare the dissenting opinion.

NEXT MEETING -

The next meeting of the Board will be Friday, June 16, 2000 in the First Floor Conference Room at the Morrow Crane Building, at 3218 Pringle RD. SE, Salem, OR.

ADJOURNMENT -

There was no further business to come before the Board. Dr. Reslock moved to adjourn the meeting and Dr. Smith seconded the motion. President Miller adjourned the meeting at 9:00 a.m.

Prepared by,

Reviewed by:

Catherine M. Boudreau
Administrative Assistant

David W. Plunkett
Executive Director