

## IOWA DENTAL BOARD

### APRIL 29, 2009 MEETING MINUTES

#### DES MOINES, IOWA

#### TELECONFERENCE MEETING

The meeting of the Iowa Dental Board was called to order at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 29, 2009, in the conference room, 400 S.W. 8<sup>th</sup> St., Suite D, Des Moines, Iowa, by the Chairperson of the Board, Deena R. Kuempel, D.D.S.

Pursuant to the authority of and in compliance with Iowa Code Section 21.8(2009), the meeting was held by electronic means. This meeting was held by conference call to consider unfinished business from the earlier April 15, 2009 meeting. Items in the unfinished business could not wait until the next meeting of the Board scheduled in July. It was impossible for the Board to schedule a meeting on such short notice and impractical for the Board to meet with such a short agenda.

#### Members present at this meeting:

Deena R. Kuempel, D.D.S., Chairperson  
Gary D. Roth, D.D.S., Vice Chairperson  
Eileen A. Cacioppo, R.D.H., Secretary  
Lynn D. Curry, D.D.S.  
Perry T. Grimes, D.D.S.  
Michael J. Rovner, D.D.S.  
VaLinda Parsons, R.D.H.  
Diane Meier, Public member  
Elizabeth Brennan, Public member

Also present: Constance L. Price, Executive Director  
Phil McCollum, Board Investigator  
Brian Sedars, Board Investigator  
Dee Ann Argo, Investigative Assistant  
Theresa O'Connell Weeg, Assistant Attorney General

#### CLOSED SESSION

Motion by Dr. Roth, seconded Ms. Cacioppo, for the Board to go into closed session pursuant to 21.5(1)(d) to discuss complaints and investigative information which is confidential by law.

Vote: Dr. Kuempel, aye; Dr. Roth, aye; Ms. Cacioppo, aye; Dr. Curry, aye; Dr. Grimes, aye; Dr. Rovner, aye; Ms. Parsons, aye; Ms. Meier aye; Ms. Brennan, aye.  
Motion carried.

#### OPEN SESSION

Motion by Dr. Roth, seconded Dr. Curry, that the Board return to open session.

Vote: Unanimous.  
Motion carried.

APPLICATIONS FOR  
LICENSURE/PERMIT/REGISTRATION

PETER WEON CHO, D.D.S.  
APPLICATION BY EXAMINATION

Motion by Dr. Curry, seconded Dr. Roth, that the Board approve the issuance of a dental license to Dr. Cho.

Vote: Unanimous.  
Motion carried.

BRIJESH M. PATEL, D.D.S.  
APPLICATION LICENSURE BY CREDENTIALS

Motion by Ms. Cacioppo, seconded Dr. Roth, that the Board approve the issuance of a dental license to Dr. Patel.

Vote: Unanimous.  
Motion carried.

FARIHA BAIG, D.D.S.  
APPLICATION LICENSURE BY CREDENTIALS

Motion by Dr. Roth, seconded Dr. Curry, that the Board approve the issuance of a dental license to Dr. Baig.

Vote: Dr. Kuempel, aye; Dr. Roth, aye; Ms. Cacioppo, nay; Dr. Curry, aye; Dr. Grimes, aye; Dr. Rovner, aye; Ms. Parsons, aye; Ms. Meier aye; Ms. Brennan, aye.  
Motion carried 8 – 1.

ADJOURNMENT

The Board adjourned its meeting at 4:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



CONSTANCE L. PRICE  
Executive Director