



**Nevada State Board Osteopathic Medicine  
BOARD MEETING MINUTES ~ DECEMBER 1, 2007**

**I. CALL TO ORDER (Discussion/Action)**

Daniel Curtis, D.O., Vice-Chairman, Acting Chairman

Dr. Curtis asked for members to announce their attendance to establish a quorum. It was determined that the following attendees were at the meeting and a quorum existed. Dr. Curtis also confirmed that the meeting was properly noticed as per Catryna Kelly, Executive Administrator.

Board Members -

1. Matthew McMahon, D.O.
2. C. Dean Milne, D.O.
3. Lisa Miller-Roche, Esq. (Public Member)

Board Staff –

1. Larry Tarno, D.O., Executive Director
2. Catryna Kelly, Executive Administrator
3. Tammy Sine, Licensing Specialist
4. Tacy Woodhams, Enforcement Specialist
5. Richard Dreitzer, Esq, D.A.G., Board Counsel

Members of the Public –

1. Don Havins, M.D., J.D.
2. Denise Selleck-Davis
3. Daniel J. Carpenter, D.O.
4. Charles Watt, D.O.
5. George Cole, D.O.
6. Joe Heck, D.O.
7. Peter Carlo, P.A.
8. Mark Witt, D.O.

**II. CONSENT AGENDA TO GRANT LICENSURE FOR OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS  
(Discussion/Action)**

Dr. Curtis read the names on the consent agenda and asked if all board members had a chance to review the packet information sent out to them regarding licensure information for all the applicants listed below. Dr. Curtis asked if all were in favor and Lisa Miller-Roche first replied with an affirmative vote, as did Dr. McMahon and Dr. Milne. All were in favor, so the motion was granted with Dr. Curtis confirming the following names of the licensees with full licensure status.

A. Consent agenda to grant FULL LICENSURE to the following applicants:

Kenneth G. Fulp, D.O	Specialty: Anesthesiology
David C. Hugelmeyer, D.O.	Specialty: Emergency Medicine
Christian B. Munk, D.O.	Specialty: Anesthesiology
Parag J. Patel, D.O.	Specialty: Pathology
Corinna T. Saldanha, D.O.	Specialty: Anesthesiology

**+III. CONSIDERATION OF THE APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE AND APPEARANCE BY CHARLES WATT, D.O. (Discussion/Action)**

**+IV. CONSIDERATION OF THE APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE AND APPEARANCE BY BAHMAN OMRANI, D.O. (Discussion/Action)**

This item may or may not go into closed session at the discretion of the Chairman of the Board

**+V. CONSIDERATION OF THE APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE AND APPEARANCE BY GEORGE COLE, D.O. (Discussion/Action)**

Dr. Curtis noticed that Dr. Cole was on the phone so we took this item after the consent agenda items carried. Dr. Curtis asked if Dr. Cole would like to go into closed session and Dr. Cole declined.

Dr. Curtis noted that there were several items on his application that were questionable, of which Dr. Curtis read out loud to Dr. Cole to assure a proper understanding of the allegations.

1. Several items in the early 1990's there were several surgical incidents where you had entered litigation of which either gone to trial or settled out of court. Because of this the Texas Board put you on 36 months of probation.
2. As well Oklahoma followed suit and put you on restriction
3. In 1997 the Texas Board went into agreement with you to stop surgical procedures due to permanent loss of vision in one eye. Dr. Cole was agreed.

Dr. Cole is still firmly planted in Texas, however he is still looking down the line to practice in Nevada several years from now, however he is wanting to eventually set up a non-surgical practice here in the future. Dr. Curtis asked if he would have a stipulation that he would not do surgery here, however he wanted to set the record straight that in 1999 the Texas board lifted the stipulation and so did Oklahoma and at this point he has no restrictions on his licenses anywhere, however he still doesn't intend on doing any surgeries in his future. Dr. Curtis asked if he would be willing to send up a letter stating that he has no intentions of doing any surgery of which this would be a condition set on his license.

It was decided by the board that Dr. Cole would need to provide a signed affidavit specifying that he would not do surgery procedures in under this license. He agreed not to do surgery and agreed to turn in a signed affidavit swearing to this.

**+VI. CONSIDERATION OF THE APPLICATION TO EMPLOY AN OSTEPATHIC PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANT AND APPEARANCE BY HECK, D.O. AND PETER CARLO, P.A. (Discussion/Action)**

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**+VII. CONSIDERATION OF THE APPLICATION TO EMPLOY AN OSTEPATHIC PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANT AND APPEARANCE BY LINDA DIANNE CAFFERTY, D.O. AND TATIANA WARNER P.A. (Discussion/Action)**

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**+VIII. CONSIDERATION OF REQUEST BY MARK WITT, D.O. FOR OPINION REGARDING CHIROPRACTOR SCOPE OF PRACTICE INCREASE TO INCLUDE MEDICAL DIAGNOSIS AND SURGICAL REFERRAL ISSUE (Discussion/Action)**

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**IX. EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS REPORT (Discussion/Action)**

Larry J. Tarno, D.O., Executive Director, Catryna Kelly, Executive Administrator

1. Bank Balances, Audit from Kathryn Kelley, CPA, LCC
2. New Website and Back Office System Update
3. Denis Patterson, D.O. update regarding Dr. Manske's review

**X. LEGAL REPORT (Discussion/Action)**

Richard Dreitzer, Esq. and/or Nancy Savage, Esq.

**XI. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**XII. NEXT MEETING DATE AND ADJOURN (Discussion/Action)**

The following meetings are for consideration by the Board and are tentatively scheduled at the NSBOM Offices:

January 19, 2008 @ 8:30am  
March 15, 2008 @ 8:30am  
May 10, 2008 @ 8:30am  
June 28, 2008 @ 8:30am

August 23, 2008 @ 8:30am  
October 18, 2008 @ 8:30am  
December 13, 2008 @ 8:30am

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