



# NEVADA STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

\*\*\*\*PUBLIC NOTICE\*\*\*\*

## **BOARD MEETING**

**March 13, 2018 @ 5:30 PM**

AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATION:

*Nevada State Board of Osteopathic Medicine ~ Conference Room  
2275 Corporate Circle, Suite 210  
Henderson, NV 89074*

\*\*\* MINUTES \*\*\*

**I. CALL TO ORDER (Discussion/ For Possible Action) Ronald Hedger, D.O., President, Roll call to determine presence of a quorum**

Present:

Board Members:

Ronald Hedger, D.O.  
Ricardo Almaguer, D.O.  
Paul Mausling, D.O.  
C. Dean Milne, D.O.  
Nicole Cavenagh, Ph.D., Public Member  
Swadeep Nigam, Public Member

Board Staff:

Sandra Reed, Executive Director  
Louis Ling, Esq., Board Counsel  
James Atchazo, Investigator

Public:

Lamont Tyler, D.O.

**II. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**NOTE:** *Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the board may refuse to consider public comment. See NRS 233B.126*

No Comments.

**III. APPROVAL OF BOARD MEETING AND HEARING MINUTES FROM FEBRUARY 13, 2018 (Discussion/For Possible Action) Ronald Hedger, D.O., President**

Mr. Nigam made a motion to approve the minutes from February 13, 2018; and, seconded by Dr. Milne. There being no discussion, the minutes were approved by the Board.

**IV. CONSENT AGENDA TO GRANT LICENSURE FOR OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS & PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS (Discussion/ For Possible Action) Ronald Hedger, D.O., President**

Under this item the Board may consider the recommendations of the Executive Director and/or President/Vice President to grant licensure to the below listed applicants. The Board may remove any applicant's name from the consent motion, but may not discuss the contents of the application for licensure without the applicant present following proper notice pursuant to the open meeting law.

**Osteopathic Physician Name**

Ramir Arcega, D.O.  
Shamla Badery, D.O.  
Yizhou, Ernst, D.O.  
Jason Feldman, D.O.  
Robert Lifferth, D.O.  
Michael Manning, D.O.  
Navin Muliylil, D.O.  
Young-In Park, D.O.  
Ricky Swearingen, D.O.  
Think Tang, D.O.  
Melinda Velez, D.O.  
Naomie Warner, D.O.  
Kevin Yu, D.O.

**Specialty**

Anatomic Pathology  
Internal Medicine  
OB/GYN  
Anesthesiology  
Emergency Medicine  
Orthopedic Surgery  
Internal Medicine  
Internal Medicine  
Family Medicine  
Internal Medicine  
OB/GYN  
Ophthalmology  
Internal Medicine

**Physician Assistant**

Bryan Croft, PA-C  
Susan Jimenez, PA-C  
Dustin Van Orman, PA-C

**Supervising Physician**

Ricardo Cruz, D.O.  
Eithne-Marie Barton, D.O.  
Scott Glickman, D.O.

**Special Licenses NRS.633.411:**

Daniel Dawson, D.O.  
Chauntelle Vidinha, D.O.  
Joseph Zeal, D.O.

Kingman/Sunrise  
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UNLVSOM – General Surgery

There being no discussion, Dr. Hedger set forth a motion to approve full licensure; and, seconded by Dr. Cavenagh. The Board approved granting full licensure.

**V. +CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATION FOR FULL LICENSURE FOR OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN LAMONT TYLER, D.O.,(personal appearance), (Discussion/For Possible Action) NOTE: The Board may go into closed session pursuant to NRS 241.030 to move to a closed session because the discussion may involve this applicant's character, alleged misconduct, professional competence, or similar items. Ronald Hedger, D.O., President**

Dr. Hedger asked Dr. Tyler if he preferred an open or closed session. Dr. Tyler opted for an open session. Dr. Tyler explained his prior disciplinary action in Illinois, where his license was previously placed on probation, and many years ago, he voluntarily relinquished his license in other states, including Nevada. However, the Illinois probation was lifted, and his licenses in both Illinois and Indiana are currently active. There being no discussion, Dr. Hedger set forth a motion to approve the license application of Dr. Tyler; and, seconded by Mr. Nigam. The Board approved the motion.

**VI. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

- a. Financial Statements – Ms. Reed explained that the reports have been revised to be easier to read. Mr. Nigam will be assisting with the budget for 2018-2019.
- b. Licensing – Ms. Reed provided several licensing numbers.
- c. Interstate Medical Licensure Compact update – Nothing new to report.
- d. Reserve Policy – The Governor’s Finance Office suggested that we have a Reserve Policy to plan and manage the Board’s budget. Nigam will assist with the policy.

**VII. LEGAL REPORT (Discussion/Action) by Louis Ling, Board Counsel and/or Rosalie Bordelove, Deputy Attorney General**  
No Comments.

**VIII. ITEMS FOR FUTURE DISCUSSION/ACTION/UPCOMING AGENDA**  
No Comments.

**IX. PRESIDENT’S REPORT on Board Business, Ronald Hedger, D.O., President**  
Dr. Hedger stated that FSMB is having their annual meeting in April in Charlotte, NC. Mr. Nigam added that he will be going to the conference on an FSMB scholarship.

**X. PUBLIC COMMENT**  
No Comments.

Dr. Hedger motioned to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Dr. Cavenagh, and approved by the Board.

**Minutes Approved at April 10, 2018 Board Meeting**