

The upcoming Board exam was discussed at length. It was decided to weigh the parts of the exam as follows:

Jurisprudence exam= 10%

Advanced Procedures law= 10%

Advanced Procedures written exam=5%

Clinical exam= 75%

In light of the fact that there will be new parts to the exam, it was decided that an outline for the exam will be created and sent to all applicants.

Dr. Sandefur reported that the Board had approximately \$100,000.00 in a C.D. and approximately \$30,000.00 in the checking account.

The Megan Fazzio case was discussed. Dr. Fazzio successfully completed the La. Board exam in 2018 but has not completed NBEO Part I as of now. The issue is: What time limit will the Board allow for applicants to complete the required elements for licensure?

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:15 AM.

June 15, 2019

The annual meeting of all licensees was called to order at 3:30 PM at the Crowne Plaza hotel in Baton Rouge.

Board members present were: Drs. Avallone, Sandefur, Wroten, and Roy.

Absent were: Dr. Anastasio and Mr. Benoit.

President Avallone called for nominations from the floor for candidates for appointment to the Board.

Nominated were:

Dr. Camille Chiasson

Dr. Gary Avallone

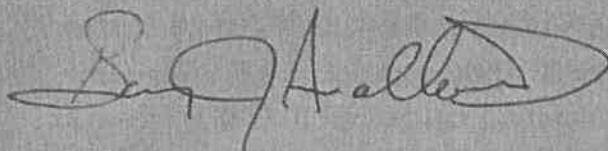
Dr. Breanna McGhee

Hearing no further nominations, nominations were closed and the three names nominated will be sent to the Governor for appointment of one to the Board.

President Avallone asked if there was any other business to come before the Board.

Issues discussed were a-) can ODs attach false eyelashes, b-) what to do if a patient is denied a copy of their prescription, c-) Stanton Optical (a brief report on this was given by President Avallone) d-) what to do regarding entities that advertise free eye examinations.

With no further business to come before the board the meeting was adjourned at 4:05 PM

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