

Mississippi State Board of Examiners for Licensed Professional Counselors

Regularly Scheduled Board Meeting
Mississippi Coast Convention Center
2350 Beach Blvd, Biloxi, MS 39531
Friday, November 5, 2021
Minutes

I. Call to Order

The Regular Board meeting of the Mississippi State Board of Examiners for Licensed Professional Counselors (“Board”) was called to order at 9:01 a.m. by Dr. Richard Strebeck, Chair (“Chair”) on Friday November 5, 2021. The meeting was held at the Mississippi Coast Convention Center. A roll call of Board members was taken, and a quorum was present.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Dr. Richard Strebeck, Chair, Congressional District-at-Large
Dr. Kimberly Elam Sallis, Vice-Chair Congressional District I
Dr. Lynn Etheridge, Congressional District II (exited meeting at 12:55 p.m. and returned at 1:45 p.m.)
Mr. Steven Stafford, Congressional District III
Mr. Issac Boose, Congressional District IV

OTHERS PRESENT

Ms. LeeAnn Mordecai, Executive Director, LPC Board
Ms. Alexis Morris, Board Attorney representative, Special Assistant Attorney General

ABSENT

None

II. Board Operation

- A. After reviewing the September 9-10, 2021, Dr. Etheridge motioned to approve the minutes as amended. Mr. Stafford seconded the motion.

Aye – Mr. Boose	Aye – Dr. Etheridge	Aye – Dr. Sallis
Aye – Mr. Stafford	Aye – Dr. Strebeck	

- B. After reviewing the October 1, 2021, Dr. Sallis motioned to approve the minutes as amended. Dr. Etheridge seconded the motion.

Aye – Mr. Boose	Aye – Dr. Etheridge	Aye – Dr. Sallis
Aye – Mr. Stafford	Aye – Dr. Strebeck	

III. Financial

- A. Board reviewed financial statements for September 2021 and October 2021.

IV. Old Business

- B. Ms. Morris updated the Board regarding the FARB conference. She reported discussions included universal licensure and the counseling compact.
- C. The Board discussed the schedule for submitting the revised Rules and Regulation. The Board agreed to call a Special Called Meeting by teleconference to finalize the Rules and Regulations on December 10, 2021.

CLOSED DETERMINATION/EXECUTIVE SESSION

Upon motion made by Mr. Stafford with a second by Mr. Boose, the Board voted to go into a closed determination session to establish the need for an Executive Session. The motion carried with the following vote:

Aye – Mr. Boose	Absent – Dr. Etheridge	Aye – Dr. Sallis
Absent – Mr. Stafford	Aye – Dr. Strebeck	

In the determination session, Dr. Sallis with a second by Mr. Stafford, that the Board had reason to go into Executive Session, namely to: determine after deliberation and consideration of applications governing the practice of professional counselors, which deliberation and consideration could lead to litigation and/or an appeal of a Board order. The vote was as follows:

Aye – Mr. Boose	Absent – Dr. Etheridge	Aye – Dr. Sallis
Absent – Mr. Stafford	Aye – Dr. Strebeck	

At 12:17p.m., the Board entered Executive Session and announced this decision to the public for the aforesaid reason(s).

V. Executive Session

a. Board Request

- i. Dr. Sallis motioned to approve request to retire license #0930. Mr. Stafford seconded the motion. The motion carried, and the vote was as follows:

Aye – Mr. Boose	Absent – Dr. Etheridge	Aye – Dr. Sallis
Aye – Mr. Stafford	Aye – Dr. Strebeck	

- ii. Dr. Sallis motioned to approve P-#0223 to take the NCMHCE a 5th time, Mr. Boose seconded the motion. The motion carried, and the vote was as follows:

Aye – Mr. Boose	Absent – Dr. Etheridge	Aye – Dr. Sallis
Aye – Mr. Stafford	Aye – Dr. Strebeck	

b. Complaints

- i. Mr. Stafford recommended for the Board to take no action regarding complaint 2020-08. Dr. Sallis motioned and seconded by Mr. Boose to take no action. The motion carried. The vote was as follows:

Aye– Mr. Boose
Abstain – Mr. Stafford

Absent– Dr. Etheridge
Aye– Dr. Strebeck

Aye – Dr. Sallis

- ii. Mr. Stafford recommended for the Board to take no action regarding complaint 2020-11. Dr. Sallis motioned and seconded by Dr. Strebeck to take no action. After discussion, the motion carried. The vote was as follows:

Aye– Mr. Boose
Abstain – Mr. Stafford

Absent– Dr. Etheridge
Aye– Dr. Strebeck

Aye – Dr. Sallis

- iii. Mr. Stafford recommended for the Board to take no action regarding complaint 2020-15. Dr. Strebeck motioned and seconded by Mr. Boose to take no action. After some discussion, the motion carried. The vote was as follows:

Aye– Mr. Boose
Abstain – Mr. Stafford

Absent– Dr. Etheridge
Aye– Dr. Strebeck

Aye – Dr. Sallis

- iv. Mr. Stafford recommended for the Board to take no action regarding complaint 2020-26. Dr. Sallis motioned and seconded by Mr. Boose to take no action. The motion carried. The vote was as follows:

Aye– Mr. Boose
Abstain – Mr. Stafford

Absent– Dr. Etheridge
Aye– Dr. Strebeck

Aye – Dr. Sallis

- v. Mr. Stafford recommended for the Board to take no action regarding complaint 2021-14. Mr. Boose motioned and seconded by Dr. Sallis to take no action. The motion carried. The vote was as follows:

Aye– Mr. Boose
Abstain – Mr. Stafford

Absent– Dr. Etheridge
Aye– Dr. Strebeck

Aye – Dr. Sallis

- vi. Mr. Stafford recommended for the Board to take no action regarding complaint 2021-17. Mr. Boose motioned seconded by Dr. Sallis to take no action. The motion carried. The vote was as follows:

Aye– Mr. Boose
Abstain – Mr. Stafford

Absent– Dr. Etheridge
Aye– Dr. Strebeck

Aye – Dr. Sallis

Upon the conclusion of business of Executive Session at 1:52 p.m. the Board voted, upon motion made by Dr. Sallis and seconded by Dr. Strebeck, to exit Executive Session. The motion carried. The vote was as follows:

Aye– Mr. Boose
Aye – Mr. Stafford

Aye– Dr. Etheridge
Aye– Dr. Strebeck

Aye – Dr. Sallis

RETURN TO REGULAR SESSION

The Board resumed the regular session at 1:53 p.m. by announcing the actions taken within the Executive Session. The Board reviewed applications, potential litigation, and complaints (determinations as listed in Addendum A).

VI. Adjournment

Dr. Etheridge motioned to adjourn the meeting at 1:59 p.m., Mr. Stafford seconded the motion. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned. The vote was as follows:

Aye– Mr. Boose

Aye– Dr. Etheridge

Aye – Dr. Sallis

Aye – Mr. Stafford

Aye– Dr. Strebeck

Approved this the 10th day of December, 2021

/s/

Board Chair

/s/

Board Member

Dates for future meetings:

December 10, 2021 – 1:00 p.m. Teleconference, Special Called Meeting for Rule and Regulation review

January 21, 2022 – 9:00 a.m. Teleconference, Regular Board Meeting

March 24, 2022 – 9:00 a.m. Cleveland, MS (Tentative), Regular Board Meeting

June 3, 2022 – 9:00 a.m. Teleconference, Regular Board Meeting

ADDENDUM A

MS BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR LICENSED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS				
APPLICATION REVIEW - EXECUTIVE SESSION				
Friday, November 5, 2021				
P-LPC Apps	BOARD DECISION	ABSTENTION	YAYS	NAYS
Armstrong, Stephanie M	P-LPC		5	0
Booth, Danielle Marie	P-LPC		5	0
Bradley, Destiny D	P-LPC		5	0
Corley, Roger Dale	CONTINGENT		5	0
Galliano, Stephanie LeAnn	P-LPC		5	0
Harriell, April Florine	P-LPC		5	0
Harrison, Savannah Scafide	CONTINGENT	Strebeck	4	0
Little, Kolby Nicole	P-LPC		5	0
McGrew, Darreneka Lynette	P-LPC		5	0
Myhlhousen, Teresa A	CONTINGENT		5	0
Nozik, Sherri Nicole	CONTINGENT		5	0
Smith, Misty Lane	CONTINGENT		5	0
Teasley, Jenny L.	P-LPC		5	0
Terry, Jaycee Kimber	P-LPC		5	0
Vickers, Alicia Karen	CONTINGENT		5	0
Young, Allyson Nycole	CONTINGENT		5	0
Austin, Erin Taylor	CONTINGENT		5	0
Carter, Stevi L.	CONTINGENT		5	0
Kimbrough, Latasha Rochelle	CONTINGENT		5	0
Ross, Joanna Howard	CONTINGENT		5	0
Shorter, Kayleigh Morgan	P-LPC	Strebeck	4	0
P-LPC to Candidacy Apps or P-LPC to Licensure Apps	BOARD DECISION	ABSTENTION	YAYS	NAYS
Lewis, Tanaucha Terrelle	CANDIDACY		5	0
Lindsey, Stephanie D.	CANDIDACY		5	0
New Apps for LPC-S	BOARD DECISION	ABSTENTION	YAYS	NAYS
Kesha Davis Waterman	LPC-S		5	0
New Apps for Comity	BOARD DECISION	ABSTENTION	YAYS	NAYS
Euto, Jewel Elizabeth	CONT'D REVIEW		5	0

Granger, Deanna Chapman	CONTINGENT		5	0
Gulley, Stephanie L	CONTINGENT		5	0
Hiler, Amy Brown	LICENSURE		5	0
Mastin, Julie A	LICENSURE		5	0
Morris, Cheryl L.	LICENSURE		5	0
Pettit, Jamie Ray	LICENSURE		5	0
Williamson, Peggy A	LICENSURE		5	0
CR Apps for P-LPC				
	BOARD DECISION	ABSTENTION	YAYS	NAYS
Tutor, Belinda Susan	P-LPC		5	0
CR Apps for LPC Candidacy				
	BOARD DECISION	ABSTENTION	YAYS	NAYS
Strickland-Housley, Danielle D.	CANDIDACY		5	0
Walker, Mira	CANDIDACY		5	0

MS BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR LICENSED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS**License Report to Board - November 5, 2021**

Licensed Since Last Meeting - October 1, 2021	Issue Date	Lic Number
Lauren Danielle Bean	10/18/2021	2730
Wesley Bradford Bell	10/18/2021	2726
Brandi Michelle Brewer	10/15/2021	2724
Paula Jean Cheney	10/15/2021	2723
Jennifer G. Ferren	10/6/2021	2719
Justin David Kelly	10/28/2021	2731
Eboni Ke'ara Leflore	10/18/2021	2727
Sean S. Lenard	10/18/2021	2728
Taylor Elise Ritchey	10/15/2021	2725
Jizette Montrise Scott	10/4/2021	2717
Emily Vaughan Shiers	11/3/2021	2733
Ashley Whitney Smith	10/6/2021	2718
Marquita Lachette Wilson	10/19/2021	2729
Sarah Linfield Wilson	10/15/2021	2722
Lauren Elliott Barber	10/8/2021	P-0747
Paul Robert Cummings	10/27/2021	P-0750
Marisa Sue Finlayson	10/1/2021	P-0748
Bethany Leigh Glass	10/1/2021	P-0745
Erica Elaine Holton	10/6/2021	P-0752
Kalaishi Myketa Johnson	10/1/2021	P-0744
Claire Ellen Kollhoff	10/1/2021	P-0751
Kathleen Mary Kowalke	10/8/2021	P-0746
Elizabeth Nicole Marquez	10/4/2021	P-0749
Jennifer G. Ferren	10/6/2021	LPC-S #458
Wynter Dominique Ward	10/1/2021	LPC-S #459

Board Requests to Retire License

	<u>BOARD DECISION</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>License #</u>
Camilla Heath-Davis LPC-S	APPROVED	5/15/2002	0930