

**Minutes**  
**Arkansas Psychology Board**  
**101 East Capitol, Suite 415**  
**Board Meeting**  
**May 18, 2007**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Dwight Sowell, Chair, at 9:00 a.m.

Board Members present: Dr. Joe Alford, Dr. Russell Dixon, Dr. Sabra Hassel, Dr. Bettye Hoffman, Dr. Tom Poling and Mr. Dwight Sperry.

Staff Members present: Ms. Amy Ford and Ms. Rebecca Wright.

Guests present: Ms. Elizabeth Glenn.

**Meeting Agenda**

Mr. Sowell presented the agenda. Mr. Dwight Sperry made a motion to approve the agenda. Dr. Russell Dixon seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

**Minutes**

Mr. Sowell presented the April 20, 2007 minutes. Mr. Sperry asked that minor corrections be made throughout. Mr. Sperry made a motion to approve the amended minutes. Dr. Tom Poling seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

**COMPLAINT COMMITTEE REPORT**

While there are some 2007 cases under active investigation, at this point there are no action or advisory items to report to the board regarding those pending cases.

**OLD BUSINESS**

There was no old business.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Statement of Intent – Update**

Kevin Santulli requested to add adults to the population area of his Statement of Intent. Mr. Sperry made a motion to approve the request. Dr. Sabra Hassel seconded the motion. Dr. Hassel called the question. The motion passed unanimously.

**Supervisor Status Request Form – Updated**

Ms. Rebecca Wright updated the Supervisor Status Request Form to include information for fully licensed Psychologists with less than two years of licensure or provisional licensees to apply for Supervisor Status under a fully-qualified Board-approved Supervisor. The Board discussed the layout of the form. The Board stated that when the form is amended, it could be published immediately.

### **Supervisor Status Request**

Dr. Kristen Bosc requested supervisor status. She provided a letter supplementing her request and one reference. Dr. Joe Alford made a motion to approve the request. Dr. Dixon seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Catherine Stanger requested supervisor status. She provided a letter supplementing her request. Dr. Alford made a motion to approve the request. Dr. Dixon seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Alan Budney requested supervisor status. He provided a letter supplementing his request. Dr. Alford made a motion to approve the request. Dr. Dixon seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

### **Supervisor Status Request – Supervise Interns**

Dr. Jerry Gullede requested supervisor status with Dr. Mark Hinterthuer as his supervisor.. He provided a letter of request with two signatures. Dr. Alford made a motion to approve the request. Dr. Dixon seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Lisa Linson requested supervisor status with Dr. John Roca as her supervisor. She provided a letter of request with two signatures. Dr. Alford made a motion to approve the request. Dr. Dixon seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

### **Provisional License Extension Request**

Byron Banks requested a provisional license extension through July 27, 2007. His request stated that he would take the Examination of Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) national written exam in June. Mr. Banks stated that he has had health problems delaying his taking the EPPP. Dr. Dixon made a motion to approve the request. Dr. Alford seconded the motion. Mr. Sperry abstained. The motion passed.

### **J.P. Moore Case – Oral Arguments**

Ms. Amy Ford stated that she had received information right before the Board meeting from Dr. Moore's attorneys' that they would like to schedule oral arguments on July 20<sup>th</sup> in Paragould or on August 29<sup>th</sup> in Jonesboro. Ms. Ford stated that she would try to get the arguments scheduled for July 20<sup>th</sup> and requested to be absent from the Board meeting that day, if necessary. The Board granted request.

**Rules and Regulations Updates**

Dr. Alford made a motion to have a liaison from the University of Central Arkansas (UCA) for Rules and Regulations updates. Mr. Sperry seconded the motion. Dr. Dixon called the question. The motion passed unanimously.

**Provisional License Function**

Dr. Dixon began a discussion concerning the function of the provisional license. The Board discussed not having the provisional license and updating the application processes. If applicants are licensed earlier in their career, more post-doctoral experiences would be made available.

**ADJOURN**

Mr. Sperry made a motion to adjourn. Dr. Dixon seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned.