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**IOWA BOARD OF MEDICINE
TELECONFERENCE CALL
Thursday, June 18, 2009, 7:50 a.m.**

OPEN MINUTES

MEMBERS PRESENT: Siroos Shirazi, M.D., Chair
Rod Zeitler, M.D., Vice-Chair
Tom Drew
Yasyn Lee, M.D.
Jeff Snyder, M.D.
Paul Thurlow
Allen Zagoren, D.O., Alternate Member

STAFF PRESENT: Mark Bowden, Executive Director
Kent Nebel, Director of Legal Affairs
Teena Turnbaugh, Secretary

STAFF ABSENT: Russell Bardin, Chief Investigator

A teleconference was held as it is more feasible to have the Board handle Board business via phone when required between Board meetings. Action needed to be taken as soon as possible on this business and could not wait until the next Board meeting.

Rod Zeitler, M.D., Vice-Chair, called the meeting to order at 7:50 a.m.

On a motion by Jeff Snyder, M.D., and seconded by Tom Drew, the following members voted unanimously by roll call vote to go into closed session according to Iowa Code Section 21.5(1)(a). Tom Drew, Yasyn Lee, M.D., Jeff Snyder, M.D., Paul Thurlow, Rod Zeitler, M.D. and Allen Zagoren, D.O.

Dr. Siroos Shirazi, Board Chair, sat in on the meeting, however, was not a voting member.

Consideration in the Matter of Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision and Order concerning Ashar Afzal, M.D., File No: 02-07-575

On a motion by Rod Zeitler, M.D. and seconded by Allen Zagoren, D.O., the members of the panel, Tom Drew, Yasyn Lee, M.D., Jeff Snyder, M.D., Paul Thurlow, Rod Zeitler, M.D. and Allen Zagoren, D.O. approved the decision and order concerning Ashar Afzal, M.D., File No: 02-07-575.

Meeting adjourned at 7:55 a.m.

Submitted by

Teena Turnbaugh
Secretary to the Board