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IOWA BOARD OF MEDICINE
MARK BOWDEN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

IOWA BOARD OF MEDICINE TELECONFERENCE MEETING 7:30 a.m. Thursday, November 06, 2014

This regularly scheduled meeting is being held by teleconference because an in-person meeting is impractical due to the timely nature of the agenda items and the anticipated brevity of this meeting.

OPEN MINUTES

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Hamed Tewfik, M.D., Chair
Michael Thompson, D.O., Vice Chair
Allison Schoenfelder, M.D., Secretary
Diane Clark
Julie Carmody, M.D.
Ronald Cheney, D.O.
Julie Perkins, M.D.

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

Frank Bognanno
Diane Cortese

STAFF PRESENT:

Mark Bowden, Executive Director
Russell Bardin, Chief Investigator
Natalie Sipes, Director of Licensure
Julie Bussanmas, Assistant Attorney General

Hamed Tewfik, M.D., called the meeting to order at 7:30 a.m. A roll call was taken to establish the presence of a quorum.

At 7:33 a.m., on a motion by Diane Clark, seconded by Ronald Cheney, D.O., the Board voted to grant an acupuncturist license to John Lutz. Hamed Tewfik, M.D., Michael Thompson, D.O., Julie Carmody, M.D., Allison Schoenfelder, M.D., and Julie Perkins, M.D., all voted "aye" in favor of the motion.

Mark Bowden, Executive Director, provided a brief report to the Board:

- The telemedicine rule noticed by the Board on October 3, 2014, is being reviewed by the Governor's Office as per the protocol for agency rulemaking. Mr. Bowden met with Governor's staff to answer questions about the rule. If the rule is released by Friday, November 14, 2014, it will be published in the Administrative Bulletin by the end of 2014 and the public hearing will be held in mid- to late January. Mr. Bowden will give the Board an update on this rule at the December 4-5 meeting.

The teleconference was adjourned at 7:40 a.m.

These minutes are respectfully submitted by Alicia Hill, Secretary to the Executive Director.