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**IOWA BOARD OF MEDICINE  
TELECONFERENCE MEETING  
7:30 a.m. Thursday, March 8, 2018**

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

**OPEN MINUTES**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Kyle Ulveling, M.D., Chair  
Diane Cortese, Secretary (joined the meeting at 7:35 a.m.)  
Nicole Gilg Gachiani, M.D.  
Warren Gall, M.D.  
Ronald Kolegraff, M.D.  
Mary Jo Romanco  
Brian Wilson, D.O.

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** KellyAnn Light-McGroary, M.D., Vice Chair  
Charles Wadle, D.O.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Mark Bowden, Executive Director  
Kent Nebel, Director of Legal Affairs  
Jordan Esbrook, Assistant Attorney General

At 7:32 a.m., Kyle Ulveling, M.D., Chair, called the meeting to order. A roll call was taken to establish the presence of a quorum.

At 7:33 a.m., on a motion by Mary Jo Romanco, seconded by Warren Gall, M.D., the Board voted to approve the agenda.

At 7:35 a.m., on a motion by Ronald Kolegraff, M.D., seconded by Warren Gall, M.D., the Board voted to meet in closed session pursuant to Iowa Code section 21.5(1) "a," "d," and "f" for the purposes of reviewing investigative reports and other investigative material and discussing whether to initiate licensee disciplinary investigations or proceedings and to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case proceeding conducted according to the provisions of Iowa Code Chapter 17A.

Warren Gall, M.D., Nicole Gilg Gachiani, M.D., Ronald Kolegraff, M.D., Mary Jo Romanco, Kyle Ulveling, M.D., and Brian Wilson, D.O., all voted aye in a roll call vote to approve the motion to meet in closed session.

At 7:35 a.m. Diane Cortese joined the meeting.

**At 7:43 a.m., on a motion by Diane Cortese, seconded by Mary Jo Romano, the Board voted to meet in open session.**

At 7:44 a.m., John Mackey of the American Society for Dermatologic Surgery, Rolling Meadows, IL, joined the open session of the teleconference via telephone. Mr. Mackey did not address the Board, but wanted to hear the Board's discussion on an agenda item concerning a request for a waiver of Iowa Administrative Code 653-13.8(1).

In open session, the following items were addressed by the Board:

**On a motion by Ronald Kolegraff, M.D., seconded by Mary Jo Romano, the Board voted to file charges against Margaret J. Fehrle, M.D., File No. 02-2016-082.** The charges allege that Dr. Fehrle violated the laws and rules governing the practice of medicine in Iowa when she failed to provide appropriate orthopedic surgical care to multiple patients in Marshalltown and Vinton, Iowa, between 2008 and 2015. A hearing is scheduled on May 17-18, 2018.

The Board reviewed a request for waiver of Iowa Administrative Code 653-13.8(1), concerning the delegation and supervision of medical aesthetic services performed by qualified licensed or certified nonphysician persons. The petition to waive the rule was submitted by Ariane L. Carpenter, owner of Aria Medical Spa, Tiffin, Iowa. Ms. Carpenter asked the Board to allow nonphysician persons who are not licensed by an Iowa licensing board or who are not certified by an Iowa licensing board to perform medical aesthetic services under the supervision of a qualified physician.

**On a motion by Diane Cortese, seconded by Ronald Kolegraff, M.D., the Board voted to deny the waiver request as presented. The Board has 120 days to issue its formal response to Ms. Carpenter's petition.**

**At 7:59 a.m., on a motion by Ronald Kolegraff, M.D., seconded by Warren Gall, M.D., the Board voted to adjourn the teleconference.**