PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING FOR NEVADA STATE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

DATE OF MEETING: Thursday January 23, 2020 Time: 3:00 p.m.

4600 Kietzke Lane B116, Reno, NV 89502

Zoom Meeting: 152 318 510

1. Call to order/roll call to determine the presence of a quorum. Meeting called to order at 3:04 P.M.

Whitney Owens, Psy.D., Board President Anthony Papa, Ph.D., Secretary/Treasurer John Krogh, Ph.D., Board Member Stephanie Holland, Psy.D., Board Member

Other Present:
Lauren Chapple-Love
Amanda DeVillez
Sara Hunt
Rosalie Bordelove, DAG
Danielle Bello

In Board office: Morgan Gleich, Executive Director

2. Public Comment.

No Public comment

- 3. Review, discuss, and possible approval of minutes from previous meetings: December 13, 2019

 The Board reviewed the minutes from the December 13, 2019 Board meeting minutes. Dr. Papa approved the minutes for December 13, 2019, with no changes. Dr. Holland second. Board vote 4-0-0.
- **4**. Review, discuss, and possible approval of Treasurer's report for F/Y 2020 (July 1, 2019, through June 30, 2020); Review, discuss and update on a current biennial budget (July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2020).

Dr. Papa noted the Board remains on target with the budget. Dr. Papa and Director Gleich reviewed the reports as requested by Ms. Farley, the Board's auditor. It was noted some changes need to be made regarding the recording and the tracking of the funds received by the Board. Director Gleich noted that as the Board has entered the second year of the Biennial, the funds will be lower while the numbers of psychologists will increase.

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Additionally, Dr. Papa will meet with Director Gleich in the upcoming week to make sure that the bills are in place and that a plan has been developed for tracking of funds and costs with the Board office in the interim, without Board office staff. Dr. Holland approved the treasurers report and Dr. Krogh seconded. Board vote 4-0-0.

A. Recouping outstanding Legal Fees Owed to the Board from Disciplinary and Unlicensed Practice cases. **No discussion. Moved to the February 14**th **board meeting.**

(For Possible Action) 5. Review of consumer complaints pending.

- A. Complaint #19-0514: Ms. Borderlove noted that a response was received from opposing counsel, and that further communication will have to take place with the Board's new DAG.
- B. Complaint #19-0626: Complaint was voted forward to DAG at December 13, 2019 Board meeting. Will be addressed by the Board's new DAG, Harry Ward.

- C. Complaint #19-0709: Complaint was voted forward to DAG at November 8, 2019 Board meeting. Will be addressed by the Board's new DAG.
- D. Complaint #19-0923: Dr. Lenkeit states that this case needs more time for investigation. Continued for the February board meeting.
- E. Complaint #19-1011 Dr. Lenkeit suggested combining #19-1011 and #19-1023 due to both being against the same Psychologist. Continued for the February Board meeting.
- F. Complaint #19-1023 See Complaint #19-1011.
- G. Complaint #19-1029 Continued to the February Board meeting.
- H. Complaint #19-1106 Dr. Lenkeit presented information on an unlicensed activity complaint. Complaint included multiple claims of unlicensed activity. Subject has been convicted of insurance fraud in California for the same unlicensed activity in California. Dr. Lenkeit recommended the board issue a cease and desist letter to the subject of the complaint due to engaging in unlicensed activity in the state of Nevada with requirement to close his website. Additionally, he recommended that a letter be sent to each of the chief judicial judges informing them that this subject is not a licensed psychologist in the state of Nevada and not licensed to provide evaluations and treatment as a psychologist, and has been previously convicted of fraud for providing such services in California without a license. Dr. Lenkeit also recommended that a letter be sent to the Bureau of Disability Adjudication (the agency reviewing Social Security Disability in Nevada) informing them that the subject is not licensed and purports to be providing disability evaluations in the state without a license. Finally, he recommended that a complaint be filed with the appropriate law enforcement agencies for the investigation of fraud, including insurance fraud. Dr. Holland motioned to accept all four of Dr. Lenkeit's recommendations. Dr. Krogh seconded. Board vote 4-0-0.
- I. Complaint #19-1108 Allegations against a psychologist alleging that the psychologist excused a student from school which is out of the scope of practice for the psychologist. Complainant also states that the psychologist made recommendations to the school that were outside of the scope of practice of the subject. Dr. Lenkeit stated, that after the review of the records, the respondent made recommendations that are in line with the scope of practice of the psychologist and he did not find any violation of NRS 641 or NAC 641. He recommended the complaint be dismissed. Dr. Krogh moved to dismiss the complaint. Dr. Holland seconded the motion. Board vote 4-0-0.
- J. Complaint #19-1212 Continued to the February Board Meeting.
- K. Complaint #19-1223 Continued to the February Board Meeting.

(For Possible Action) 6. Discussion of Board office staffing. With Director Gleich resigning from the Board effective January 30, 2020: The Board must discuss if the expectations currently held for the Executive Director position should be changed or evaluated. Additionally, coverage of the Board office and duties needs to be addressed as Director Gleich is the only full-time employee of the Board.

Dr. Owens thanked Director Gleich for her service to the Board over the twelve years.

- a. Discussion of and possible change to Board office hours
 Specific hours should be provided to the applicants, licensee and public in a manner that is most clear. See 6d.
- b. Discussion and development of Executive Director and other Board office staff Job descriptions.
 - Dr. Owens, along with past presidents Dr. Lenkeit and Dr. Paul, met to discuss refining the job description to meet the Board's growing needs. It was noted that the current Job description could be opened to both Reno and Las Vegas, that the Board office would move to Las Vegas, if the person hired is from the southern part of the state. The board will need to balance cost of moving the board office to the south if a candidate from Las Vegas is considered. Dr. Papa also mentioned that a reason to keep the Board office in Reno, is to remain close to the legislature.
 - Dr. Owens mentioned that with a larger pool in Las Vegas area, the Board should be open to the most qualified candidates.
 - Additionally, discussion involved the idea of splitting the Executive Director role into a 30-hour position and hire an additional 30-hour individual who would oversee the administrative and office management. Final Job description will be created by the Search Committee as outlined in 6c.
- c. Discussion and development of a committee to hire Executive Director for Board. Committee will be responsible for final development of job description, posting and evaluating of open position(s). Will work with Attorney General's office to guarantee that all requirements are met in hiring a public officer for the Board.
 - Ms. Bordelove noted that the committee can be responsible to draft and develop the job description, accept applications and make a recommendation to the full Board for the hiring of the new Executive Director. As the Executive Director is an employee of the Board, as a whole.
 - Dr. Papa moved to form a committee to hire Board office staff. Dr. Holland second. Board vote 4-0-0.
 - Dr. Holland moved to develop the committee will consist of Dr. Owens, Dr. Papa and Dr. Lenkeit, as a Board employee member. Dr. Papa second. Board vote 4-0-0.
- d. Discussion and development of strategy to manage Board office needs, in the interim. Due to time constraints of the board meeting, Dr. Papa motioned to allow Dr. Owens, board president, to make decisions regarding board office operations, including office hours, temporary support and hiring of interim staff, interim PsyPact commissioner and other office operations needs until a new ED is able to be hired. Seconded by Dr. Krogh. Board vote 4-0-0.
- e. Update from Director Gleich regarding the transition. No Comment.

(For Possible Action) 7. Discussion and vote on PSYPACT commissioner, effective January 31, 2020. As Director Gleich is the current PSYPACT commissioner, a new commissioner must be voted on by the Board to represent Nevada in commission discussion. The role of commissioner will be voted on again at the June 12, 2020 Board meeting.

No discussion. Moved to the February 14th board meeting.

(For Possible Action) 8. Discussion of EPPP2.

a) Discussion regarding information received from ASPPB, that the BETA testing date has been moved back to November 2020. The Board will address this change of testing and discuss how to contact and forward the information to individuals affected by this change.

No discussion. Moved to the February 14th Board meeting.

(For possible action) 9. Schedule of future Board meetings, hearings, and workshops. The Board may discuss and decide future meeting dates, hearing dates, and workshop dates.

a) Schedule of New Board Member Training

No Discussion. Moved to the February 14th Board meeting.

(For Possible Action) 10. Review/decision upon applications for licensure or registration. The Board may convene in closed session to receive information regarding applicants, which may involve considering the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of the applicant (NRS 241.030). All deliberation and action will occur in an open session.

Note: Applicant names are listed on the agenda to allow the Board to discuss applicants when necessary to move the applicant through the licensure process. The listing of an applicant's name on the agenda indicates only that an application for licensure/registration has been received. It does not mean that the application has been approved or that the applicant must appear at the meeting in order for the applicant's application to move forward through the licensure process. If an applicant needs to attend the meeting for the Board to take action, the applicant will be notified in writing prior to the meeting. Please, direct questions or comments regarding licensure applications to the Board office.

PSYCHOLOGISTS

Tony Angelo Nancy Grau **Dorothy Parriott** Julie Armstrong Kevin Greve Anthony Petruzzello Nora Baladerian **Lindsey Hailston** Mary Pulido-Banner **Beverley Barclay** Kimball Hawkins **Howard Reid** Kimberly Howlett Rosalinda Reyes John Barona Mary-Jo Bautista-Bohall Antrice Hronek Amber Rose **Natalie Bennet** Helen Jackson Gabriella Santacruz Michael Scolatti Monela Beroni Leah Jacobs **David Shoemaker** Erin Bigler Francesca Kassing Jeremy Bissram Casha Kaufer Christeen Silva Cynthia Cameron Durriyah Khorakiwala Sharon Stafenson Sylvia Chang Merry Larson Kristine Turner-Sherman Lauren Chapple-Love Debbie Maddox Rosanne Velarde **Oral Custer Dustin Marsh** Michael Villanueva Frank Davis Marc McLaughlin Lipika Wadhwa Chad Doerr Kerry Mullen Anna Welsh Erik Welsh John Drozd **Heather Neill** James English Laura Neilsen Stephen Willis

PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

Marie Ehrler

Matthew Fanetti

Irina Abramians Andrea Bevan Jennifer Grimes Vawters Danielle Agnello **Jonathan Campos** Centina Hernandez Zyra Alandy-dy Leandrea Caver Andrew Hickman Carolina Alicea-Morales Melissa Depa **Bernadette Hinoios** Jose Arauz Nicole Dionsio Katherine Isaza **Heywood Barash** Alicia Doman Sharlene Jeffers Kathleen Beckman Daphne Fowler Corey Kuhn

Donald Yorgason

Dona Zimmerman

Pak Yan Ngai

Kevin Osten-Garner

Cynthia Lancaster Luzviminda Morrow Samantha Schiling
Patrice Leverett Lyle Noisy Hawk Jr. Christopher Shewbarran

Candis R. Mitchell Carolina Perez Lennon Tyler Valerie Modirpour Richard Pratt Jaime Wong

Tracy Moore Elizabeth Pritchard

PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS

Luke AllenDorota KrotkiewiczDana SchmidtJessica CrellinVanessa MaSharon SimgtonDeva DorrisIsra MalikAlexandro VelezBryon GallantDesiree Misanko-LouvatQingqing ZhuJennifer GuttmanKellv NelsonMichelle Zochowski

Laurie Harris Kellie Nesto
Joseph Henrich Jeffery Newell
Monica Jackson David Robinson

PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAINEES

Cody Kaneshiro Nina Paul

Alex Kinzler Samantha Sherwood
Alek Krumm Holly Summers

No discussion. Moved to February 14th meeting.

(For possible Action) 11. Discuss the future offerings for the Nevada Licensing Exam.

- a. Necessary steps of Board office to facilitate the changes of State Exam
- b. Possible changes need to current format due to the push back of the EPPP2

No discussion. Moved to the February 14th meeting.

(For Possible Action) 12. Request for reactivation of Psychologist license from inactive status.

- a. Kirsten Gabriel Olson
- b. William Follette

No discussion. Moved to the February 14th meeting.

13. Public Comment.

No public comment

(For Possible Action) 14. ADJOURNMENT

Dr. Papa motioned to adjourn at 4:03pm. Seconded by Dr. Krogh. Board vote 4-0-0.

The Board may recess for lunch for approximately one hour, at a time to be determined. The Board are pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to participate in the meeting. If such arrangements are necessary, please contact Morgan Gleich at (775) 688-1268 no later than noon on **Thursday, January 23, 2020**. For supporting materials, please contact Morgan Gleich by telephone at (775) 688-1268 or by e-mail at nbop@state.nv.us or visit the Board office at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno, NV 89502. In accordance with NRS 241.020, this public meeting notice has been properly posted on or before **9 a.m. on January 10, 2020** at the following locations: the Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno; the Grant Sawyer Building, 555 E. Washington Ave., Las Vegas; Washoe County Library, 301 S. Center St., Reno; Carson City, City Hall, 200 N. Carson St., Carson City; the Nevada Public Notice website: notice.nv.gov; and posted on the Board's website at http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2018/2018/ In addition this public meeting notice has been sent to all persons on the Board's meeting notice list, pursuant to NRS 241.020(3)(c).