

STATE OF MAINE
BOARD OF COUNSELING PROFESSIONALS LICENSURE
Minutes July 25, 2016 Board Meeting

Members Present: Scott Hutcherson, Jill Copeland, Sharon Abrams, Anne Bulger, and Bette Katsekas.

Others Present: Anne Head, Commissioner; Judith Peters, AAG; Robert Perkins, AAG; and Colleen Eugley, Board Clerk.

Members Absent: None.

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Scott Hutcherson, Board Chair, at 9:09 a.m.

II. OLD BUSINESS

A motion was made by Sharon Abrams to approve the minutes for June 27, 2016. The motion was seconded by Bette Katsekas.

Vote: 5 in favor

III. NEW BUSINESS

A. Complaint Presentations

2016-COU-11893

A complaint was filed against a counselor for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Anne Bulger to dismiss the complaint with a letter of guidance to stay in the licensee's file for ten years. The motion was seconded by Jill Copeland.

Vote: 5 in favor

2015-COU-11129 / 2015-COU-11140

A complaint was filed against a counselor for unprofessional conduct.

A motion was made by Anne Bulger to preliminarily deny the renewal application and offer a consent agreement, including an admission, a reprimand, weekly disciplinary supervision for 1.5 hours per session for one year, with quarterly reports to be submitted to the board by a board-approved supervisor. The motion was seconded by Jill Copeland.

Vote: 5 in favor

B. Application

Barbara Mainguy

A motion was made by Jill Copeland to preliminarily deny the application. The motion was seconded by Bette Katsekas.

Vote: 5 in favor

C. Correspondence

Sara Poulin, LCPC – Board staff will respond.

D. Miscellaneous

Anne Head, Commissioner, gave an update on the progress for filling the regulatory board coordinator position.

IV. ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 11:41 a.m.

The next meeting is scheduled for September 26, 2016, in the Central Conference Room.

Respectfully submitted,

Colleen Eugley
Professional Licensing Supervisor