# Board of Licensure in Medicine 161 Capitol Street Augusta, Maine 04333-0137

September 9, 2025 @ 8:00 a.m.

I.	Call to Order2
	A. Amendments to Agenda (none)
	B. Scheduled Agenda Items
	1. <b>10:00 a.m.</b> Continuation of Adjudicatory Hearing – James Fine, MD (CR22-220)
II.	Licensing (see September 8 <sup>th</sup> minutes)
III.	Board Orders/Consent Agreements/Resolution Documents for Review (see September 8th minutes
IV.	Complaints
	1. CR25-632
	For complaint matters 2-15 see September 8 <sup>th</sup> minutes
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	3. CR24-235
	4. CR25-36
	5. CR25-60
	6. CR25-78
	7. CR25-65
	8. CR25-104
	9. CR24-126
	10. CR24-243
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	12. CR25-27
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	15. CR25-50
	16. CR25-58
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	19. CR25-92
	20. CR25-94
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	24. CR25-103
	25. CR25-1104
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IX.	Continuation of Adjudicatory Hearing	
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# Maine Board of Licensure in Medicine Minutes of September 9, 2025 8:00 a.m. – 4:59 p.m.

**Board Members Present:** Chair Renée M. Fay-LeBlanc; David H. Flaherty, PA; Public Member Gregory Jamison, RPh; Noah Nesin, MD; Brad Waddell, MD; and Public Member Lynne M. Weinstein

**Board Members Present Remotely:** Secretary Christopher R. Ross, PA; Anthony T. Ng, MD; Public Member Jonathan Sahrbeck (Mr. Ross, Dr. Ng and Mr. Sahrbeck were excused at 9:55 a.m.)

Board Members Absent: Maroulla S. Gleaton, MD and Holly Fanjoy, MD

**Board Staff Present:** Assistant Executive Director Valerie Hunt; Medical Director Paul N. Smith, MD; Complaint Coordinator Kelly McLaughlin; Consumer Assistance Specialist Faith McLaughlin; Administrative Assistant Maureen S. Lathrop; Licensing Supervisor Tracy Morrison; and Licensing Specialist Savannah Okoronkwo

**Attorney General's Office Staff Present:** Assistant Attorney General Jennifer Willis and Assistant Attorney John Belisle (during adjudicatory hearing)

The meeting was held at the Board's Offices in Augusta, Maine with Board members participating in person, individual Board members participated remotely. The Board met in public session except during the times listed below which were held in executive session. Executive sessions are held to consider matters which, under statute, are confidential (e.g., 1 M.R.S. § 405; 10 M.R.S. § 8003-B; 22 M.R.S. § 1711-C; 24 M.R.S. § 2510; 32 M.R.S. § 3282-A). During the public session of the meeting, actions were taken on all matters discussed during executive session. During portions of the meeting with Board members participating remotely, votes were conducted by roll call with members voting "for" "against" or "abstain." In addition, the meeting was made virtually available to the public not attending the meeting in person using the platform Zoom. A link for the public to access the Board meeting virtually was included on the Board's agenda and posted on its website.

PURPOSE

EAECUTIVE SESSIONS	TURIOSE
9:36 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Pursuant to 10 M.R.S. §8003-B and 22 M.R.S. § 1711-C to discuss confidential information
12:23 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Pursuant to 1 M.R.S. § 405(6)(E) to consult with legal counsel regarding pending litigation
RECESSES	
9:55 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.	Recess
10:54 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.	Recess
11:34 a.m. – 11:41 a.m.	Recess

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS

11:55 a.m. – 12:02 p.m.

Recess

12:02 p.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Working lunch

12:30 p.m. – 12:40 p.m.

Recess

1:48 p.m. – 1:57 p.m.

Recess

2:56 p.m. – 3:05 p.m.

Recess

3:43 p.m. – 3:48 p.m.

Recess

### I. Call to Order

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

- A. Amendments to Agenda (none)
- **B.** Scheduled Agenda Items
  - 1. 10:00 a.m. Continuation of Adjudicatory Hearing James Fine, MD (CR22-220)
- II. Licensing (See September 8<sup>th</sup> minutes)
- III. Board Orders/Consent Agreements/Resolution Documents for Review (See September 8<sup>th</sup> meeting minutes)
- IV. Complaints
  - 1. CR25-63

Mr. Ross moved to investigate further and request that the licensee respond to questions from the Board. Dr. Nesin seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

For Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: Mr. Ross: For Mr. Sahrbeck: For Mr. Flaherty: Dr. Waddell: For For Ms. Weinstein: Mr. Jamison: For For Dr. Nesin: For

For complaint matters 2-15 see September 8th minutes.

- 2. CR25-73
- 3. CR24-235
- 4. CR25-36
- 5. CR25-60

- 6. CR25-78
- 7. CR25-65
- 8. CR25-104
- 9. CR24-126
- 10. CR24-243
- 11. CR25-17
- 12. CR25-27
- 13. CR25-37
- 14. CR25-39
- 15. CR25-50

#### 16. CR25-58

Mr. Ross moved to dismiss the complaint. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:	For	Dr. Ng:	For
Mr. Ross:	For	Mr. Sahrbeck:	For
Mr. Flaherty:	For	Dr. Waddell:	For
Mr. Jamison:	For	Ms. Weinstein:	For
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Dr. Nesin: For

**MOTION:** A patient complains that the physician did not provide appropriate medical care unless he traveled 100 miles and that there were mistakes made when placing and removing a catheter. The physician responded that he was not present when the catheter was placed or removed but it was documented that it went without incident and was done by a competent nurse. Review of the records revealed that the patient received reasonable care.

## For complaint matters 17-20 see September 8th minutes.

- 17. CR25-76
- 18. CR25-80
- 19. CR25-92
- 20. CR25-94

#### 21. CR25-95

Mr. Ross moved to dismiss the complaint. Dr. Ng seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed 8 in favor, 1 recused. Dr. Fay-LeBlanc was recused from the matter and left the room.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:	Recused	Dr. Ng:	For
Mr. Ross:	For	Mr. Sahrbeck:	For
Mr. Flaherty:	For	Dr. Waddell:	For
Mr. Jamison:	For	Ms. Weinstein:	For

Dr. Nesin: For

**MOTION:** A patient complains that the physician assistant did not perform the correct procedure and was dismissive and abrupt. She also alleges he never ordered x-rays and told her that the treatment was based on her pain not films. She also rebutted the amount of time that he stated he spent with her and stated that she was not given a choice of the procedure. The physician assistant responded that he is sorry that she had a negative experience and did not have significant pain relief. In addition, he stated that the procedure was done under fluoroscopy, and the patient had improvement of pain post procedure. He doesn't believe that he was dismissive of her and patients see him because they are in pain. Review of the records revealed that the patient received reasonable care.

## For complaint matters 22-24 see September 8th minutes.

- 22. CR25-96
- 23. CR25-102
- 24. CR25-103
- 25. CR25-110

Mr. Ross moved to dismiss the complaint and provide the Board's Communication with Patients guidelines to the physician. Dr. Nesin seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:	For	Dr. Ng:	For
Mr. Ross:	For	Mr. Sahrbeck:	For
Mr. Flaherty:	For	Dr. Waddell:	For
Mr. Jamison:	For	Ms. Weinstein:	For
Dr. Nesin:	For		

**MOTION:** A patient complains that the physician cupped her breast while he auscultated her lungs. The physician states that the accusations are totally fabricated and that he would be unable to hold the stethoscope and cup her breast.

### For complaint matters 26-36 please see September 8<sup>th</sup> minutes.

- 26. CR25-111
- 27. CR25-84
- 28. CR25-91
- 29. CR24-91
- 30. CR24-93
- 31. CR24-229
- 32. CR25-3
- 33. CR25-16
- 34. CR25-49
- 35. CR25-82
- 36. CR25-98

#### 37. CR25-100

Mr. Ross moved to dismiss the complaint. Dr. Ng seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: For Mr. Ross: Mr. Sahrbeck: For For Mr. Flaherty: For Dr. Waddell: For Mr. Jamison: For Ms. Weinstein: For

Dr. Nesin: For

**MOTION:** A patient's mother complains that the physician inappropriately, unnecessarily and forcefully touched her daughter. The mother also had concerns that staff were laughing at them and that the physician harassed her with multiple phone calls. The physician responded that he is very sorry that they had a bad experience and that routinely he will have to make a light touch to the face to redirect a child's focus. He also states that he does not recall staff laughing nor would his staff be unprofessional like that. He goes on to say that he was unaware of her dissatisfaction until the call to talk to the office manager and thought it was most appropriate for him to follow up. In retrospect the licensee recognizes that he should have left a message, so they would know why he was calling. Review of the records revealed that the patient received reasonable care.

### For complaint matters 38-40 please see September 8th minutes.

38. CR25-105

39. CR25-109

40. CR25-113

### 41. CR25-115

Mr. Ross moved to dismiss the complaint. Mr. Flaherty seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: For Mr. Ross: Mr. Sahrbeck: For For Dr. Waddell: Mr. Flaherty: For For Mr. Jamison: For Ms. Weinstein: For

Dr. Nesin: For

**MOTION:** A patient's mother complains that the physician lied about her son's symptoms and the medication. The mother also states that the physician stated that her son "would be unsuccessful in life". The physician responded that she understands that parents have a lot of anxiety related to these diagnoses. The physician also states that given the complex family circumstances and her involvement in legal matters concerning the welfare of children likely created a challenging dynamic. It was also discussed that the symptoms that he was having only happen less than 5% of the time in children and does discuss side effects at every visit. The physician also states that she would never say that the complainant's son "would be unsuccessful in life" but would say the

complainant's son's long-term "life outcomes". Review of the records revealed that the patient received reasonable care.

#### 42. CR15-117

Mr. Jamison moved to dismiss the complaint. Dr. Nesin seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:	For	Dr. Ng:	For
Mr. Ross:	For	Mr. Sahrbeck:	For
Mr. Flaherty:	For	Dr. Waddell:	For
Mr. Jamison:	For	Ms. Weinstein:	For
Dr. Nesin:	For		

**MOTION:** A refill request the patient made for a controlled substance medication was in the patient's view not handled in a timely fashion causing the patient to be without medication for a number of days. Licensee states that the delay was largely due to a "computer hack" experienced by the licensee's employer resulting in a lack of access to the medical record. Complainant ultimately asked to have the complaint withdrawn after the situation had been resolved.

#### 43. CR25-2

Dr. Waddell moved to dismiss the complaint. Dr. Nesin seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:	For	Dr. Ng:	For
Mr. Ross:	For	Mr. Sahrbeck:	For
Mr. Flaherty:	For	Dr. Waddell:	For
Mr. Jamison:	For	Ms. Weinstein:	For
Dr. Nesin:	For		

**MOTION:** The patient underwent donor transplant nephrectomy performed by the licensee. The patient suffered a rare complication related to the surgery (chylous ascites) which required multiple interventions and prolonged hospitalization. In addition, he developed choledocholithiasis possibly because of the treatment for chylous ascites. The patient alleges that the complications he suffered were a direct result of clinical incompetence and unprofessional behavior. He also makes other allegations related to informed consent and involvement of surgical residents in his care. Review of the records confirms that the patient suffered troubling postoperative complications but does not support the allegations.

#### 44. CR25-101

Dr. Waddell moved to dismiss the complaint. Dr. Nesin seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

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Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: For Mr. Ross: Mr. Sahrbeck: For For Mr. Flaherty: For Dr. Waddell: For Mr. Jamison: For Ms. Weinstein: For

For

**MOTION:** The patient underwent donor transplant nephrectomy performed by another licensee who is subject of a related complaint. The patient suffered a rare complication related to the surgery (chylous ascites). In addition, he developed choledocholithiasis possibly because of the treatment for chylous ascites. The patient alleges that the complications he suffered were a direct result of clinical incompetence and were avoidable. He alleges that this licensee was unprofessional when involved in his care on-call. Review of the records does not support the allegations.

#### 45. CR25-120

Dr. Nesin:

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc moved to dismiss the complaint. Mr. Flaherty seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: For Mr. Sahrbeck: Mr. Ross: For For Mr. Flaherty: For Dr. Waddell: For Ms. Weinstein: Mr. Jamison: For For Dr. Nesin: For

**MOTION:** The adult daughter of a patient reports that her mother complained to her that the licensee had been "verbally abusive to her, had made accusations about her character, was impatient, blew up ..." The licensee responds that the patient's daughter had never accompanied her to any visits and that her accusations are untrue. Review of the records reveals that the patient was diagnosed with cerebral amyloid angiopathy in February 2024 and that the patient's health and memory declined significantly in February 2025 after being admitted for influenza. Records show that the licensee noticed this significant change, was taking it seriously, and had a plan for additional work-up and follow-up. Review of the notes illustrate appropriate care was provided.

### 46. CR25-126

Mr. Flaherty moved to investigate further and request that the licensee complete a CME course approved by Dr. Fanjoy regarding pediatric eye treatment in the emergency room setting and report to the Board what he gained from the course. Dr. Nesin seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed 8 in favor, 1 recused.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Recused Dr. Ng: Mr. Ross: For Mr. Sahrbeck: For Mr. Flaherty: For Dr. Waddell: For Ms. Weinstein: Mr. Jamison: For For

Dr. Nesin: For

#### 47. CR25-138

Mr. Ross moved to dismiss the complaint. Dr. Nesin seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: For Mr. Ross: Mr. Sahrbeck: For For Mr. Flaherty: For Dr. Waddell: For Ms. Weinstein: Mr. Jamison: For For

Dr. Nesin: For

**MOTION:** A patient complains that the physician did not obtain her consent for a cervical check, and she felt violated and confused. The physician responded that he informed her that he would have to check and see if she was in labor by doing a sterile exam which includes PH check and cervical check. Review of the records revealed that the patient received reasonable care.

#### 48. CR25-140

Mr. Flaherty moved to dismiss the complaint. Dr. Ng seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

For Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: Mr. Ross: Mr. Sahrbeck: For For Mr. Flaherty: Dr. Waddell: For For Mr. Jamison: Ms. Weinstein: For For

Dr. Nesin: For

**MOTION:** The complainant alleged failure to provide adequate medical care for symptoms suggestive of a stroke or intoxication, including fatigue, difficulty in speech, dropping items, poor balance, and "acting intoxicated." The complainant states she was denied appropriate medical care by staff who believed she was faking symptoms, no field screening was done, and medications were discontinued or changed inappropriately. She accuses the nurse of intoxication and claims the facility's medical care is substandard.

The licensee responded that he does not know the patient, has not seen, conversed with, or provided care to her. He believes another inmate wrote the complaint and that she may have been intoxicated from homemade alcohol. He asserts no personal involvement and hopes she has recovered.

Review of records and relevant standards indicates the evaluating providers met the standard of care, with appropriate assessment and management, and no clear evidence of direct misconduct by the licensee.

#### 49. CR25-141

Mr. Flaherty moved to dismiss the complaint. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:	For	Dr. Ng:	For
Mr. Ross:	For	Mr. Sahrbeck:	For
Mr. Flaherty:	For	Dr. Waddell:	For
Mr. Jamison:	For	Ms. Weinstein:	For
Dr. Nesin:	For		

**MOTION:** The complainant alleged discontinuation of all medications upon transfer back to the facility, resulting in severe migraines, eczema, itchy eyes, and body pain. Multiple sick slips submitted without receiving medical care.

The licensee states he has not seen, been involved with, or provided care to the patient since her return from the psychiatric hospital. He notes the patient has refused all medical and psychiatric help offered. Review of records and relevant standards indicates no clear evidence of direct misconduct by the licensee.

### **50.** CR25-142 (tabled)

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#### V. Assessment and Direction

#### 53. AD25-33

Dr. Nesin moved to close the matter with no further action. Mr. Jamison seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

### 54. AD25-75

Dr. Waddell moved to issue a complaint (CR25-206). Dr. Nesin seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### 55. AD25-88

Dr. Nesin moved to close the matter with no further action. Dr. Waddell seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

### 56. AD25-93

Dr. Waddell moved to offer the physician a consent agreement. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Upon further discussion, Dr. Waddell moved to rescind the previous motion and allow the physician to surrender his license while not under investigation. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### 57. AD25-107

Dr. Nesin moved to issue a complaint (CR25-207) and direct the physician to have a §3286 evaluation by a physician addictionologist. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### 58, AD25-114

Dr. Nesin moved to issue a complaint (CR25-208). Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### 59. AD25-131

Dr. Waddell moved to allow the physician to surrender his license while not under investigation and to issue a complaint if the physician chooses not to surrender his license. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### 60. AD24-137

Dr. Waddell moved to allow the physician to surrender his license while not under investigation and to issue a complaint if the physician chooses not to surrender his license. Dr. Nesin seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

### **61. AD25-145** (tabled)

#### 62. AD25-149

Dr. Nesin moved to issue a complaint (CR25-209) and obtain medical records. Dr. Waddell seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

### 63. AD25-155

Dr. Nesin moved to close the matter with no further action. Dr. Waddell seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### 64. AD25-162

Dr. Waddell moved to investigate further and share information with other jurisdictions where the physician holds a license. Mr. Flaherty seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

### 65. AD25-144

Dr. Waddell moved to issue citations, allow the physician to surrender his license while not under investigation, and to offer a consent agreement if he chooses not to surrender his license. Dr. Nesin seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### 66. AD25-121

Dr. Nesin moved to issue a complaint (CR25-210), request ten charts and obtain an expert review focusing on opioid and benzodiazepine prescribing. Mr. Flaherty seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

### 67. AD25-148

Dr. Nesin moved to issue a complaint (CR25-211) and direct the physician to have a § 3286 cognitive and substance misuse evaluation. Dr. Waddell seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

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### 69. Intentionally left blank

### 70. Pending Adjudicatory Hearings and Informal Conferences report

This material was presented for informational purposes. No Board action was required.

### 71. Consumer Assistance Specialist Feedback

This material was presented for informational purposes. No Board action was required.

### VI. Informal Conference (none)

### VII. Minutes for Approval

**A.** July 8, 2025 (tabled)

### VIII. Consent Agreement Monitoring

### A. Monitoring Reports

### 1. Albert W. Adams, MD

Ms. Weinstein moved that due to Dr. Adams ongoing substantial and material noncompliance and repeated inability to demonstrate material compliance with consent agreement requirements, offer an amendment to his consent agreement to require that he wind down his practice within six months and amend the reference to the "CSS Program" to refer to a "Board-approved program or provider who can provide monthly expert review of controlled substance prescribing and written reports to the Board of compliance with Maine laws and rules and appropriate standards of care, and written recommendations for improvements. Mr. Jamison seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed 8 in favor, 1 recused. Dr. Nesin was recused from the matter and left the room.

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Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: For Mr. Ross: For Mr. Sahrbeck: For Mr. Flaherty: For Dr. Waddell: For Mr. Jamison: For Ms. Weinstein: For

Dr. Nesin: Recused

### 2. Ramon E. Cheleuitte, MD

Mr. Flaherty moved to offer Dr. Cheleuitte an amendment to his consent agreement to sunset the CSS Program requirement and add submission of PMP prescriber reports to Board staff monthly with quarterly compliance reports to the Board and after two quarters in compliance and maintaining progress, the Board can review and, in its discretion, terminate the requirement. Mr. Jamison seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed 8 in favor, 1 recused. Dr. Nesin was recused from the matter and left the room.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: For Mr. Ross: For Mr. Sahrbeck: For Mr. Flaherty: For Dr. Waddell: For Mr. Jamison: For Ms. Weinstein: For

Dr. Nesin: Recused

### 3. Michael V. Delahunt, MD

No action taken.

#### 4. Susan D. Paul, MD

Mr. Flaherty moved to offer Dr. Paul an amendment to her consent agreement to amend "CSS Program" to refer to "Board-approved program or provider" which shall be submitted for Board approval within three months, and require submission of PMP prescriber reports to Board staff monthly for compliance review in the interim, which shall end when a new Board-approved controlled substance review program or provider begins their monthly reviews. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed 8 in favor, 1 recused. Dr. Nesin was recused from the matter and left the room.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: For Mr. Ross: For Mr. Sahrbeck: For Mr. Flaherty: For Dr. Waddell: For Mr. Jamison: For Ms. Weinstein: For

Dr. Nesin: Recused

### 5. G. Paul Savidge, MD

Ms. Weinstein moved to offer Dr. Savidge an amendment to his consent agreement to amend "CSS Program" to refer to "a Board-approved program or provider" which shall be submitted for Board approval within three months, and require submission of PMP prescriber reports to Board staff monthly for compliance review in the interim, which shall end when the Board-approved controlled substance review program or provider begins their monthly reviews. In addition, send a communication to Dr. Savidge and his practice mentor to address the issue of handwritten notes and the length of time to add to the EMR – records should be added to the EMR within seventy-two hours of the visit. The licensee and monitor should create a plan and share with the Board. Mr. Jamison seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed 8 in favor, 1 recused. Dr. Nesin was recused from the matter and left the room.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:ForDr. Ng:ForMr. Ross:ForMr. Sahrbeck:ForMr. Flaherty:ForDr. Waddell:ForMr. Jamison:ForMs. Weinstein:For

Dr. Nesin: Recused

### 6. John L. Davis, Jr., MD

Dr. Nesin moved to approve the request to terminate the psychotherapy requirement. Mr. Jamison seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### 7. Scott M. Davis, MD

At 9:36 a.m. Dr. Nesin moved to enter executive session pursuant to 10 M.R.S. 8003-B and 22 M.R.S. § 1711-C to discuss confidential information. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:ForDr. Ng:ForMr. Ross:ForMr. Sahrbeck:ForMr. Flaherty:ForDr. Waddell:ForMr. Jamison:ForMs. Weinstein:For

Dr. Nesin: For

At 9:45 a.m. Mr. Flaherty moved to come out of executive session. Mr. Jamison seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc: For Dr. Ng: For Mr. Ross: For Mr. Sahrbeck: For Mr. Flaherty: For Dr. Waddell: For Mr. Jamison: For Ms. Weinstein: For

Dr. Nesin: For

Dr. Nesin moved to allow Dr. Davis to surrender his license while under investigation and if he chooses not to surrender his license, he must have a comprehensive neurological evaluation performed by an evaluator approved by Dr. Nesin prior to returning to practice and provide copies of his prior evaluations to the neurologist. Mr. Flaherty seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:	For	Dr. Ng:	For
Mr. Ross:	For	Mr. Sahrbeck:	For
Mr. Flaherty:	For	Dr. Waddell:	For
Mr. Jamison:	For	Ms. Weinstein:	For

Dr. Nesin: For

### 8. Ryan J. Mountjoy, MD

Dr. Nesin moved to approve conversion of Dr. Mountjoy's license to active status. Mr. Flaherty seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Fay-LeBlanc:	For	Dr. Ng:	For
Mr. Ross:	For	Mr. Sahrbeck:	For
Mr. Flaherty:	For	Dr. Waddell:	For
Mr. Jamison:	For	Ms. Weinstein:	For

Dr. Nesin: For

### 9. Anthony Perrone, MD

Dr. Nesin moved to issue a warning and delegate approval to the Board Chair. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

### 10. Cameron R. Bonney, MD (tabled)

#### 11. Jake N. Cho, MD

Dr. Nesin moved to approve Dr. Cho's request for an extension of time to propose a physician mentor for approval. Mr. Flaherty seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

- 12. Kathleen Dosiek, PA (tabled)
- 13. Liam Funte, MD (tabled)
- 14. Jesus Gandarillas, PA (tabled)
- 15. Clifford R. Peck, MD (tabled)

### IX. Continuation of Adjudicatory Hearing

### A. CR22-220 James Fine, MD

Hearing Officer Rebekah J. Smith, Esq. convened the hearing at 11:06 a.m.

Dr. Fine was present and represented by Elizabeth Peck, Esq. John Belisle, AAG represented Board Staff.

Hearing Officer Smith confirmed that Board members received and reviewed the Licensee's Motion to Dismiss, Board Staff's Opposition and the Hearing Officer's Recommended Decision.

Dr. Nesin moved to deny the licensee's motion to dismiss. Dr. Waddell seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Following presentation of evidence and testimony, the hearing adjourned at 4:59 p.m. and will continue on a date to be determined.

- X. Remarks of Chair (none)
- XI. Executive Director's Monthly Report (See September 8<sup>th</sup> minutes)

### XII. Assistant Executive Director's Monthly Report

The Board reviewed Ms. Hunt's written report.

### A. IMLCC Audit

Ms. Hunt reported on the results of the IMLCC audit. In June a report was run on all IMLC applicants for the time frame of January 15, 2025 to June 17, 2025. This resulted in a total of 203 licensees. Ten percent were audited and out of 20 licensees, 1 licensee was found to have possibly been issued a letter of qualification in error. Following discussion, the Board directed staff to conduct another audit in six months and report the results to the Board

- XIII. Medical Director's Report (none)
- XIV. Remarks of Assistant Attorney General (none)
- XV. Rulemaking (See September 8<sup>th</sup> minutes)
- XVI. Policy Review (See September 8<sup>th</sup> minutes)
- XVII. FSMB Material (none)
- XVIII. FYI

This material was presented for informational purposes. No Board action was required.

#### XIX. **Other Business**

At 12:23 p.m. Dr. Waddell moved to enter executive session pursuant to 1 M.R.S. § 405(6)(E) to consult with legal counsel regarding pending litigation. Mr. Flaherty seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

At 12:30 p.m. Mr. Flaherty moved to come out of executive session. Mr. Jamison seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### Adjournment 4:59 p.m. XX.

At 4:59 p.m. Mr. Jamison moved to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Weinstein seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Maureen S. Lathrop

Administrative Assistant