Maine Board of Examiners of Psychologists
Minutes of the April 7, 2015 Board Meeting

CALL TO ORDER
Glen Davis called the meeting to order at 9:07 A.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT
Glen Davis, Psychologist, Chairperson and Complaint Officer
Thomas Collins, Psychologist
Dana Sattin, Psychologist, Complaint Officer
Steven Dawson, Psychologist
Mary Melquist, Psychologist; CE Officer

MEMBERS ABSENT
Susan Pratt Martin, Public Member, Vice Chair

STAFF PRESENT
Judith Peters, Assistant Attorney General
Kelly McLaughlin, Senior Consumer Assistant Specialist
Jessica Gowell, Planning and Research Associate I
James Liddell, Professional Licensing Supervisor

OLD BUSINESS
Review and approval of the minutes of January 6, 2015
In a motion by Collins, seconded by Dawson, to accept the minutes of January 6, 2015, as presented. Motion carried, Melquist abstained.

NEW BUSINESS
Complaint Committee’s Report
2013 PSY 9641
In a motion by Davis, seconded by Melquist, to authorize the Assistant Attorney General to negotiate a consent agreement with the Licensee on behalf of the Board in the matter of 2013 PSY 9641. The proposed terms of the consent agreement are: 1) admission to 10 M.R.S. § 8003(5-A)(A)(2); Board Rule Chapter 10, Sections 4(C), 5(A) & (B); 8(A); Ethical Standards 3.04; 3.05(a); 4.05 (a); 6.01 of “The Ethical Principles of Psychologists and Code of Conduct” (2002) (“APA Code”) adopted pursuant to Chapter 9, Section 1 of the Board’s Rules. 2) Reprimand; 3) Probation for a period of two (2) years during which practice will be subject to
disciplinary supervision of one hundred and eight minutes (180) minutes a month (every other week for ninety (90) minutes) for two (2) years to be reported to the Board on a quarterly basis; the disciplinary supervisor must have had training and experience within a deaf community and needs to demonstrate they have had some training providing psychological services to the hearing impaired; or in lieu of the disciplinary supervision the licensee may accept a restriction of practice not to engage in treatment for the hearing impaired; 4) Fine of $1,500.00 to be paid within thirty (30) days of the executed Consent Agreement; and 5) Provide a copy of the Consent Agreement to any current employer or prospective employer related to the practice of psychology. If the proposed consent agreement is not accepted or renegotiated to the Board’s satisfaction, then staff is authorized to set the matter for hearing. Motion carried, Complaint Officer Collins recused.

2014 PSY 10402
Collins recused and left the room.
In a motion by Davis, seconded by Dawson, to dismiss 2014 PSY 10402 based on insufficient evidence of a violation of the Board’s Laws and Rules. Motion carried, Collins and Complaint Officer Sattin recused.

2014 PSY 10501
Collins recused and left the room.
In a motion by Davis, seconded by Dawson, to dismiss 2014 PSY 10501 based on insufficient evidence of a violation of the Board’s Laws and Rules. Motion carried, Collins and Complaint Officer Sattin recused.

2014 PSY 10369
Collins and Davis recused and left the room.
In a motion by Dawson, seconded by Sattin, to table complaint number 2014 PSY 10369 for more information. Motion carried, Collins, Davis and Complaint Officer Sattin recused.

2014 PSY 10403
Collins recused and left the room.
In a motion by Davis, seconded by Dawson, to dismiss 2014 PSY 10403 based on insufficient evidence of a violation of the Board’s Laws and Rules. Motion carried, Collins and Complaint Officer Sattin recused.

2014 PSY 10500
Collins recused and left the room.
In a motion by Davis, seconded by Melquist, to dismiss 2014 PSY 10500 based on insufficient evidence of a violation of the Board’s Laws and Rules. Motion carried, Collins and Complaint Officer Sattin recused.

2014 PSY 10516
Collins recused and left the room.
In a motion by Davis, seconded by Melquist, to dismiss 2014 PSY 10516 based on insufficient evidence of a violation of the Board’s Laws and Rules. Motion carried, Collins and Complaint Officer Sattin recused.
2014 PSY 10245
Collins recused and left the room.

In a motion by Davis, seconded by Melquist, to dismiss 2014 PSY 10245 based on insufficient evidence of a violation of the Board’s Laws and Rules. Motion carried, Collins and Complaint Officer Sattin recused.

2013 PSY 9536 – Quarterly Report
In a motion by Davis, seconded by Collins, to approve the second quarterly report as presented in the matter of 2013 PSY 9536 sending a letter to the supervisor expressing concerns with this report as the report reflects clinical supervision not disciplinary supervision and request evidence that the supervisor is reviewing written documents that address professional standards of the practice of psychology, relevant to the violations identified in the Consent Agreement. Motion withdrawn.

In a motion by Melquist, seconded by Collins to 1) deny the second quarterly report as presented in the matter of 2013 PSY 9636 and for the Board Chair, Davis to draft a letter of clarity to the supervisor as to what the Board is looking for regarding the content of the quarterly reports and remind the supervisor that it is their responsibility to bring deficiencies to the Board and not wait to put deficiencies in the quarterly report and 2) extend the disciplinary supervision for a period of three (3) months. Motion carried.

Correspondence
Brett Valette regarding limited practice in the State notification
The Board discussed the correspondence and agrees that the content of the letter meets the requirements of the Board of Examiners of Psychologists and requests staff to send the individual the application/form to be completed.

Andrew Wisch regarding disciplinary action
The Board discussed the correspondence and has no response.

Application Presentations
Quynn Morehouse, PS1451
In a motion by Melquist, seconded by Sattin, to accept staff’s recommendation and grant licensure to Quynn Morehouse, PS1451, pending the passing of the Maine jurisprudence examination. Motion carried.

Kathleen Long, PS1445
In a motion by Sattin, seconded by Melquist, to accept staff’s recommendation and grant licensure to Kathleen Long, PS1445, pending the passing of the Maine jurisprudence examination. Motion carried.

Helen Levine, PS1440
In a motion by Sattin, seconded by Collins, to accept staff’s recommendation and grant licensure to Helen Levine, PS1440, pending the passing of the Maine jurisprudence examination. Motion carried.
Kacey Lane, PS1447
In a motion by Collins, seconded by Melquist to accept staff’s recommendation and grant licensure to Kacey Lane, PS1447, pending the passing of the EPPP and the Maine jurisprudence examinations. Motion carried.

Sarah Gray, PS1452
In a motion by Dawson, seconded by Collins to accept staff’s recommendation and grant licensure to Sarah Gray, PS1452, pending the passing of the Maine jurisprudence examination. Motion carried.

Peggy Crawford, PS1449
In a motion by Dawson, seconded by Collins to accept staff’s recommendation and grant licensure to Peggy Crawford, PS1449 pending the passing of the Maine jurisprudence examination. Motion carried.

Loren Bush, PS1450
In a motion by Dawson, seconded by Collins, to accept staff’s recommendation and grant licensure to Loren Bush, PS1450. Motion carried.

Lorraine Zamudio, TP1453
In a motion by Melquist, seconded by Dawson, to accept staff’s recommendation and grant licensure to Lorraine Zamudio, TP1453. Motion carried.

Kristen Heil, PS1454
In a motion by Sattin, seconded by Melquist to accept staff’s recommendation and grant licensure to Kristen Heil, PS1454 pending receipt of the EPPP examination score report and the passing of the Maine jurisprudence examinations. Motion carried.

Administrator’s Report
Chair Davis spoke on LD1158; an Act To Improve the Ability of Mental Health Professionals To Assess the Risk of Suicide; LD52; An Act To Amend the Health Care Practitioner Transparency Requirements and LD622 An Act To Require Training of Mandated Reporters under the Child Abuse Laws. Chair Davis encourages Board Members to review these documents if they have not already and provide comments, if any to Administrator Betts.

ADJOURN
There being no further business Collins motioned to adjourn at 1:30 p.m., seconded by Sattin. Motion carried.