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Nursing Home Administrators Licensing Board 35 STATE HOUSE STATION

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> Anne L. Head Commissioner

Nursing Home Administrators Licensing Board Public Board Meeting

Minutes of January 24, 2024, Board Meeting

Members Present: Lori Pomelow

Others Present: Holly Poirier, Board Manager, Elizabeth Stivers, AAG; Tammy

Reed, Board Clerk; Candice Wright, Consumer Assistance and Hearing Coordinator, Kristin Racine – OPOR Deputy Director

Members via Zoom: Megan Stiles – Complaint Officer, Andrea Otis-Higgins

Members Absent: Phillip Hickey, Peter Sirois

CALL TO ORDER

Holly Poirier, Board Manager, called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL

Megan Stiles made a motion to approve the November 29, 2023 minutes as written. Andrea Otis-Higgins seconded the motion.

Vote: 3 in favor

COMPLAINT ITEM

2019-NHA-15575

2022-NHA-18519

Tabled due to lack of quorum for a vote.

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APPLICATION REVIEW

Erin M. Proctor Hartt, RCA2995

Megan Stiles made a motion to approve offer a consent agreement. Lori Pomelow seconded the motion.

Vote: 3 in favor

PROPOSED RULEMAKING

- 1. Chapter 1: Definitions and Replace with Chapter 20: Definitions
- 2. Chapter 2: Nursing Home Administrators and Replace with Chapter 22: Administrator-in-Training Program for Multi-level Long Term Care Facility Administrators
- **3.** Chapter 3: Residential Care Facility Administration and Replace with Chapter 26: Licensure of Residential Care Facility Administrators
- **4.** Chapter 4: Multi-Level Long Term Care Facility Administrators and Replace with Chapter 23: Multi-level Long Term Care Facility Administrators: Licensure by Examination
- **5.** Chapter 5: Licensing and Replace with Chapter 25: Licensure of Nursing Home Administrators
- **6.** Chapter 7: Temporary Licenses and Replace with Chapter 27: Temporary Licensure of Administrators
- 7. Chapter 8: Continuing Education and Replace with Chapter 28: License Renewal, Continuing Education and Inactive Status
- **8.** Chapter 9: Advisory Rulings and Replace with Chapter 21: Advisory Rulings
- 9. Chapter 11: Code of Ethics and Replace with Chapter 30: Code of Ethics
- 10. Chapter 29: Approval of Preceptor Training Programs
- 11. Repeal Chapter 6: Endorsement
- 12. Repeal Chapter 10: Fees

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CHAIR'S REPORT

None.

ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

None.

OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT

Lori Pomelow made a motion adjourn at 10:15 am, Andrea Otis-Higgins seconded the motion.

Vote: 3 in favor.

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