# **GEORGIA BOARD OF PHARMACY**

Conference Call
2 Peachtree Street, NW, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor
Atlanta, GA 30303
December 15, 2021
9:00 a.m.

The following Board members were present:

Michael Brinson, President Dean Stone, Vice-President

Carrie Ashbee Michael Azzolin Young Chang Cecil Cordle Chuck Page

Bill Prather

Staff present:

Eric Lacefield, Executive Director Dennis Troughton, Director, GDNA

Michael Karnbach, Deputy Director, GDNA Max Changus, Assistant Attorney General

Kimberly Emm, Attorney

Brandi Howell, Business Support Analyst

**Visitors:** 

Gabriel Ramirez

Becca Hallum, Georgia Hospital Association

#### **Open Session**

President Brinson established that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m.

Mr. Lacefield asked the visitors on the call to send an email via the "Contact Us" portal on the website if he/she would like his/her name reflected as being in attendance in the minutes.

#### **Approval of Minutes**

Vice-President Stone made a motion to approve the Public and Executive Session minutes from the November 17, 2021, Conference Call, with the changes noted. Mr. Chang seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

#### **Report of Licenses Issued**

Mr. Chang made a motion to ratify the list of licenses issued. Vice-President Stone seconded, and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

#### **Petitions for Rule Waiver or Variance**

Mr. Page made a motion to grant the rule petitions submitted by U Save It Pharmacy #21, PHRE009885, Carolina Infusion, PHNR000514, Palmetto Isotopes, PHNR000515, and Pro Therapy Supplies, LLC, PHDME000239. Vice-President Stone seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

#### **Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency – Dennis Troughton**

Director Troughton reported that GDNA conducted 1062 inspections and received 239 complaints for FY2022.

#### Attorney General's Report - Max Changus

Mr. Changus reported that the deadline for states to respond to the Federal Memorandum of Understanding had been extended. Mr. Changus thanked Mr. Stephen Snow of keeping the Board informed of updates.

#### Executive Director's Report – Eric Lacefield

**Continuing Education Report:** Report presented. Mr. Prather made a motion to ratify the below continuing education programs approved since the previous meeting. Mr. Page seconded, and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

Date of Program	Hours	Sponsoring Group	Program Title	CE Code
12/02/2021	0.5	Kaiser	Teaching Non-Clinical Skills	2021-0018
		Permanente		
12/02/2021	1	Kaiser	BIO-LOGICAL:	2021-0019
		Permanente	Understanding the role of	
			Biologics in the Treatment of	
			Plaque Psoriasis	

**January 2022 Meeting:** Mr. Lacefield reminded the board members and members of the public that the January meeting would be held at South University in Savannah. He advised that it is an inperson meeting only.

#### <u>Legal Services – Kimberly Emm</u>

No report.

#### Miscellaneous

**Officer Elections:** President Brinson stated this topic would be discussed at the end of the meeting in Open Session.

## **Rules Discussion**

Rule 480-2-.04 Examinations: Mr. Prather inquired if a rule could be amended before the law was changed. Ms. Emm responded that O.C.G.A. § 26-4-41(b)(3) states in part, "...a person shall not take the examination more than three times without permission from the board." She added that the rule amendment will permit a limit of five (5) attempts. Mr. Changus commented that the law sets the backstop and the rule states that it is the Board's discretion to allow up to five (5) attempts.

President Brinson inquired if the Board needed to vote to post the rule amendment. Ms. Emm responded by stating that if the rules were where the Board wanted them to be, it would vote to post. She added that after the Board voted to post, the rules would be sent to Mr. Changus for legal authority and then a public hearing would be scheduled. Mr. Lacefield commented that this was the time for the Board to have discussion on these rules if there was any to be had.

Rule 480-15-.02 Registration of Pharmacy Technicians: President Brinson requested clarification regarding the portion of the amendment which states, "On and after July 1, 2023, as a requirement for the biennial renewal of his/her registration, a pharmacy technician must complete not less than twenty (20) hours of approved continuing education." Ms. Emm stated that as of the next biennium, every pharmacy technician would be under this requirement and would report those credits for the 2025 renewal.

Mr. Prather inquired as to how the Board currently checked continuing education for pharmacists. Mr. Lacefield responded by stating that there is a question on the renewal application that asks if the licensee is in compliance with the continuing education requirements. He added that if the licensee answered 'no', board staff would request additional information. Mr. Lacefield stated that a post-renewal audit of such has not been conducted.

Monitoring and auditing of continuing education credits was discussed. Ms. Ashbee stated that she would research to see how surrounding states monitored its licensees. Mr. Changus commented that this issue has been discussed by several boards. He stated that CE Broker was utilized by the Georgia Composite Medical Board. Mr. Changus stated that the Board could request a presentation if it was interested in such. Mr. Lacefield stated that the Board of Dentistry was currently looking into the same issue. He further stated that he would forward Ms. Ashbee the information on the companies the Board of Dentistry had spoken with. Mr. Cordle stated that he has contacts on the Florida Board and would partner with Ms. Ashbee or reach out to the Florida Board directly.

There being no further discussion, Mr. Azzolin made a motion to post Rule 480-2-.04 Examinations, Rule 480-15-.02 Registration of Pharmacy Technicians, Rule 480-2-.05 Reciprocity, Rule 480-2-.06 Temporary Licenses, and Rule 480-28-.10 Loss or Theft of Controlled Substances. Ms. Ashbee seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

#### Rule 480-2-.04. Examinations

- (1) For licensure, an individual must successfully pass the NAPLEX, and jurisprudence examination approved by the Board and a practical examination approved by the Board.
  - (a) An individual is not eligible to take the examinations for licensure until such individual has graduated from an approved college or school of pharmacy and has completed all internship requirements.
- (2) The NAPLEX examination is made available throughout the year, with the jurisprudence and practical-portions of the examinations being given at specified times. Applications must be in the Board office in accordance with the deadlines established by the Board.
  - (a) Candidates for a Georgia license are required to make a minimum grade of 75 on the NAPLEX examination. Applicants are also required to obtain a minimum score of 75 on the Georgia Practical examination, and a minimum score of 75 on the jurisprudence examination. A score of less than 70 on any section of the Georgia practical examination invalidates all the scores from that administration of the Georgia Practical examination; and
  - (b) Candidates will be permitted a maximum of five (5) attempts to successfully pass the NAPLEX examination and a maximum of five (5) attempts to successfully pass the approved jurisprudence examination. Approval will not be provided for more than five (5) attempts for either examination.
- (3) The Board will provide reasonable accommodation to a qualified applicant with a disability in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The request for an accommodation by an individual with a disability must be made in writing and received in the Board's office by the application deadline along with appropriate documentation, as indicated in the Request for Disability Accommodation Guidelines.

## Rule 480-2-.05. Reciprocity

- (a) In order for a pharmacist currently licensed in another jurisdiction to obtain a license as a pharmacist from the Board, an applicant shall:
  - (1) Complete an applicant form supplied by the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy (NABP) to apply for licensure with the Georgia State Board of Pharmacy. This application should be filed with NABP, and then with the Board for further review by the Board and an investigation by the Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency (GDNA), if necessary. If so requested, an applicant must produce evidence satisfactory to the Board or the GDNA which shows the applicant has the age, moral character, background, education, and experience demanded of applicants for registration by examination under O.C.G.A. 26-4 and by this chapter.
  - (2) Have attained the age of majority;
  - (3) Be of good moral character;

- (4) Have possessed at the time of initial licensure as a pharmacist, all qualifications necessary to have been eligible for licensure at that time in this state;
- (5) Have presented to the Board proof of initial licensure by examination and proof that such license is in good standing;
- (6) Have presented to the board proof that any other license granted to the applicant by any other state is not currently suspended, revoked, or otherwise restricted for any reason except nonrenewal or for the failure to obtain the required continuing education credits in any state where the applicant is currently licensed, but not engaged in the practice of pharmacy;
- (7) Have successfully passed a jurisprudence examination approved by the Board on Georgia's pharmacy laws and Board regulations, and a practical examination approved by the Board;
- (8) If requested by the Board, have personally appeared for an interview with a member of the Board;
- (9) Have paid the fees specified by the Board.
- (b) No applicant may be granted a license by reciprocity if that person has failed the examination for licensure as a pharmacist in this state.
- (c) No applicant shall be eligible for reciprocity unless the state in which the applicant is licensed as a pharmacist also grants license reciprocity to pharmacist duly licensed by examination in this state under like circumstances.

#### Rule 480-2-.06. Temporary Licenses

- (1) As used in this rule:
  - (a) "Military" means the United States armed forces, including the National Guard;
  - (b) "Military spouse" means a spouse of a service member or transitioning service member;
  - (c) "Pharmacy resident" means a graduate who received a professional degree from a college or school approved by the board, as provided for in Rule 480-2-.02, who has been accepted for a post-graduate clinical training position in this State;
  - (d) "Service member" means an active or reserve member of the United States armed forces, including the National Guard;
  - (e) "Transitioning service member" means a member of the military on active\_duty status or on separation leave who is within 24 months of retirement or 12 months of separation.
- (2) Temporary licenses for service members, transitioning service members, and military spouses.
  - (a) A service member may qualify for a temporary pharmacist license by examination where the applicant:
    - 1. Has submitted a completed application for licensure by examination on a form approved by the Board, paid the requisite fee, and requested a temporary license:
    - 2. Has graduated and received a professional degree from a college or school approved by the board, as provided for in Rule 480-2-.02;
    - 3. Has completed an internship program approved by the Board, as provided for in Rule 480-2-.03; and
    - 4. Has successfully passed the NAPLEX.
  - (b) A service member, transitioning service member, or military spouse may qualify for a temporary pharmacist license by reciprocity where the applicant:
    - 1. Has completed an applicant form supplied by the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy (NABP) to apply for licensure with the Georgia State Board of Pharmacy. This application should be filed with NABP, and then with the Board for further review by the Board and an investigation by the

Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency (GDNA), if necessary. If so requested, an applicant must produce evidence satisfactory to the Board or the GDNA which shows the applicant has the age, moral character, background, education, and experience demanded of applicants for registration by examination under O.C.G.A. 26-4 and by this chapter;

- 2. Has presented to the board proof that any other license granted to the applicant by any other state is not currently suspended, revoked, or otherwise restricted for any reason except nonrenewal or for the failure to obtain the required continuing education credits in any state where the applicant is currently licensed, but not engaged in the practice of pharmacy;
- 3. Has successfully passed the NAPLEX;
- 4. Has paid the requisite fee, is eligible for the practical examination, and has requested a temporary license; and
- 5. Holds a license from another state for which the training, experience, and testing substantially meet or exceed the requirements under this State to obtain a pharmacist license; and if the applicant is a service member or transitioning service member, has obtained a specialty, certification, training, or experience in the military while a service member which substantially meets or exceeds the requirements to obtain a license in this state.
- (c) Any temporary license issued to a service member, transitioning service member, or military spouse shall be valid for a period of six months from the date of issuance of the license and shall expire at the end of the six\_month period or upon the passage of the practical examination and issuance of a permanent license, whichever is earlier.
- (3) Temporary licenses for pharmacy residents.
  - (a) A pharmacy resident may apply for temporary pharmacist licensure where the applicant has:
    - 1. Has submitted a completed application for licensure on a form approved by the Board, paid the requisite fee, and requested a temporary license;
    - 2. Has attained the age of majority;
    - 3. Has completed an internship program approved by the Board, as provided for in Rule 480-2-.03; and
    - 4. Has submitted evidence that the applicant has been accepted for a pharmacy resident position in this state.
  - (b) Any temporary license issued to a pharmacy resident shall expire at the end of the month following the third Board meeting conducted after the issuance of such license and may not be reissued or renewed.
- (4) All other temporary licenses.
  - (a) An applicant may qualify for temporary pharmacist licensure where the applicant has:
    - 1. Has submitted a completed application for licensure on a form approved by the Board and paid the requisite fee;
    - 2. Has attained the age of majority;
    - 3. Has graduated and received a professional degree from a college or school approved by the board, as provided for in Rule 480-2-.02;
    - 4. Has completed an internship program approved by the Board, as provided for in Rule 480-2-.03; and
    - 5. Has submitted evidence of an emergency situation justifying such temporary license.
  - (b) Any temporary license issued to a pharmacy resident shall expire at the end of the month following the third Board meeting conducted after the issuance of such license and may not be reissued or renewed.

## 480-15-.02. Registration of Pharmacy Technicians and Continuing Education Requirements

- (a1) Effective August 1, 2011, a pharmacy may only employ registered pharmacy technicians to perform pharmacy technician duties.
- (b2) In order to be registered as a Pharmacy Technician in this State, an applicant shall:
  - (4a) Submit an application to the Board on the form prescribed by the Board;
  - (2b) Attest that applicant is at least 17 years old;
  - (3c) Attest that applicant is currently enrolled in high school, or has a high school diploma, or has a GED, or has a postsecondary education or college degree;
  - (4<u>d</u>) Consent to, provide the necessary information to conduct, and pay for a background check to be conducted by the Board, its agent or a firm or firms approved by the Board, which background check will include a criminal history, driver license history and other information as the Board deems necessary, and will authorize the Board and the Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency to receive the results;
  - $(\underline{5e})$  Submit the name and address of employer and place of employment;
  - $(\underline{6}\underline{f})$  Pay application fees; and
  - (7g) If certified, submit evidence of training supporting designation as certified.
- (e3) The Board may deny registration or conditionally grant registration for any of the reasons set forth in Code sections 26-4-60 or 43-1-19. This includes convictions, pleas of nolo contendere and guilty pleas related to misdemeanor crimes of moral turpitude or marijuana and to felonies. In addition, no pharmacist whose license has been denied, revoked, suspended, or restricted for disciplinary purposes shall be eligible to be registered as a pharmacy technician.
- (d4) The denial of an application for registration as a pharmacy technician shall not be a contested case and the applicant shall not be entitled to a hearing under the Georgia Administrative Procedures Action, O.C.G.A. T. 50, Ch. 13, but such applicant may be entitled to an appearance before the Board.
- (e5) A registration, once issued, is renewable biennially, upon payment of a fee. Registrations shall expire on June 30th of each odd-numbered year. If the application for renewal is not made and the fee paid before September 1st of the odd-numbered year, the registration shall lapse and shall not be renewed. An application for a new registration shall be required.
- (6) On and after July 1, 2023, as a requirement for the biennial renewal of his/her registration, a pharmacy technician must complete not less than twenty (20) hours of approved continuing education.
  - (a) "Approved continuing education" means courses approved by the Board as described in rule 480-3-.03.
  - (b) One hour of C.E. is defined as 0.1 C.E.U. Each pharmacy technician in the State of Georgia must obtain 20 hours of continuing education or 2.0 C.E.U.'s per biennium for registration renewal.
    - Certificates documenting 20 hours of approved continuing education or 2.0
       C.E.U.'s must be completed and dated within the biennium.
  - (c) A pharmacy technician registered before or during the first six (6) months of the biennium (January to June), shall be required to obtain 20 hours of C.E. A pharmacy technician registered during the following twelve (12) months (June to July) shall be required to obtain 10 hours of C.E. A pharmacy technician registered during the last six (6) months of the biennium shall be exempt from continuing education for that biennium only.
  - (d) In the event of an audit and a pharmacy technician fails to submit certificates, which document his/her required continuing education credits, the Board will not process his/her request to renew the registration until the continuing education requirements are provided to the Board.
    - 1. The pharmacy technician may not carry over continuing education credits from one registration period to the next.

- Nothing is meant to prohibit representatives from the Georgia Drugs and
   Narcotics Agency (GDNA) from assisting, auditing, or verifying a pharmacy technician's continuing education certificates as needed.
- 3. Each registered pharmacy technician shall maintain these certificates of attendance at continuing education meetings for a period of two (2) years from the date of the preceding renewal period.
- (e) The staff of the Georgia Board of Pharmacy may audit, or otherwise select randomly, the continuing education of a percentage of registrants as determined by the Board.
- (£7) A registrant has a responsibility to update the Board with a change of home address and employment address within ten (10) days of such change.

#### Rule 480-28-.10. Loss or Theft of Controlled Substances

- (1) A loss or theft of any controlled substance drugs must, within 48 hours of discovery, be reported to the Board, Drug Enforcement Administration and the GDNA. A written report on DEA Form 106 must be made regarding any theft or loss of any controlled substances. The original and one copy of the report must be sent to the Board, Drug Enforcement Administration and one copy must be sent to the GDNA (40 Pryor Street, #2000, Atlanta, GA 30303) within ten (10) days of the initial receipt of DEA Form 106. The report shall include the following information:
  - (a) Full name and address of practitioner;
  - (b) The practitioner's DEA registration number;
  - (c) The date of theft;
  - (d) The type of theft;
  - (e) A list of cost codes, or identification symbols on package(s) stolen; and
  - (f) A list of controlled substances missing.
- (2) A written report must be made regarding any theft or significant loss, as defined under 21

  C.F.R. 1301.76, of controlled substances by completing a DEA Form 106 and submitted to the Drug Enforcement Administration, with a copy to the GDNA.
- (3) The report shall include the following information:
  - (a) Full name and address of practitioner;
  - (b) The practitioner's DEA registration number;
  - (c) The date of theft;
  - (d) The type of theft;
  - (e) A list of cost codes, or identification symbols on package(s) stolen; and
  - (f) A list of controlled substances missing.

A motion was made by Vice-President Stone, seconded by Mr. Page, and the Board voted that the formulation and adoption of these rule amendments does not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed rule cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of the relevant code sections.

In the same motion, the Board also voted that it is not legal or feasible to meet the objectives of the relevant code sections to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed at O.C.G.A § 50-13-4(a)(3)(A), (B), (C) and (D). The formulation and adoption of these rule amendments will impact every licensee in the same manner, and each licensee is independently licensed, owned and operated and dominant in the field of pharmacy.

Vice-President Stone made a motion and Mr. Page seconded, and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19(h) and § 43-1-2(h) to deliberate and to receive information on applications, investigative reports, and the Assistant Attorney General's report. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Carrie Ashbee, Michael Azzolin, Michael Brinson, Young Chang, Cecil Cordle, Chuck Page, Bill Prather, and Dean Stone.

#### **Executive Session**

#### Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency – Dennis Troughton

No report.

# Cognizant's Report - Dean Stone

- GDNA Case # A33992
- GDNA Case # B33565
- GDNA Case # A33735
- GDNA Case # A33923
- GDNA Case # B34013
- GDNA Case # A33952
- GDNA Case # A33941
- GDNA Case # A33873
- GDNA Case # A33982
- GDNA Case # A33981
- GDNA Case # B33896
- GDNA Case # B33916
- GDNA Case # A34014
- GDNA Case # A34030
- GDNA Case # B33967
- GDNA Case # A33997
- GDNA Case # B33961
- GDNA Case # B33895
- GDNA Case # B33592
- GDNA Case # B33897
- GDNA Case # B33908
- GDNA Case # B33943
- GDNA Case # B33963
- GDNA Case # B33927
- GDNA Case # B33962
- GDNA Case # T34049

## **Attorney General's Report – Max Changus**

Mr. Changus presented the following consent orders for acceptance:

- S.P.I.
- C.G.M.
- C.D.C.
- P.P.J.C.
- C.V.S.P.
- M.P.
- J.R.A.

Mr. Changus discussed the following case:

• R.D.C.

## **Executive Director's Report – Eric Lacefield**

No report.

# **Legal Services – Kimberly Emm**

No report.

# **Applications**

- R.N.P.
- L.D.W.
- M.A.J.
- S.E.L.
- C.X.W.
- L.R.D.
- M.L.
- W.E.
- J.W.H.
- L.D.

# **Correspondences/Requests**

- P.P.A.P.
- M.V.
- P.H.P.
- I.R.
- P.P.S.
- E.P.I.
- C.P.
- A.A.
- O.
- S.
- W.P.N.
- A.I.S.
- R.P.
- M.P.
- B.E.T.P.
- M.H.P.
- M.H.P.
- M.H.P.
- V.R.D.
- E.M.S.I.M.
- E.M.
- F.V.S.
- M.P.
- M.M.S.S.
- P.M.P.
- S.H.P.S.
- S.P.S.
- S.P.S.
- S.P.S.
- T.H.D.G.
- L.M.W.
- C.A.T.
- P.P.S.

- P.T.S.
- P.H.P.
- J.W.
- C.O.O.
- S.S.M.

No votes were taken in Executive Session. President Brinson declared the meeting back in Open Session.

## **Open Session**

Vice-President Stone made a motion for the Board to take the following actions:

# <u>Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency – Dennis Troughton</u>

No report.

## Cognizant's Report - Dean Stone

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<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A33992</li> </ul>	Accept Private Interim Consent Order
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33565</li> </ul>	Refer to the Department of Law
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A33735</li> </ul>	Close with letter of concern
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A33923</li> </ul>	Refer to the Department of Law
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B34013</li> </ul>	Misfill Policy #1
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A33952</li> </ul>	Null and void permit
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A33941</li> </ul>	Refer to the Department of Law
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A33873</li> </ul>	Refer to the Department of Law
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A33982</li> </ul>	Refer to the Department of Law
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A33981</li> </ul>	Refer to the Department of Law
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33896</li> </ul>	Misfill Policy #1
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33916</li> </ul>	Misfill Policy #1
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A34014</li> </ul>	Refer to the Department of Law
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A34030</li> </ul>	Refer to the Department of Law
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33967</li> </ul>	Misfill Policy #1
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # A33997</li> </ul>	Null and void permit
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33961</li> </ul>	Close case with no action
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33895</li> </ul>	Close case with no action
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33592</li> </ul>	Close case with no action
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33897</li> </ul>	Close case with no action
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33908</li> </ul>	Close case with no action
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33943</li> </ul>	Close case with no action
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33963</li> </ul>	Close case with no action
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # B33927</li> </ul>	Close case with no action
• GDNA Case # B33962	Close case with no action
<ul> <li>GDNA Case # T34049</li> </ul>	Revoke Technician Registration

# <u>Attorney General's Report – Max Changus</u>

Mr. Changus presented the following consent orders for acceptance:

•	S.P.I.	Public Consent Order accepted
•	C.G.M.	Private Consent Order accepted
•	C.D.C.	Private Consent Order accepted
•	P.P.J.C.	Public Consent Order accepted

• C.V.S.P. Public Consent Order to be accepted and signed with express

permission upon receipt of the original

• M.P. Public Consent Order to be accepted and signed with express

permission upon receipt of the original

• J.R.A. Public Consent Order to be accepted and signed with express

permission upon receipt of the original

Mr. Changus discussed the following case:

• R.D.C. Accept counterproposal

#### **Executive Director's Report – Eric Lacefield**

No report.

## <u>Legal Services – Kimberly Emm</u>

No report.

## **Applications**

• R.N.P.	Pharmacy Technician	Approved for registration
• L.D.W.	Pharmacy Technician	Approved for registration
• M.A.J.	Pharmacy Technician	Approved for registration
• S.E.L.	Pharmacy Technician	Denied registration
• C.X.W.	Pharmacy Technician	Approved for registration
• L.R.D.	Pharmacist Intern	Approved for reinstatement with an expiration date of 12/31/2024
• M.L.	Pharmacist Intern	Approved application
• W.E.	Pharmacist Intern	Approved request for extension
• J.W.H.	Pharmacist Reciprocity	Approved application
• L.D.	Research Pharmacy	Approved application

## **Correspondences/Requests**

•	P.P.A.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	M.V.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	P.H.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	I.R.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	P.P.S.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	E.P.I.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	C.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	A.A.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	O.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	S.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	W.P.N.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	A.I.S.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	R.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	M.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	B.E.T.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	M.H.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	M.H.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	M.H.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	V.R.D.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	E.M.S.I.M.	Notice of Discipline	No action

•	E.M.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	F.V.S.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	M.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	M.M.S.S.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	P.M.P.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	S.H.P.S.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	S.P.S.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	S.P.S.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	S.P.S.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	T.H.D.G.	Notice of Discipline	No action
•	L.M.W.	Request to terminate probation	Approved request effective 01/09/2022
•	C.A.T.	Request to terminate probation	Approved request
•	P.P.S.	Request to terminate probation	Approved request
•	P.T.S.	Request for waiver of application fee	Denied request
•	P.H.P.	Request for reduction of reinstatement fees	Denied request
•	J.W.	Request for appearance	Denied request
•	C.O.O.	Request for 4 <sup>th</sup> attempt to retake MPJE	Approved request
•	S.S.M.	Request for 4 <sup>th</sup> attempt to retake MPJE	Approved request

Mr. Page seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

**Election of Officers:** Mr. Page made a motion for Vice-President Stone to serve as President. Ms. Ashbee seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

Vice-President Stone made a motion for Mr. Azzolin to serve as Cognizant and Vice-President. Mr. Chang seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

**January 2022 Meeting:** Mr. Lacefield commented that South University will provide the members with pastries, coffee, and boxed lunches with salad at the January 2022 in person meeting.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 10:58 a.m.

The next scheduled meeting of the Georgia Board of Pharmacy will be held on Wednesday, January 19, 2022, at 9:00 a.m., at South University School of Pharmacy, 709 Mall Blvd, Room 306/308, Savannah, Georgia 31406.

Minutes recorded by Brandi Howell, Business Support Analyst I Minutes edited by Eric Lacefield, Executive Director