

TEXAS MEDICAL RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY BOARD

LICENSURE COMMITTEE

MEETING MINUTES

November 10, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 9:35 a.m. by Committee Chair Jennifer C. Flanagan, MRT. Committee members present were Nicholas M. Beckmann, M.D., Anthony “Tony” Jaso, and Carol Waddell, MRT.

Agenda Item 4 - Discussion, recommendation and possible action regarding possible revision to parameters for active practice. Ms. Tuthill discussed the options that the committee has historically taken on applicants with issues related to active practice. **Following discussion, the Committee directed that the updated matrix for certain applicants with active practice issues be delegated to staff as outlined the chart included with these minutes.**

Agenda Item 5 - Discussion, recommendation and possible action regarding Executive Director approvals related to criminal history. Ms. Tuthill discussed the mandatory referrals to the Committee related to applicants with a criminal history. **Following discussion, the Committee directed staff to accept the changes to the mandatory referrals to the Committee as outlined in the chart included with these minutes.**

Agenda Item 2 - Applicants appearing concerning eligibility.

Applicant #2109 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Dr. Beckmann moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within a 12 month period:**

- **Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.**
- **Issuance of a six month Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist supervised temporary certificate with the following conditions: The supervised temporary certificate will have an expiration date that will allow the applicant to obtain at least 20 hours a week supervised practice for at least 20 weeks in a 6-month period**

subject to the following restrictions: that the applicant work full time, only in setting that provides continuous full-time, on-site supervision by a certified Medical Radiologic Technologist or licensed practitioner, as defined under Chapter 601 Texas Occupations Code; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit quarterly reports regarding the applicant's work performance; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit, two weeks prior to the temporary certificate expiring, a log showing time worked and an evaluation regarding the applicant's work performance. If the reports are favorable, the applicant can be considered for full certification at the next regularly scheduled licensing date. If the reports are not favorable, the applicant will be required to reappear before the Licensure Committee. If the applicant's supervised temporary certificate expires prior to the applicant's appearance before the Committee, board staff is directed to extend the supervised temporary certificate to accommodate the applicant.

This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Ms. Waddell seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2110 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Ms. Waddell moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within a 12 month period:**

- **Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.**
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This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Dr. Beckmann seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2116 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Ms. Jaso moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within a 12 month period:**

- **Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.**
- **Issuance of a six month Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist supervised temporary certificate with the following conditions: The supervised temporary certificate will have an expiration date that will allow the applicant to obtain at least 20 hours a week supervised practice for at least 20 weeks in a 6-month period subject to the following restrictions: that the applicant work full time, only in setting that provides continuous full-time, on-site supervision by a certified Medical Radiologic Technologist or licensed practitioner, as defined under Chapter 601 Texas Occupations Code; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit quarterly reports regarding the applicant's work performance; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit, two weeks prior to the temporary certificate expiring, a log showing time worked and an evaluation regarding the applicant's work performance. If the reports are favorable, the applicant can be considered for full certification at the next regularly scheduled licensing date. If the reports are not favorable, the**

applicant will be required to reappear before the Licensure Committee. If the applicant's supervised temporary certificate expires prior to the applicant's appearance before the Committee, board staff is directed to extend the supervised temporary certificate to accommodate the applicant.

This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Dr. Beckmann seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2104 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Dr. Beckmann moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within a 12 month period:**

- **Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.**
- **Issuance of a six month Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist supervised temporary certificate with the following conditions: The supervised temporary certificate will have an expiration date that will allow the applicant to obtain at least 20 hours a week supervised practice for at least 20 weeks in a 6-month period subject to the following restrictions: that the applicant work full time, only in setting that provides continuous full-time, on-site supervision by a certified Medical Radiologic Technologist or licensed practitioner, as defined under Chapter 601 Texas Occupations Code; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit quarterly reports regarding the applicant's work performance; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit, two weeks prior to the temporary certificate expiring, a log showing time worked and an evaluation regarding the applicant's work performance. If the reports are favorable, the applicant can be considered for full certification at the next regularly scheduled licensing date. If the reports are not favorable, the applicant will be required to reappear before the Licensure Committee. If the applicant's supervised temporary certificate expires prior to the applicant's appearance before the Committee, board staff is directed to extend the supervised temporary certificate to accommodate the applicant.**

This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Mr. Jaso seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2103 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Ms. Waddell moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within a 12 month period:**

- **Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.**
- **Issuance of a six month Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist supervised temporary certificate with the following conditions: The supervised temporary certificate will have an expiration date that will allow the applicant to obtain at least 20 hours a week supervised practice for at least 20 weeks in a 6-month period subject to the following restrictions: that the applicant work full time, only in setting that provides continuous full-time, on-site supervision by a certified Medical Radiologic Technologist or licensed practitioner, as defined under Chapter 601 Texas Occupations Code; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit quarterly reports regarding the applicant's work performance; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit, two weeks prior to the temporary certificate expiring, a log showing time worked and an evaluation regarding the applicant's work performance. If the reports are favorable, the applicant can be considered for full certification at the next regularly scheduled licensing date. If the reports are not favorable, the applicant will be required to reappear before the Licensure Committee. If the applicant's supervised temporary certificate expires prior to the applicant's appearance before the Committee, board staff is directed to extend the supervised temporary certificate to accommodate the applicant.**

This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Mr. Jaso seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2111 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Ms. Waddell moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within a 12 month period:**

- **Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.**
- **Issuance of a six month Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist supervised temporary certificate with the following conditions: The supervised temporary certificate will have an expiration date that will allow the applicant to obtain at least 20 hours a week supervised practice for at least 20 weeks in a 6-month period subject to the following restrictions: that the applicant work full time, only in setting that provides continuous full-time, on-site supervision by a certified Medical Radiologic Technologist or licensed practitioner, as defined under Chapter 601 Texas Occupations Code; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit quarterly reports regarding the applicant's work performance; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit, two weeks prior to the temporary certificate expiring, a log showing time worked and an evaluation regarding the applicant's work performance. If the reports are favorable, the applicant can be considered for full certification at the next regularly scheduled licensing date. If the reports are not favorable, the applicant will be required to reappear before the Licensure Committee. If the applicant's supervised temporary certificate expires prior to the applicant's appearance before the Committee, board staff is directed to extend the supervised temporary certificate to accommodate the applicant.**

This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Dr. Beckmann seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2079 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Mr. Jaso moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the**

applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within a 12 month period:

- Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.
- Issuance of a six month Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist supervised temporary certificate with the following conditions: The supervised temporary certificate will have an expiration date that will allow the applicant to obtain at least 20 hours a week supervised practice for at least 20 weeks in a 6-month period subject to the following restrictions: that the applicant work full time, only in setting that provides continuous full-time, on-site supervision by a certified Medical Radiologic Technologist or licensed practitioner, as defined under Chapter 601 Texas Occupations Code; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit quarterly reports regarding the applicant's work performance; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit, two weeks prior to the temporary certificate expiring, a log showing time worked and an evaluation regarding the applicant's work performance. If the reports are favorable, the applicant can be considered for full certification at the next regularly scheduled licensing date. If the reports are not favorable, the applicant will be required to reappear before the Licensure. If the applicant's supervised temporary certificate expires prior to the applicant's appearance before the Committee, board staff is directed to extend the supervised temporary certificate to accommodate the applicant.

This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Ms. Waddell seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2100 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Ms. Waddell moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within an 18 month period:**

- Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.

- Issuance of a twelve month Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist supervised temporary certificate with the following conditions: The supervised temporary certificate will have an expiration date that will allow the applicant to obtain at least 20 hours a week supervised practice for at least 40 weeks in a 12-month period subject to the following restrictions: that the applicant work full time, only in setting that provides continuous full-time, on-site supervision by a certified Medical Radiologic Technologist or licensed practitioner, as defined under Chapter 601 Texas Occupations Code; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit quarterly reports regarding the applicant's work performance; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit, two weeks prior to the temporary certificate expiring, a log showing time worked and an evaluation regarding the applicant's work performance. If the reports are favorable, the applicant can be considered for full certification at the next regularly scheduled licensing date. If the reports are not favorable, the applicant will be required to reappear before the Licensure Committee. If the applicant's supervised temporary certificate expires prior to the applicant's appearance before the Committee, board staff is directed to extend the supervised temporary certificate to accommodate the applicant.

This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Dr. Beckmann seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2077 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Dr. Beckmann moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within an 18 month period:**

- Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.
- Issuance of a twelve month Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist supervised temporary certificate with the following conditions: The supervised temporary certificate will have an expiration date that will allow the applicant to obtain at least 20 hours a week supervised practice for at least 40 weeks in a 12-month period

subject to the following restrictions: that the applicant work full time, only in setting that provides continuous full-time, on-site supervision by a certified Medical Radiologic Technologist or licensed practitioner, as defined under Chapter 601 Texas Occupations Code; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit quarterly reports regarding the applicant's work performance; the supervising Medical Radiologic Technologist or practitioner shall submit, two weeks prior to the temporary certificate expiring, a log showing time worked and an evaluation regarding the applicant's work performance. If the reports are favorable, the applicant can be considered for full certification at the next regularly scheduled licensing date. If the reports are not favorable, the applicant will be required to reappear before the Licensure Committee. If the applicant's supervised temporary certificate expires prior to the applicant's appearance before the Committee, board staff is directed to extend the supervised temporary certificate to accommodate the applicant.

This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Mr. Jaso seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2101 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Ms. Waddell moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within an 18 month period:**

- **Provide proof of completion of at least 24 hours of continuing education units to maintain ARRT certification.**
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This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. **Dr. Beckman seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2102 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Mr. Jaso moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon confirmation of resolution with the Texas Physician Health Program (TXPHP). Dr. Beckmann seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2093) appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Ms. Waddell moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a temporary Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate. Ms. Waddell further stated that should the applicant apply for a full Texas Medical Radiologic Certificate and any new issues are discovered during the application process the applicant will be required to reappear before the Committee. Mr. Jaso seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2078 appeared before the Committee on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Mr. Jaso moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a temporary Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate. Dr. Beckmann seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2113 failed to appear before the Committee. Dr. Beckmann and Ms. Flanagan announced their recusal from consideration and voting for this applicant. Following discussion, Mr. Jaso moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist certificate contingent upon the following conditions within a 12 month period:

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This recommendation is due to the applicant's time out of practice as a Medical Radiologic Technologist prior to application. Ms. Waddell seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.

Agenda Item 3 - Proposed licensure agreed orders or remedial plans offered by the Executive Director. Ms. Johnston reported on 7 remedial plans offered by the Executive Director and accepted by applicants. **Mr. Jaso moved that the 7 remedial plans be approved. Ms. Waddell seconded. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Agenda Item 6 - There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:40 a.m.

Agenda Item 03 – Proposed orders offered by the Executive Director

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<u>Applicant #</u>	<u>Type of Application</u>	<u>Type of Order</u>
2069	Medical Radiologic Technologist	Remedial Plan
2071	Temporary Limited Medical Radiologic Technologist	Remedial Plan
2072	Temporary Limited Medical Radiologic Technologist	Remedial Plan
2095	Medical Radiologic Technologist	Remedial Plan
2107	Medical Radiologic Technologist	Remedial Plan
2121	Medical Radiologic Technologist	Remedial Plan
2129	Non Certified Radiologic Technician	Remedial Plan