

TEXAS BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARE
PRACTICE AUTHORIZATION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
September 27, 2018

The meeting was called to order 9:34 a.m. by Chair, Latana T. Jackson, RCP. Committee members present were Timothy R. Chappell, M.D. and Shad J. Pellizzari, RCP. Committee members not present were Joe Ann Clack and Debra E. Patrick, RCP.

Agenda Item 2 - Discussion, recommendation and possible action regarding applicants appearing concerning eligibility.

Applicant #2236 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. Chappell moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted reinstatement of a Respiratory Care Practitioner certificate subject to an Agreed Order due to the applicant's unprofessional conduct, past disciplinary action, submitting a false statement to the Board and time out of practice.**

- **The Agreed Order will have the following conditions:**
 - **The Agreed Order will be in force for a period of 2 years from the date of the entry of the Agreed Order.**
 - **Completion of 11 hours of continuing education within 60 days**
 - **Completion of 2 hours of continuing education in the topic of Ethics.**
 - **Random drug testing**
 - **Attend and provide proof of bi-weekly Alcoholic Anonymous meetings.**
 - **Practice under the supervision of a Texas-licensed supervising physician/practitioner or Texas-licensed supervising Respiratory Care Practitioner.**

Mr. Pellizzari seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.

Applicant #2233 appeared before the Committee with counsel, Franklin Hopkins, on referral by the Executive Director. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. Following discussion, **Dr. Chappell moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Temporary Respiratory Care Practitioner certificate. Mr. Pellizzari seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Applicant #2234 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. Chappell moved that the committee recommend to the full Board that the applicant be granted a Respiratory Care Practitioner certificate subject to an Agreed Order due to the applicant's unprofessional conduct, conviction of a felony, and time out of practice.**

- **The Agreed Order will have the following conditions:**
 - **Completion of 4 hours of continuing education in the topic of Ethics within 12 months from the date of the entry of the Agreed Order.**
 - **Practice under the supervision of a Texas-licensed supervising physician/practitioner or Texas-licensed supervising Respiratory Care Practitioner for a period of 12 months.**
 - **The Agreed Order will automatically terminate once the applicant has complied with the conditions of the order.**

Mr. Pellizzari seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.

Agenda Item 3. Discussion, recommendation and possible action regarding proposed orders offered by the Executive Director. Ms. Johnston reported on **1 Remedial Plan** offered by the Executive Director and accepted by applicant. **Dr. Chappell moved to recommend to the full Board that the 1 Remedial Plan be approved. Mr. Pellizzari seconded. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Agenda Item 4 - There being no further business, Dr. Chappell moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Pellizzari seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 10:33 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>
2222	Certification as a Respiratory Care Practitioner	Remedial Plan