



OFFICIAL BOARD MINUTES FOR JULY 25, 2017 PUBLIC HEARING

The South Dakota Board of Social Work Examiners convened at 11:00 AM MT on Tuesday, July 25, 2017 on the DDN, to consider the amendment of the following Board of Social Work Examiners rules:

§§ 20:59:01:04.01, 20:59:01:10.06, 20:59:01:10.08, 20:59:02:03.03, 20:59:02:04, 20:59:02:05, 20:85:01:01 through 20:85:01:09, inclusive, 20:85:02:01, 20:85:02:02.

The effects of the rules will be to update the Code of Ethics to the most recent version, repeal temporary license fees, repeal the rules related to social work by equivalency pursuant to HB 1013 (2015), and establish rules for licensing Behavior Analysts pursuant to SB 190 (2015).

DDN Sites

Pierre-CAP A Room B12- 500 E. Capitol
Yankton DHS, Kanner Bldg, 3113 N Spruce
Sioux Falls, SFUC FADM 145 – 4801 N. Career Ave.
Spearfish-BHSU, LIB 011- 1200 University St
Burke High School-900 Washington St.
Brookings-SDSU1 SPC203-101 Pugsley Cnt Room 203
Phone Line Bridge

Members Present: Todd Herrboldt, President
 Karen Chesley, Member
 Jennifer Gray, Member
 Michael Forgy, Member
 Sharon Stratman, Member
 Cindy Steele, Lay Member

Members Absent: David Nielsen, Secretary/Treasurer

Others Present: Carol Tellinghuisen, Executive Secretary; Jill Lesselyoung, Executive Assistant; Brooke Tellinghuisen-Geddes, Executive Assistant; Carrie Srstka, Assistant Attorney General; Robert McCarthy, Senior Policy Analyst, DSS; Teresa Schulte, Administrative Law Judge, DSS; Mark Quasney, Budget Analyst, SD Bureau of Finance Management; Christine Knapp, NASW; Vicki Isler, Lisa Stanley, ABA Advisory Committee Members; Amber Bruns, Jason Dybsetter, SD Association for Behavior Analysis.

President Herrboldt opened the Public Hearing at 11:13 AM MT. The Board proceeded to discuss the rules and accept public comment. There was no comment from those present, but a letter was submitted to the Board office from Lacy Knutson, an independent member of the behavior analyst community. Lesselyoung read the letter to those present at the hearing that voiced concerns about the fee structure and asking the Board to reconsider the fee structure for initial application and licensure of behavior analysts in South Dakota. Dybsetter advised that the

Page (2)-South Dakota Board of Social Work Examiners

Board meeting minutes July 25, 2017 Public Hearing

SD Association for Behavior Analysis had no official statement to give. Following discussion, the Board agreed to leave the fee structure as written and previously voted on by the Board. The Board feels the fees are within the statutory authority and necessary to cover the proposed cost of licensing Behavior Analysts. Herrboldt made the point that many people have contributed to this cause in their own ways, stating his employer still pays his wages for time served on the Board, even though their intentions are for him to serve the social work profession. The Board discussed the options for moving forward with the rules with Schulte and Srstka. Herrboldt closed the public hearing at 11:47 AM MT.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Carol Tellinghuisen", is displayed on a light yellow rectangular background.

Carol Tellinghuisen
Executive Secretary