

**MINUTES
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE
MARCH 21, 2018**

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Charles D. Miles, M.D., West Point, President
Claude Brunson, M.D. Jackson, Vice President
J. Ann Rea, M.D., Secretary, Columbus, Secretary
David W. McClendon, Jr., M.D., Ocean Springs

ALSO PRESENT:

Stan T. Ingram, Complaint Counsel for the Board
Heather P. Wagner, Special Assistant Attorney General
Rhonda Freeman, Director, Licensure Division
Leslie Ross, Director of Investigations
Jonathan Dalton, Investigations Supervisor
Frances Carrillo, Staff Officer

The Executive Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure met on Wednesday, March 21, 2018, at 9:02 a.m. in the Board Room of the Office of the Board located at 1867 Crane Ridge Drive, Jackson, Mississippi.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY BRADLEY CARNELL SAMS, M.D., OCEAN SPRINGS, MS, MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER: 16666

Dr. Sams joined the meeting and was not represented by legal counsel. Dr. Sams executed a written agreement for this informal meeting, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

Following introductions, a motion was made by Dr. Rea, seconded by Dr. Brunson and carried, that the Executive Committee meeting be closed to discuss whether to enter into executive session for the purpose of continuing investigative proceedings related to allegations of possible misconduct.

A motion was made by Dr. Brunson, seconded by Dr. Rea and carried that the Executive Committee enter into Executive Session. Dr. Miles announced the Executive Committee would enter into executive session and Dr. Sams was asked to join the Executive Committee in Executive Session.

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Upon a motion by Dr. Brunson, seconded by Dr. Miles and carried the Executive Committee came out of executive session at which time Dr. Miles asked Dr. Rea to report on any action taken. Dr. Rea advised that the Executive Committee will make a recommendation to the full Board that this investigation be closed and that no further action be taken.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY DANG TUE HUU NGUYEN, M.D., OXFORD, MS, APPLICANT

Dr. Nguyen joined the meeting and was not represented by legal counsel. Dr. Nguyen executed a written agreement for this informal meeting, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

Following introductions, Dr. Miles advised Dr. Nguyen why he had been invited to discuss his application for a permanent Mississippi medical license. Dr. Nguyen was asked to briefly summarize his activities for the last two years.

A motion was made by Dr. Brunson, seconded by Dr. Rea and carried that the Executive Committee meeting be closed to discuss whether to enter into executive session for the purpose of conducting investigative proceedings regarding allegations of misconduct related to the admission to Dr. Nguyen to practice medicine in Mississippi.

A motion was made by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Rea and carried that the Executive Committee enter into executive session. Dr Miles announced that the Executive Committee would enter into executive session.

Dr. Nguyen was asked to join the Executive Committee in executive session.

Upon a motion by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Brunson and carried the Executive Committee came out of executive session, at which time Dr. Miles asked Dr. Rea to report on any action taken. Dr. Rea advised that Executive Committee will make a recommendation to the full Board to continue review of licensure application with referral of Dr. Nguyen to the Mississippi Physician Health Program.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY KEITH SCOTT COOPER, M.D., PASCAGOULA, MS MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER: 13038

Dr. Cooper joined the meeting and was represented by legal counsel, Earl Denham. Dr. Cooper executed a written agreement for this informal meeting, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

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Following introductions, Dr. Miles advised Dr. Cooper that he had been invited to discuss his APRN collaboration, record keeping and prescribing habits.

A motion was made by Dr. Brunson, seconded by Dr. Rea and carried that the Executive Committee meeting be closed to discuss whether to enter into executive session to conduct further investigatory proceedings related to alleged misconduct as described above.

A motion was made by Dr. Brunson, seconded by Dr. Rea and carried that the Executive Committee enter into executive session. Dr. Miles announced that the Executive Committee would enter into executive session and Dr. Cooper was asked to join the Executive Committee in executive session accompanied by his attorney.

Upon a motion by Dr. Brunson, seconded by Dr. Miles and carried, the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session at which time Dr. Miles asked Dr. Rea to report on any actions taken. Dr. Rea advised that the Executive Committee will make a recommendation to the full Board is that Licensee shall be required to obtain Board approved CME in the area of prescribing and boundaries within the next twelve (12) months.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY WALTER DAVID SMITH, M.D., GAINESVILLE, FL, APPLICANT

Dr. Smith joined the meeting and was not represented by legal counsel. Dr. Smith executed a written agreement for this informal meeting, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

Following introductions, Dr. Miles advised Dr. Smith he had been invited to discuss his application for a permanent license. Dr. Smith answered questions by the Board regarding his residency training in psychiatry and charges pertaining to domestic violence involving his ex-spouse.

A motion was made by Dr. Brunson, seconded by Dr. Rea and carried that the Executive Committee meeting be closed to discuss whether to enter into executive session to conduct further investigation into allegations of misconduct.

A motion was made by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Rea and carried that the Executive Committee enter into executive session. Dr. Miles announced that the Executive Committee would enter into executive session and Dr. Smith was asked to join the Executive Committee in executive session.

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Upon a motion by Dr. Brunson, seconded by Dr. Miles and carried the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session, at which time Dr. Miles asked Dr. Rea to report any action taken. Dr. Rea advised that the Executive Committee will make a recommendation to the full Board that Licensee's application for licensure be accepted pending his evaluation and receipt of recommendations by the Mississippi Physician Health Program.

DR. BRUNSON EXITED THE MEETING AND DR. MCCLENDON ARRIVED AT 11:00 AM

**PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY ARTURO ENRIUQE BLANCO, M.D., CLINTON, MS
MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER: 19620**

Dr. Blanco joined the meeting and was represented by legal counsel, Johnny Chapman. Dr. Blanco executed a written agreement for this informal meeting, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

Following introductions, Dr. Miles advised Dr. Blanco he had been invited to discuss his collaboration of his APRN and prescribing.

A motion was made by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Rea and carried that the Executive Committee meeting be closed to discuss whether to enter into executive session for the purpose of conducting further investigation into allegations of misconduct.

A motion was made by Dr. Rea, seconded by Dr. Miles and carried that the Executive Committee enter into executive session. Dr. Miles announced that the Executive Committee would enter into executive session.

Dr. Blanco and his counsel were asked to join the Executive Committee in executive session.

Upon a motion by Dr. Rea seconded by Dr. Miles and carried the Executive Committee came out of executive session at which time Dr. Miles asked Dr. Rea to report on any actions taken. Dr. Rea advised that the Executive Committee will make a recommendation to the full Board that Licensee be evaluated by the Mississippi Physician Health Program; that Licensee is to obtain Board approved CME in Ethics, medical record keeping, boundaries and prescribing; that licensee shall not collaborate with any mid-level provider or prescribe schedule II controlled substances until such time as he has completed the MPHP evaluation and CME; and that any evaluation and training required be completed within twelve (12) months at which time he may reappear before the Board for the lifting of restrictions. The Executive Committee further recommended that these stipulations be prepared as a Consent Order, and be presented to Licensee for execution.

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PERSONAL APPEARANCE AKWASI ASIAMA AMPONSAH, M.D., HATTIESBURG, MS, MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER 17488

Dr. Amponsah joined the meeting and was represented by legal counsel, Matt Tyrone. Dr. Amponsah executed a written agreement for this informal meeting, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

Following introductions, Dr. Miles advised Dr. Amponsah he had been invited to discuss his prescribing of medications.

A motion was made by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Rea and carried that the Executive Committee meeting be closed to discuss whether to enter into executive session to conduct investigatory proceedings into allegations of misconduct.

A motion was made by Dr. Rea, seconded by Dr. McClendon and carried that the Executive Committee enter into executive session. Dr. Miles announced that the Executive Committee would enter into executive session.

Dr. Amponsah and his counsel were asked to join the Executive Committee in Executive Session.

Upon a motion by Dr. Rea seconded by Dr. Miles and carried the Executive Committee came out of executive session at which time Dr. Miles asked Dr. Rea to report on any actions taken. Dr. Rea advised that the Executive Committee decided to make a recommendation to the full Board that Licensee be evaluated by the Mississippi Physician Health Program; that Licensee shall discontinue treating addiction and pain management patients by the end of six (6) months; and, that Licensee shall transfer addiction and pain management patients to another provider. The Executive Committee further recommended that a Consent Order be prepared with these stipulations and presented to Licensee for execution.

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REVIEW OF MARCH 22, BOARD AGENDA

The agenda for the Board Meeting was briefly discussed.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 12:46 p.m.



Charles D. Miles, MD
President

Minutes taken and transcribed

By Frances Carrillo

Staff Officer

March 21, 2018

**AGREEMENT TO APPEAR INFORMALLY BEFORE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
BY CURRENT LICENSEE**

I, **Bradley Carnell Sams, M.D.**, have been asked to appear informally before the Executive Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure (hereinafter "Board") to discuss issues which may relate to my practice and possible the grounds, if any, for disciplinary action, and possible resolution of the same. It is the purpose of the informal meeting to discuss the facts of the case, to give me an opportunity to ask questions of the Committee or its staff, and to give the Committee or its staff an opportunity to ask questions of me. Because the meeting is informal, no disciplinary action will be taken without my express written consent. In so doing, I have been advised and understand the following:

1. During the meeting, the Executive Committee may or may not be represented by legal counsel. Notwithstanding, I understand that I have a right, if I so choose, to employ legal counsel and have counsel present during the informal meeting.
2. I authorize the Committee Members to review and examine any statements, documentary evidence, or materials concerning the possible grounds for disciplinary action against my license.
3. Because the purpose of my appearance is to avoid a hearing before the Board, I agree that presentation to and consideration by the Committee of any facts, matters, and documents pertaining to my case shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Committee members from further participation or consideration in the event a formal hearing is later conducted. Stated differently, in the event the pending matter is not resolved following my appearance before the Committee, I will not object to any of the Committee members from further participating in subsequent meetings or hearings that may be conducted in relation to this matter.
4. By signing my name in the space provided below, I hereby authorize the Executive Committee to proceed with the informal appearance, subject to the stipulations and understandings as noted above. I have elected to proceed:

with legal counsel present (name of counsel: _____)

without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 24 day of March, 2018.

LICENSEE: _____

WITNESS: _____

Executive Session

Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure

Date: March 21, 2018

AGENDA ITEM: Personal Appearance by Bradley Carnell Sams, M.D., Lic. No.: 16666

MOTION:

After investigation, this matter is closed, however it is the strong recommendation that licensee take ethics and prescribing CME courses.

<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR:</u>	<u>AGAINST:</u>	<u>ABSTAIN:</u>	<u>ABSENT:</u>
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X	___	___	___
Claude D. Brunson, M.D.	X	___	___	___
J. Ann Rea, M.D.	X	___	___	___

MADE BY: Dr. Miles

SECONDED BY: Dr. Brunson

Check One (1):

- Public Action
- Disciplinary Action
- License Restriction
- No Action

**If the action is a restriction, language must be added that the licensee may not collaborate or supervise mid-level providers*



Charles D. Miles, M.D., President

**AGREEMENT TO APPEAR INFORMALLY BEFORE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
BY APPLICANT FOR LICENSURE**

I, **Dang Tue Huu Nguyen, M.D.**, have requested an opportunity to appear informally before the Executive Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure (hereinafter "Board") to discuss my pending application for a Mississippi medical license, the current investigation being conducted by the Board, possible grounds for denial, and possible resolution of the matter. It is the purpose of the informal meeting to discuss the facts of the case, to give me an opportunity to ask questions of the Committee or its staff, and to give the Committee or its staff an opportunity to ask questions of me. Because the meeting is informal, no disciplinary action will be taken without my express written consent. In so doing, I have been advised and understand the following:

1. During the meeting, the Executive Committee may or may not be represented by legal counsel. Notwithstanding, I understand that I have a right, if I so choose, to employ legal counsel and have counsel present during the informal meeting.
2. I authorize the Committee Members to review and examine any statements, documentary evidence, or materials concerning the possible grounds for denial of licensure during my informal appearance.
3. Because the purpose of my appearance is to avoid a hearing before the Board, I agree that presentation to and consideration by the Committee of any facts, matters, and documents pertaining to my case shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Committee members from further participation or consideration in the event a formal show cause hearing is later conducted. Stated differently, in the event the pending matter is not resolved following my appearance before the Committee, I will not object to any of the Committee members from further participating in subsequent meetings or hearings that may be conducted in relation to this matter.
4. By signing my name in the space provided below, I hereby authorize the Executive Committee to proceed with the informal appearance, subject to the stipulations and understandings as noted above. I have elected to proceed:

with legal counsel present (name of counsel: _____)

without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 21 day of March, 2018.

Licensee:  _____

Witness: _____

Executive Session

Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure

Date: March 21, 2018

AGENDA ITEM: Personal Appearance by Dang Tue Huu Nguyen, M.D, Applicant

MOTION:

Continuing review of application with recommendation of referral to MPHP

<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR:</u>	<u>AGAINST:</u>	<u>ABSTAIN:</u>	<u>ABSENT:</u>
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X	_____	_____	_____
Claude D. Brunson, M.D.	X	_____	_____	_____
J. Ann Rea, M.D.	X	_____	_____	_____

MADE BY: Dr. Miles

SECONDED BY: Dr. Brunson

Check One (1):

- Public Action
- Disciplinary Action
- License Restriction
- No Action

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Charles D. Miles, M.D., President

**AGREEMENT TO APPEAR INFORMALLY BEFORE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
BY CURRENT LICENSEE**

I, **Kevin Scott Cooper, M.D.**, have been asked to appear informally before the Executive Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure (hereinafter "Board") to discuss issues which may relate to my practice and possible the grounds, if any, for disciplinary action, and possible resolution of the same. It is the purpose of the informal meeting to discuss the facts of the case, to give me an opportunity to ask questions of the Committee or its staff, and to give the Committee or its staff an opportunity to ask questions of me. Because the meeting is informal, no disciplinary action will be taken without my express written consent. In so doing, I have been advised and understand the following:

1. During the meeting, the Executive Committee may or may not be represented by legal counsel. Notwithstanding, I understand that I have a right, if I so choose, to employ legal counsel and have counsel present during the informal meeting.
2. I authorize the Committee Members to review and examine any statements, documentary evidence, or materials concerning the possible grounds for disciplinary action against my license.
3. Because the purpose of my appearance is to avoid a hearing before the Board, I agree that presentation to and consideration by the Committee of any facts, matters, and documents pertaining to my case shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Committee members from further participation or consideration in the event a formal hearing is later conducted. Stated differently, in the event the pending matter is not resolved following my appearance before the Committee, I will not object to any of the Committee members from further participating in subsequent meetings or hearings that may be conducted in relation to this matter.
4. By signing my name in the space provided below, I hereby authorize the Executive Committee to proceed with the informal appearance, subject to the stipulations and understandings as noted above. I have elected to proceed:

with legal counsel present (name of counsel: Earl Denham)

without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 21st day of March, 2018.

LICENSEE:



WITNESS:

Executive Session

Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure

Date: March 21, 2018

AGENDA ITEM: Personal Appearance by Kevin Scott Cooper M.D., Lic. No.: 13038

MOTION:

Recommended to take courses in prescribing and boundaries at Board approved sites within the next twelve (12) months.

<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR:</u>	<u>AGAINST:</u>	<u>ABSTAIN:</u>	<u>ABSENT:</u>
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X	___	___	___
Claude D. Brunson, M.D.	X	___	___	___
J. Ann Rea, M.D.	X	___	___	___

MADE BY: Dr. Brunson

SECONDED BY: Dr. Miles

Check One (1):

- Public Action
- Disciplinary Action
- License Restriction
- No Action

**If the action is a restriction, language must be added that the licensee may not collaborate or supervise mid-level providers*



Charles D. Miles, M.D., President

**AGREEMENT TO APPEAR INFORMALLY BEFORE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
BY APPLICANT FOR LICENSURE**

I, **Walter David Smith, M.D.**, have requested an opportunity to appear informally before the Executive Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure (hereinafter "Board") to discuss my pending application for a Mississippi medical license, the current investigation being conducted by the Board, possible grounds for denial, and possible resolution of the matter. It is the purpose of the informal meeting to discuss the facts of the case, to give me an opportunity to ask questions of the Committee or its staff, and to give the Committee or its staff an opportunity to ask questions of me. Because the meeting is informal, no disciplinary action will be taken without my express written consent. In so doing, I have been advised and understand the following:

1. During the meeting, the Executive Committee may or may not be represented by legal counsel. Notwithstanding, I understand that I have a right, if I so choose, to employ legal counsel and have counsel present during the informal meeting.
2. I authorize the Committee Members to review and examine any statements, documentary evidence, or materials concerning the possible grounds for denial of licensure during my informal appearance.
3. Because the purpose of my appearance is to avoid a hearing before the Board, I agree that presentation to and consideration by the Committee of any facts, matters, and documents pertaining to my case shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Committee members from further participation or consideration in the event a formal show cause hearing is later conducted. Stated differently, in the event the pending matter is not resolved following my appearance before the Committee, I will not object to any of the Committee members from further participating in subsequent meetings or hearings that may be conducted in relation to this matter.
4. By signing my name in the space provided below, I hereby authorize the Executive Committee to proceed with the informal appearance, subject to the stipulations and understandings as noted above. I have elected to proceed:

with legal counsel present (name of counsel: _____)

without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 21 day of March, 2018.

Licensee: _____

Walter David Smith

Witness: _____

Executive Session

Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure

Date: March 21, 2018

AGENDA ITEM: Personal Appearance by Walter David Smith, M.D, Applicant

MOTION:

Recommendation that application for licensure be accepted pending evaluation by MPHP and their recommendations.

<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR:</u>	<u>AGAINST:</u>	<u>ABSTAIN:</u>	<u>ABSENT:</u>
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X	___	___	___
Claude D. Brunson, M.D.	X	___	___	___
J. Ann Rea, M.D.	X	___	___	___

MADE BY: Dr. Brunson

SECONDED BY: Dr. Miles

Check One (1):

- Public Action
- Disciplinary Action
- License Restriction
- No Action

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Charles D. Miles, M.D., President

**AGREEMENT TO APPEAR INFORMALLY BEFORE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
BY CURRENT LICENSEE**

I, **Arturo Enrique Blanco, M.D.**, have been asked to appear informally before the Executive Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure (hereinafter "Board") to discuss issues which may relate to my practice and possible the grounds, if any, for disciplinary action, and possible resolution of the same. It is the purpose of the informal meeting to discuss the facts of the case, to give me an opportunity to ask questions of the Committee or its staff, and to give the Committee or its staff an opportunity to ask questions of me. Because the meeting is informal, no disciplinary action will be taken without my express written consent. In so doing, I have been advised and understand the following:

1. During the meeting, the Executive Committee may or may not be represented by legal counsel. Notwithstanding, I understand that I have a right, if I so choose, to employ legal counsel and have counsel present during the informal meeting.
2. I authorize the Committee Members to review and examine any statements, documentary evidence, or materials concerning the possible grounds for disciplinary action against my license.
3. Because the purpose of my appearance is to avoid a hearing before the Board, I agree that presentation to and consideration by the Committee of any facts, matters, and documents pertaining to my case shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Committee members from further participation or consideration in the event a formal hearing is later conducted. Stated differently, in the event the pending matter is not resolved following my appearance before the Committee, I will not object to any of the Committee members from further participating in subsequent meetings or hearings that may be conducted in relation to this matter.
4. By signing my name in the space provided below, I hereby authorize the Executive Committee to proceed with the informal appearance, subject to the stipulations and understandings as noted above. I have elected to proceed:

with legal counsel present (name of counsel: Johnny Chapman)

without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 21 day of March, 2018.

LICENSEE:



WITNESS:



Executive Session

Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure

Date: March 21, 2018

AGENDA ITEM: Personal Appearance by Arturo Enrique Blanco, M.D., Lic. No.: 19620

MOTION:

Recommendation: Consent Order that licensee be evaluated by MPHP and obtain CME in Ethics, Medical Records, Boundaries, and Prescribing at Board approved sites. Until these are finished, he cannot collaborate with a mid-level provider or prescribe schedule II medications. These stipulations must be completed in twelve (12) months, at which time he may re-appear before the Board for lifting of restrictions.

<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR:</u>	<u>AGAINST:</u>	<u>ABSTAIN:</u>	<u>ABSENT:</u>
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X	_____	_____	_____
David McClendon, M.D.	X	_____	_____	_____
J. Ann Rea, M.D.	X	_____	_____	_____

MADE BY: Dr. Miles

SECONDED BY: Dr. Brunson

Check One (1):

- Public Action
- Disciplinary Action
- License Restriction
- No Action

**If the action is a restriction, language must be added that the licensee may not collaborate or supervise mid-level providers*



Charles D. Miles, M.D., President

**AGREEMENT TO APPEAR INFORMALLY BEFORE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
BY CURRENT LICENSEE**

I, **Akwasi Asiana Amponsah, M.D.**, have been asked to appear informally before the Executive Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure (hereinafter "Board") to discuss issues which may relate to my practice and possible the grounds, if any, for disciplinary action, and possible resolution of the same. It is the purpose of the informal meeting to discuss the facts of the case, to give me an opportunity to ask questions of the Committee or its staff, and to give the Committee or its staff an opportunity to ask questions of me. Because the meeting is informal, no disciplinary action will be taken without my express written consent. In so doing, I have been advised and understand the following:

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3. Because the purpose of my appearance is to avoid a hearing before the Board, I agree that presentation to and consideration by the Committee of any facts, matters, and documents pertaining to my case shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Committee members from further participation or consideration in the event a formal hearing is later conducted. Stated differently, in the event the pending matter is not resolved following my appearance before the Committee, I will not object to any of the Committee members from further participating in subsequent meetings or hearings that may be conducted in relation to this matter.
4. By signing my name in the space provided below, I hereby authorize the Executive Committee to proceed with the informal appearance, subject to the stipulations and understandings as noted above. I have elected to proceed:

with legal counsel present (name of counsel: MATT TYRONE)

without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 21 day of March, 2018.

LICENSEE: Akwasi Amponsah MD

WITNESS: _____

Executive Session

Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure

Date: March 21, 2018

AGENDA ITEM: Personal Appearance by Akwasi Asiama Amponsah, M.D., Lic. No.: 17488

MOTION:

Recommendation to the Board that licensee be evaluated by MPHP and that he discontinue treating addiction and pain management by the end of six (6) months' time to transfer patients to another provider. A consent order will be prepared to explain these and other orders.

<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR:</u>	<u>AGAINST:</u>	<u>ABSTAIN:</u>	<u>ABSENT:</u>
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X	___	___	___
David McClendon, M.D.	X	___	___	___
J. Ann Rea, M.D.	X	___	___	___

MADE BY: Dr. McClendon

SECONDED BY: Dr. Miles

Check One (1):

- Public Action
- Disciplinary Action
- License Restriction
- No Action

**If the action is a restriction, language must be added that the licensee may not collaborate or supervise mid-level providers*



Charles D. Miles, M.D., President