

MINUTES
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE
JULY 15, 2015

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Virginia M. Crawford, M.D., Hattiesburg, President
Charles D. Miles, M.D., West Point, Vice President
Rickey L. Chance, D.O., Ocean Springs, Secretary

ALSO PRESENT:

H. Vann Craig, M.D., Director
Stan T. Ingram, Complaint Counsel for the Board
Ellen O'Neal, Assistant Attorney General
Rhonda Freeman, Bureau Director, Licensure Division
Thomas Washington, Bureau Director, Investigative Division
Leslie Ross, Investigations Supervisor
Frances Carrillo, Special Projects Officer, Investigative Division
Mickey Boyette, Investigator, Investigative Division
Jonathan Dalton, Staff Officer, Investigative Division
Sherry H. Pilgrim, Staff Officer

The Executive Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure met on Wednesday, July 15, 2015, at 2:00 p.m. in the Board Room of the Office of the Board located at 1867 Crane Ridge Drive, Jackson, Mississippi.

**PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY GRACE MAHOWALD, M.D., BELMONT, MA,
APPLICANT**

Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Mahowald had been invited to appear before the Executive Committee to discuss why it took her eight (8) years and three (3) months to complete all the steps of the USMLE and to request a waiver.

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

After introductions, Dr. Craig briefly explained why Dr. Mahowald had been invited to appear and advised that she had the floor to explain her circumstances and request the waiver. Dr. Mahowald discussed her medical training and advised that she also received a PhD while in training and this caused most of the delay. Dr. Mahowald advised that she plans on working at UMMC.

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Following several questions, motion was made by Dr. Miles that sufficient information was presented that provides extenuating circumstances for a waiver to be granted. Dr. Chance seconded the motion and it carried.

Dr. Crawford thanked Dr. Mahowald for appearing today and advised that the Executive Committee's decision would be presented to the full Board on Thursday for approval and that Dr. Craig would notify her of their decision.

REQUEST FROM GARIC GRISBAUM, M.D., JEFFERSON, LA, APPLICANT

Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Grisbaum is an applicant for licensure and that it took him twenty (20) years to complete all the steps of the USMLE. Dr. Craig discussed a letter received from Dr. Grisbaum explaining that prior to his residency in Psychiatry that he was recruited by Tulane University to join their faculty and establish a new graduate program in Cell and Molecular Biology. Even though the experience at Tulane was beneficial, he still had the passion for Psychiatry and resumed his training as a physician completing his second year in residency at the Mississippi Gulf Coast Veterans Health Care System. He is scheduled to begin his third year in July. Dr. Craig advised that he had sent a letter requesting a waiver to the Board's seven (7) year rule.

Following several questions, motion was made by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Chance and carried that the evidence presented provides extenuating circumstances for a waiver to be granted.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY CHADLEY THOMAS VEGA, M.D., OXFORD, MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER 16878

Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Vega is an emergency room physician and that he had been invited to appear to address concerns with how he allows laser procedures to be handled by an RN, and that he basically is operating a free standing clinic without approval or a protocol.

Investigator Mickey Boyette addressed the Executive Committee and added that neither the Medical Board or Nursing Board have received paperwork for collaboration with an APRN. Dr. Michael Wilson is the owner of the clinic and he was to have submitted the paperwork, but neither agency has been provided a copy.

Dr. Vega joined the meeting and was represented by his attorney, Andrew Faggert. Dr. Vega had executed a written agreement for this informal meeting, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

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After introductions, Dr. Craig briefly explained why Dr. Vega had been invited to appear and advised that he had the floor to address the Board's concerns.

Dr. Vega addressed the Executive Committee and advised that he was told that the owner of the clinic, Dr. Michael Wilson, had taken care of all the paperwork. Dr. Vega advised that he was asked to be the medical director and to oversee the APRNs. Also, Dr. Vega advised that he did not check behind Dr. Wilson and stated that he did not read the Board's Rules and Regulations concerning collaborative relationships, which was his mistake.

Following several questions from the Executive Committee, Dr. Vega advised that he is no longer affiliated with the clinic in Oxford and that he is now working full time at the emergency room in New Albany. Dr. Vega stated that he has APRNs in the emergency room but has never signed a collaborative agreement but does sign off on their charts.

Motion was made by Dr. Chance, seconded by Dr. Miles, and carried that the Executive Committee enter into Executive Session to discuss a matter that could result in adverse action.

Upon a motion by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Crawford, and carried the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session at which time Dr. Crawford asked Dr. Chance to report on their decision. Dr. Chance advised that Dr. Vega will be issued a non-public letter of concern to include language clearly describing the Board's Rules and Regulations regarding meaningful collaborative relationships and our concern that his past collaborative relationships have been inadequate. Also, it is imperative that he ensure he understands his current relationship with APRNs in the emergency department. The Board's expectations are that we do not see him again regarding problems of any current or future collaborative agreements.

Dr. Crawford thanked Dr. Vega and his attorney for appearing today and advised that the Committee's decision will be recommended at the full Board on Thursday and that Dr. Craig will notify them of the decision.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY WILLIAM EARL OWENS, IV, M.D., CORINTH, MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER 18354

Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Owens had been invited to appear after the Board received a complaint from a pharmacy about Dr. Owens and his lack of control with prescribing, and problems with early refills. Dr. Craig advised that a medical assistant has a signature stamp and has stamped controlled substance prescriptions. Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Owen does not understand the concept of multiple prescriptions and

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was not putting a date on the prescriptions. Also, Dr. Craig advised that he was allowing his medical assistant to call in prescriptions for office employees with no documentation in their files. Dr. Craig advised that his record keeping is poor and that there were no pain management contracts signed.

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

After introductions, Dr. Craig briefly covered the reasons why he had been invited to appear before the Executive Committee and advised him the floor was his to address the issues.

Dr. Owens advised that he was unaware of some of the problems with his medical assistant until he was made aware by the Board. Dr. Owens addressed the signature stamp being used without his knowledge and that prescriptions had been called in for weight loss drugs without his knowledge.

Following questions from the Executive Committee, Dr. Owens was advised that he needs to run Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) reports on himself. Dr. Owens agreed and advised that he had fired the employee and was no longer seeing any of her family members. Dr. Owens advised that he will make sure that he does a better job of monitoring his employees. Also, Dr. Owens advised that the signature stamp is no longer in the office.

Motion was made by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Chance and carried that the Executive Committee enter into Executive Session to discuss a matter that could result in adverse action.

Upon a motion by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Crawford, the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session at which time Dr. Crawford asked Dr. Chance to report on their decision. Before Dr. Chance read the decision each member of the Executive Committee made comments to Dr. Owens relative to their concerns and his lack of control in his office. Dr. Chance advised that the Executive Committee will recommend to the full Board that Dr. Owens takes board approved courses in ethics, controlled substance prescribing and record keeping. Also, Dr. Owens will be required to return to the Executive Committee in six (6) months with documentation that he has completed the courses and at that time bring with him a record of the preceding three (3) months of his PMP data.

Dr. Crawford thanked Dr. Owens for appearing and advised that the Executive Committee will make their recommendation to the full Board on Thursday and then Dr.

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Craig will advise him of the final decision. Also, Dr. Crawford advised Dr. Owens that Frances Carrillo is the contact person for the board approved courses.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY WILLIAM D. LOGAN, JR., M.D., CARTHAGE, MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER 03214

Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Logan had been invited to appear before the Executive Committee to discuss an anonymous complaint about his prescribing for one (1) individual. Dr. Craig advised that this individual had eight (8) different prescribers of controlled medications that were filled at five (5) pharmacies during a one (1) year period of time. Dr. Craig had ordered a prescription monitoring report on the individual patient.

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

After introductions, Dr. Craig briefly discussed why Dr. Logan had been invited to appear and advised him that the floor was his to address the matter. Dr. Logan advised he is registered with the PMP and that he does use the system.

Following questions from the Executive Committee, Dr. Logan advised that he did not receive the information on this patient. Dr. Logan advised that the patient had been in an automobile accident and addressed some of the issues that occurred. Dr. Logan advised that he currently works in a primary care clinic in the hospital and that he works with two (2) other physicians and five (5) APRNs. Dr. Logan briefly addressed how he became involved with the patient.

Motion was made by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Chance, and carried that the Executive Committee enter into Executive Session to discuss a matter which could result in adverse action.

Upon a motion by Dr. Crawford, seconded by Dr. Chance and carried the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session at which time Dr. Crawford asked Dr. Chance to report on their decision. Dr. Chance advised that the Executive Committee recommends that Dr. Logan be issued a non-public letter of concern that requires him to successfully complete courses in controlled substance prescribing and record keeping. Additionally, Dr. Logan is to amend his practice to utilize the PMP on all patients for whom he prescribes controlled medications.

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Dr. Crawford thanked Dr. Logan for appearing today and advised him that the Executive Committee will make their recommendation to the full Board on Thursday and Dr. Craig will advise him of their decision.

**PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY JASON K. TAYLOR, M.D., CANTON, MISSISSIPPI
MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER 19180**

Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Taylor had been invited to appear before the Executive Committee today but with the recent events of the TRO from Matrix that he would not be appearing today.

**PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY TIMOTHY J. BEACHAM, M.D., GREENVILLE,
MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER 20443**

Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Beacham had requested to appear after being denied a free standing clinic application by the Collaboration Review Panel of the Board. Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Beacham is another one of the physicians associated with Comprehensive Pain Specialists (CPS).

Dr. Beacham joined the meeting and was represented by his attorney, Julie Mitchell. Dr. Beacham had executed a written agreement for this informal meeting, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

Before introductions, Stan Ingram, Complaint Counsel for the Board, asked Dr. Beacham if he had any problems with Dr. Easterling sitting in on his request even though he currently is not an Executive Committee member. Dr. Beacham advised that he had no problem with Dr. Easterling being present.

Dr. Craig advised Dr. Beacham that the floor was his to make his request. Dr. Beacham covered a proposal letter that he had sent to the Board outlining how he was planning on operating the clinic and the coverage. Dr. Beacham discussed how no one in the Cleveland area met the credentials required by the Board's Rules and Regulations. Ms. Mitchell advised that all the CPS locations support each other through their electronic system. Dr. Beacham advised the APRNs in Cleveland will only see followup patients when he is working in Greenville and will follow a plan of care that he has laid out. Dr. Beacham advised that he will be the only one providing injections and that he will sign off on every chart as he understands all the responsibility falls on him.

Following several questions from the Executive Committee, Dr. Crawford advised that she feels that this is a matter that needs to be decided by the full Board and asked Dr. Beacham if he would be willing to appear before the full Board on Thursday.

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Following a consensus by the Executive Committee, Dr. Beacham advised that he would be back around 10:00 a.m. Thursday to address the full Board.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE RECESSED FOR A BREAK AT 4:25 P.M. AND RETURNED AT 4:35 P.M.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE BY WILLIAM L. STRIEGEL, M.D., OCEAN SPRINGS, MISSISSIPPI MEDICAL LICENSE NUMBER 10164

Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Striegel had been invited to appear before the Executive Committee to discuss his collaboration with APRNs and the lack thereof. Dr. Craig advised that Dr. Striegel had been asked to bring documentation concerning his collaborative relationships.

Dr. Striegel joined the meeting and was represented by his attorney, Doug Mercier. Dr. Striegel had executed a written agreement for this informal meeting, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

After introductions, Dr. Craig briefly discussed the reasons why he had been invited to appear and advised him that the floor was his to address the Board's concerns.

Dr. Striegel discussed all the locations that he has which are mainly free standing clinics in casinos as well as his primary office. Dr. Striegel also advised how the backup coverage is currently structured and that anything complicated is sent to the emergency room. Dr. Striegel says that he now has a new office manager and that things are being handled properly.

The Executive Committee discussed a problem with one of the APRNs and the form used to allow her a DEA number as well as the fact that he had signed off on the form, which he advised that he did not remember doing. The Executive Committee discussed how Care 360 connects with e-prescribing and the problems that could easily occur and how his signature was allowing one of the APRNs to be writing prescriptions under his DEA number.

Following a brief discussion, motion was made by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Chance to enter into Executive Session to discuss a matter that could result in adverse action.

Upon a motion by Dr. Crawford, seconded by Dr. Miles, and carried the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session at which time Dr. Crawford asked Dr. Chance to report on their decision. Dr. Chance advised that the Executive

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Committee is concerned that there has been no meaningful collaboration with the APRNs and that this may have negatively impacted quality of care to patients. Dr. Chance advised that the Committee will recommend to the full Board that he be permitted to collaborate with APRNs in his office only until such time as he attends a board approved course which includes collaborative agreements with APRNs as a component.

Dr. Craig advised that the recommended course is with the Alabama Medical Board and that it currently is only offered once a year in April. Following a brief discussion and the possibility of options, motion was made by Dr. Chance, seconded by Dr. Miles, and carried that the Executive Committee re-enter Executive Session to discuss the options.

The Executive Committee returned and Dr. Crawford asked Dr. Chance to read the modification. Dr. Chance advised the Executive Committee will recommend to the full Board that he only collaborate in his office with APRNs until he attends a course relative to the matter. Frances Carrillo advised the PBI does customize courses per the Board's regulations and that she will contact them concerning the matter. Also, Dr. Crawford advised Dr. Striegel that he run a PMP report on himself.

REVIEW OF JULY 16, 2015, BOARD AGENDA

Dr. Craig briefly reviewed the agenda for tomorrow's meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:35 p.m.



Virginia M. Crawford, M.D.
President

Minutes taken and transcribed
by Sherry H. Pilgrim
Staff Officer
July 15, 2015

**AGREEMENT TO APPEAR INFORMALLY BEFORE BOARD
BY APPLICANT FOR LICENSURE**

I, **Grace Mahowald, MD**, have requested an opportunity to appear informally before 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 Board or its staff, and to give the Board 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 Board 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 Board 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 Board of any facts, matters, and documents pertaining to my case shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Board 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 Board, I will not object to any of the 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 Board 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: _____)

GM without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 15 day of July, 2015.

Witness:

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Grace Mahowald

APPLICANT

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BY CURRENT LICENSEE**

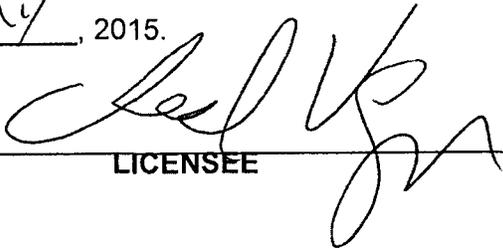
I, **Chadley Thomas Vega**, M.D., have been asked to appear informally before the Executive Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure (hereinafter "Board") to discuss issues which may relate to my practice and possible the grounds, if any, for disciplinary action, and possible resolution 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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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: Andrew Faggett)

without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 15 day of July, 2015.



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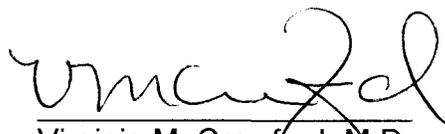
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AGENDA ITEM: Personal appearance by Chad Vega, M.D.

In a motion by Dr. Crawford, seconded by Dr. Miles, and carried the Executive Committee will recommend to the full Board that Dr. Vega be sent a non-public Letter of Concern with language clearly describing the Board's rules and regulations regarding meaningful collaborative relationships with APRNs. The Executive Committee's concern is that Dr. Vega's past collaborative relationships have been inadequate. It is also imperative that Dr. Vega ensures that he understanding his current relationships with APRNs in the emergency department. The Board's expectations are that we do not see Dr. Vega again regarding problems of any current or future collaborative agreements.

<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AGAINST</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Virginia M. Crawford, M.D.	X			
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X			
Rickey L. Chance, D.O.	X			

With a motion by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Crawford, the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session.


Virginia M. Crawford, M.D.
President

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BY CURRENT LICENSEE**

I, **William Earl Owens, IV**, 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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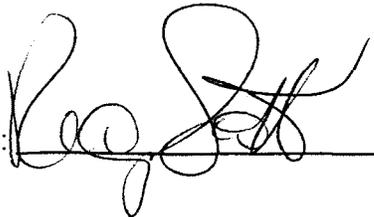
___ with legal counsel present (name of counsel: _____)

without legal counsel present

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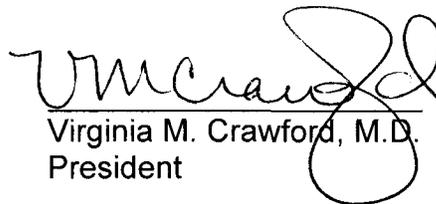
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AGENDA ITEM: Personal appearance by William E. Owens, IV, M.D.

In a motion by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Crawford, and carried the Executive Committee will recommend to the full Board that Dr. Owens takes board approved courses in ethics, controlled substance prescribing and record keeping. Dr. Owens is required to return to the Executive Committee in 6 months with documentation that he has completed the courses and at that time bring with him a copy of the preceding 3 months of his Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) data.

<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AGAINST</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Virginia M. Crawford, M.D.	X			
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X			
Rickey L. Chance, D.O.	X			

With a motion by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Crawford, the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session.


Virginia M. Crawford, M.D.
President

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BY CURRENT LICENSEE**

I, **William D. Logan, Jr**, 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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with legal counsel present (name of counsel: _____)

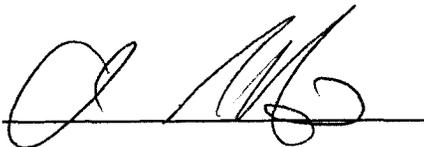
without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 15 day of 7-15, 2015.



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AGENDA ITEM: Personal appearance by William Logan, M.D.

In a motion by Dr. Miles, seconded by Dr. Crawford, and carried the Executive Committee will recommend to the full Board that Dr. Logan be issued a non-public Letter of Concerning advising him to take board approved courses in controlled substance prescribing and record keeping. Additionally, Dr. Logan will amend his practice to utilize the Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) on all patients for whom he prescribes controlled medications.

<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AGAINST</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Virginia M. Crawford, M.D.	X			
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X			
Rickey L. Chance, D.O.	X			

With a motion by Dr. Crawford, seconded by Dr. Chance, the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session.


Virginia M. Crawford, M.D.
President

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I, **Timothy J. Beachman**, 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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with legal counsel present (name of counsel: Julie Mitchell)

without legal counsel present

EXECUTED, this the 15 day of July, 2015.

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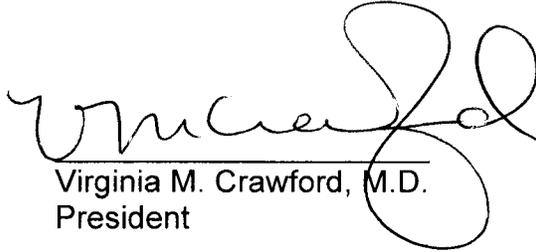
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AGENDA ITEM: Personal appearance by William Striegel, M.D.

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<u>VOTE:</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AGAINST</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Virginia M. Crawford, M.D.	X			
Charles D. Miles, M.D.	X			
Rickey L. Chance, D.O.	X			

With a motion by Dr. Crawford, seconded by Dr. Miles, the Executive Committee came out of Executive Session.


Virginia M. Crawford, M.D.
President