

**Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation
Division of Professional Regulation
Illinois State Board of Pharmacy**

Minutes of Open Session

Meeting Date: March 12, 2024

Locations: Lincoln Conference Room, 4th Floor, West
555 W Monroe

Chicago, Illinois

Room 376, 3rd Fl

320 W Washington St
Springfield, Illinois

WEBEX Virtual Format

Call to Order: 10:31 a.m.

Adjournment: 12:10 p.m.

Board Members Participating in Chicago Location:

Denise Scarpelli, R.Ph., Chair
Tomson George, R.Ph., Vice-Chair
Glen Gard, CPhT, Member
Edwin Muldrow, R.Ph., Member
Glen Pietrandoni, R.PH., Member
Carrie Wiggins, R.Ph., Member
Robert Zimmerman, Member

Board Members Participating in Springfield Location:

Richard Mazzotti, R.Ph., Member

Board members participating remotely but not counted towards quorum:

None

Board Members Unavailable: Glen Pietrandoni, R.PH., Member

Division Staff Present:

Janel Haretoun, Office of General Counsel
Robert Gerton, Board Liaison, Health Services Section
Steven Smith, Director of Drug Compliance

Guests: Many guests called into the meeting, however due to the virtual format of the meeting, guest roll was not taken.

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
CALL TO ORDER	Chair Denise Scarpelli called the meeting to order at 10:31 a.m. and welcomed everyone to the Illinois State Board of Pharmacy meeting, then she took roll of the Board members participating in the meeting.	The Board welcomed new member Atenea Gazdziak to the Board.
MINUTES ACCEPTANCE	Board members reviewed the minutes of open session from the January 9, 2024 meeting.	Motion was made and seconded (George/Gard) to accept the minutes. Motion carried.
NABP	<p>Carrie Wiggins and Tomson George are participating in IL MPJE Item Writing this week.</p> <p>Denise reminded everyone that the May 2024 Illinois State Board of Pharmacy meeting will be held on May 7, 2024 (the FIRST Tuesday of the month, rather than the usual second Tuesday) due to the NABP Annual meeting.</p>	
DEPARTMENT TIME	The Department is reviewing and preparing responses to comments received during first notice of the proposed Rules.	

<p>LEGISLATION UPDATE</p>	<p>Chris Crank of ICHP provided a legislation update. The Board thanked Chris.</p>	
<p>PUBLIC COMMENTS</p>	<p>The Chair opened the floor to comments or questions from guests. Some guests from Colleges of Pharmacy and NABP provided comments pertaining to the Board's previous discussion (regarding the IL MPJE). There were comments from both sides of the issue.</p>	
<p>MOTION TO ENTER INTO CLOSED SESSION</p>		<p>At 11:49 a.m. motion was made and seconded (Wiggins/Zimmerman) to enter into Closed Session for the purposes set forth in Section 2(c)(15) & 2(c)(21) of the Open Meetings Act. Scarpelli – Yes Gazdziak – Yes George – Yes Gard – Yes Mazzotti – Yes McCann – Yes Muldrow – Yes Wiggins – Yes Zimmerman – Yes Motion carried.</p>
<p>MOTION TO RETURN TO OPEN SESSION</p>		<p>At 11:58 a.m. motion was made and seconded (Muldrow/McCann) to return to Open Session. Motion carried.</p>

RECOMMENDATIONS		<p>Motion was made and seconded (McCann/Patel) to reaffirm the following recommendations made in closed session:</p> <p>Dominique DOUGLAS 2023-0672 Revoke</p> <p>Nourhan MOSTAFA Approved</p> <p>Sayedeh NOORBAKSH Approved</p> <p>Syeda RIZWAN Approved</p> <p>Maryam SHAKEEL Approved</p> <p>Tesy THANKACHAN Approved</p> <p>Accept January 9, 2024 Minutes of Closed Session</p> <p>Motion carried.</p>
SIGNATURES		<p>The Chair signed Findings of Fact for the above cases and Action Sheet Nos. 240094-240094 on behalf of the Board.</p>
ADJOURNMENT		<p>At 12:10 p.m. the meeting adjourned.</p>