STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF SHORTHAND REPORTERS

MAY 26, 2016

The State Board of Examiners of Shorthand Reporters convened May 26, 2016 at 8:38 a.m. in Room 117 of the State Office Building, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, CT 06106.

Board Members Present:	Christine Mannix Patricia Masi Kate Kowalyshyn William Mangini	Shorthand Reporter Shorthand Reporter Attorney Public Member
Board Members Absent:	None	
Board Member Vacancy:	Public Member, Shorthand Reporter	
Board Counsel Absent:	Jose Rene Martinez, Assistant Attorney General	
DCP Staff Present:	Karen Layman, Secretary	
Others Present:	Commissioner Jonathan A. Harris DCP Staff Attorney Bullock	

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SWEARING IN OF NEW MEMBER:

DCP Attorney Vicky Bullock swore in Christine Mannix as the Chair of the State Board of Examiners of Shorthand Reporters.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING:

The Board will review the minutes of the February 23, 2016 State Board of Examiners of Shorthand Reporters meeting.

The Board reviewed the minutes and voted unanimously to approve as written.

COMMENTS OR CONCERNS OF ANY PERSON PRESENT TODAY:

None

APPLICATIONS:

None

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Continued discussion on clarification of CEU credits for shorthand reporters

The Board reviewed the language and related links pertaining to CEU for shorthand reporters currently on the DCP website and concluded that this information is sufficient. Patricia Masi will submit additional language to be added to the website for further clarification on this topic.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Discussion with DCP Commissioner Harris before this Board

Commissioner Jonathan Harris attended this meeting and provided an overview to the Board regarding the new Public Act as it pertains to the Supreme Court case of *North Carolina State Board of Dental Examiners v. Federal Trade Commission.*

CORRESPONDENCE:

1. Email correspondence between Tracy Gow and Richard M. Hurlburt dated April 15, 2016 regarding the expired/inactive license status of shorthand reporter licensees on the DCP website, as well other topics concerning the Board. A current roster of licensees has been provided by the Department.

The Board reviewed the email and roster provided and a discussion took place regarding inactive licensees contained in this roster.

COMMENTS OR CONCERNS OF ANY PERSON PRESENT TODAY:

None

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Layman Board Secretary

2016 Meeting Dates

August 23, 2016 November 29, 2016

All meetings will take place at 8:30 a.m. in Room 117