STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION COMMISSION OF PHARMACY October 19, 2016

- 10:00 a.m. The regular meeting of the Commission of Pharmacy was called to order by Commissioner William Summa. The meeting was held in Room 126, of The State Office Building165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, CT 06106
- Commissioners Present: William Summa, Chairperson Steve Beaudin Richard Carbray Debbie Chisolm Angelo DeFazio Edith G. Goodmaster Mary Inguanti

Staff Present: Heather Hoynes, Board Administrator

Interview of Reciprocity Candidate(s)

The following candidate(s) were interviewed over the telephone and attested that the information provided was true and accurate to the best of their belief and understood that any misrepresentation of the facts could result in a fine and/or denial of pharmacist licensure in Connecticut.

Erin Briggs Danielle Croteau Bragadeesh Iyer Katrina Johnson Tami Van-Steeden Jennifer Wilhelm Reciprocity from Virginia Reciprocity from Massachusetts Reciprocity from Illinois Reciprocity from Louisiana Reciprocity from Rhode Island Reciprocity from Minnesota

Commission Action: Commissioner DeFazio moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 6-0 to accept the above application(s) for licensure by reciprocity.

'First Time' Pharmacy Manager(s)

Commissioner Summa provided a summary of the responsibilities that a first-time pharmacy manager has and appreciated their appearance before the Commission. Commissioner Summa emphasized the importance of the pharmacy manager's role in contrast to the front-store manager (in many retail settings). Some responsibilities include leadership, technician registration, license renewals, and prescription error reporting.

Commissioner Inguanti provided a brief overview of the Med Watch program and discussed properly reporting prescription errors.

Melanie Masse	Stop & Shop Pharmacy - Clinton
Maricel McDonnell	CVS Pharmacy - Danbury
Laura Cammarano	Stop & Shop Pharmacy – Westport
Sonal Patel	CVS Pharmacy - Milford
Priya Varghese	CVS Pharmacy – East Haven
Huey Granston	Waterbury Pharmacy – Waterbury

New Pharmacy Application(s)

Health Care Pharmacy 740 Maple Ave Hartford, CT 06114 Ravikumar Talluri, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: The above application was tabled until next month's agenda because the pharmacy manager did not attend this meeting.

Health Plus Pharmacy

114 Connecticut Ave.

Norwalk, CT 06851

Michael Grimaldi, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner DeFazio and passed by a vote of 6-0 to approve the above request for a new pharmacy premise provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Lang's Pharmacy of Wilton Center 28 Center Street Wilton, CT 06897 Peter D'Aprile, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner DeFazio and passed by a vote of 6-0 to approve the above request for a new pharmacy premise provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Pharmacy Remodel(s)

Quality Care Drug New London 467 Ocean Ave. New London, CT 06320

> **Commission Action:** Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner DeFazio and passed by a vote of 6-0 to approve the above pharmacy remodel plans provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Wal-Mart Pharmacy

67 Newton Rd.

Danbury, CT 06810

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner DeFazio and passed by a vote of 6-0 to approve the above pharmacy remodel plans provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met. Cardinal Health 414, LLC 28 Omega Drive, Bldg 7 Stamford, CT 06907

Commission Action: Commissioner DeFazio moved, seconded by Commissioner Inguanti and passed by a vote of 6-0 to approve the above pharmacy remodel plans provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met and pending drug control 797 inspection.

Miscellaneous Matters

Narcan Dispensing Protocol was discussed passed.

Commission Action: Commissioner DeFazio moved, seconded by Commissioner Carbray and passed by a vote of 6-0 to accept the above protocol.

Request(s) for Non-Resident Pharmacy Approval

Astro Pharmacy – Glendale, CA Express Drugs & Surgical – New York, NY Follansbee Pharmacy – Follansbee, WV Infusion Resource – East Providence, RI InnovaScript – Indiana, PA Jiffy Scripts RX – Fair Lawn, NJ Optimum Health Pharmacy – Valrico, FL Pinnacle Pharmacy – Scottsdale, AZ Publix Specialty Pharmacy – Orlando, FL Skyline Pharmacy – New York, NY

Commission Action: Commissioner Beaudin moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 6-0 to accept the above non-resident pharmacy applications.

Anazao Health – Tampa, FL

Benzer Pharmacy – Tampa, FL

Commission Action: Commissioner Inguanti is requesting additional documents for the above non-resident pharmacy applications for further review.

Approval to Accept Commission of Pharmacy Meeting Minute(s)

September 21, 2016

Commission Action: Commissioner Inguanti moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 6-0 to accept the above Commission of Pharmacy Meeting Minutes.

Miscellaneous Legal Matter

The commission went into executive session with the Department of Consumer Protections Attorney Julianne Avallone.

There being no further business, Commissioner Summa adjourned the meeting. Respectfully Submitted,

<u>Wíllíam Summa</u> William Summa, Chairperson

Prepared by,

<u>Heather Hoynes</u>

Heather Hoynes, Board Administrator