

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
COMMISSION OF PHARMACY
January 18, 2017

10:00 a.m. The regular meeting of the Commission of Pharmacy was called to order by Commissioner Summa. The meeting was held in Plaza North Room C & D, 450 Columbus Boulevard, Hartford, CT

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.

Lynette Badu	Reciprocity from District of Columbia
Mark Kinstle	Reciprocity from North Carolina
Ngoc Ma	Reciprocity from Michigan
Blair O'Dell	Reciprocity from Ohio
Milan Patel	Reciprocity from Massachusetts
Cheryl Reid	Reciprocity from North Carolina
Jameson Reuter	Reciprocity from Michigan
Victoria Rodgers	Reciprocity from Florida

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

Request(s) for Pharmacy Internship(s)

Eman Elsayed appeared before the Commission of Pharmacy to request a pharmacy internship. The Commission of Pharmacy granted Eman Elsayed permission to apply for a pharmacy internship.

New Pharmacy Application(s)

Health Care Pharmacy
740 Maple Ave
Hartford, CT 06114
Ibrahim Zaidan, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner DeFazio moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster 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.

Walgreens #16549
One Hospital Plaza
Stamford, CT 06902
Julian Koruni, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner DeFazio moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster 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.

Maple Pharmacy
697 Maple Ave.
Hartford, CT 06114
Abu Ahmed, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Beaudin 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)

CVS Pharmacy #2140
526-530 Meriden Road
Waterbury, CT 06702

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Beaudin 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.

Procure LTC Pharmacy
1492 Highland Ave. Suite 1C
Cheshire, CT 06410

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Beaudin 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.

Legal Matters

Case Number 2016-475 Douglas Kane

Attorney Julianne Avallone presented this case. Commissioner Inguanti 'stepped down'. This case involved Licensee has been investigated by the Drug Control Division of the Department of Consumer Protection for selling and dispensing controlled substances. This agreement calls for a \$12000.00 dollar civil penalty and placement on a 1 year probation; during that time he shall not be responsible for ordering, storing or recordkeeping for controlled substances.

Commission Action: Commissioner DeFazio moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 5-0 to accept and approve the aforementioned settlement agreement.

Case Number 2016-1093 Ka Wa Chan

Attorney Julianne Avallone presented this case. Commissioner Inguanti 'stepped down'. This case involved Licensee has been investigated by the Drug Control Division of the Department of Consumer Protection for selling and dispensing controlled substances. This agreement calls for a \$8000.00 dollar civil penalty and placement on a 1 year probation; during that time he shall not be responsible for ordering, storing or recordkeeping for controlled substances.

Commission Action: Commissioner Beaudin moved, seconded by Commissioner DeFazio and passed by a vote of 5-0 to accept and approve the aforementioned settlement agreement.

Case Number 2016-1246 **was not presented before the commission**

'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.

Humairah Shahid
Anthony Ngo
Milena Ryzewski

Riverside Pharmacy – East Hartford
Walgreens Pharmacy – Monroe
CVS Pharmacy - East Hampton

Nadia Jabbar
Nelly Malangko
Artild Barjami
Seth Burzycki
Katherine Chartier
Nicholas Labier
Juliana Brown
Rama Lakshmi Devadi
Jordan Theriault
Mike Whitley
Chris Territo
Kacie Shea
Robert George
Mitchell Namias
Nicholas Woodard
Quoc Chau
Mohammed Manzoor
Abu Ahmed
Athena Peterson
Patricia Winters
Stefan Calabrese
Farin Kaikhosrowzadeh

CVS Pharmacy – Waterbury
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CVS Pharmacy – Waterbury
Rite Aid Pharmacy – New London
CVS Pharmacy – Naugatuck
CVS Pharmacy – Stamford
Rite Aid Pharmacy – Manchester
Hancock Pharmacy II – Bridgeport
CVS Pharmacy – Newington
CVS Pharmacy – Ansonia
CVS Pharmacy – Trumbull
Big Y Pharmacy – New Milford
CVS Pharmacy – Hartford
Access Care Pharmacy – New Britain
Walgreens Pharmacy – New Haven
Walgreens Pharmacy – West Hartford
Walgreens Pharmacy – Willimantic
Maple Pharmacy – Hartford
CVS Pharmacy – Bethel
Walgreens – Newtown
Walgreens – Shelton
Walgreens – Waterbury

Request(s) for Non-Resident Pharmacy Approval

Farmacia Libertad – Austin, TX
Forest Drugs – Forest Hills, NY
Fusion Pharmaceuticals – Tampa, FL
Gulf Coast Scripts – Venice, FL
Innovative Rx – Draper, UT
Matthews Veterinary Pharmacy – Massillon, OH
Moon Pharmacy – Richmond Hill, NY
OptiMed Specialty Pharmacy – Kalamazoo, MI
PFSP – Clark, NJ
Solera Specialty Pharmacy – Pompano Beach, FL
SPRX Inc. – Jacksonville, FL
Trusted Med Rx – Boca Raton, FL
Walgreens #05823 – Tempe, FL

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

21st Century Pharmacy Inc. – Corona, NY
Anazao Health – Tampa, FL
Calhoun Compounding Pharmacy – Salem, OR
CPRx Pharmacy – Cedar Park, TX
Custom Compounding pharmacy – Weatherford, TX
The Daily Dose Pharmacy – Austin, TX
Regional Cancer Care Associates Pharmacy – East Brunswick, NJ

Schraft's 2.0 – Cedar Knolls, NJ
Victory Medical Center Pharmacy – Austin, TX
Walgreens #02445 – Orlando, FL
Westchester Compounding Pharmacy – Eastchester, NY

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)

November 30, 2016

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

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

Respectfully Submitted,

William Summa

William Summa, Chairperson

Prepared by,

Heather Hoynes

Heather Hoynes, Board Administrator