

PYSCHIATRIC SECURITY REVIEW BOARD HEARING MINUTES for: December 20, 2024 [Pg. 1 of 2]

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ACQUITTEE	HEARING PURPOSE (H)/ BOARD CONFERENCE (BC)	HEARING OUTCOME (H) / BOARD CONFERENCE (BC)	BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT = ✓ (R) = recused
Brian Pagnam	Mandatory Review (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-585) AND Application for Temporary Leave – Phase 1, filed by Whiting Forensic Hospital (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-587) (H)	Board approved Phase 1 of Temporary Leave.	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW
Richard Skenderian	Mandatory Review (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-585) AND Application for Temporary Leave – Phase 2, filed by Whiting Forensic Hospital (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-587) (H)	Board approved Phase 2 of Temporary Leave.	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW
Timothy Anderson	Mandatory Review (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-585) AND Application for Conditional Release, filed by Whiting Forensic Hospital (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-588) (H)	Board approved Conditional Release.	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW
Robert Schapira	Mandatory Review (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-585) AND Application for Temporary Leave – Phase 1, filed by Whiting Forensic Hospital (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-587) (H)	Board approved Temporary Leave.	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW
Aaron Azeredo	Application for Modification of Conditional Release, filed by CRMHC (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-591) STIPULATED (H)	Board approved Modification to allow reduce CR Supervision from weekly to every other week.	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW
Carson Mueller	Mandatory Review (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-585) and Application for Discharge (C.G.S. 17a-593) filed by Kevin Semataska dated October 9, 2024 [CON'T. FROM 12/6/24 DUE TO NO BOARD QUORUM] (H)	Remains confined to Dutcher Service. Board votes to recommend the Court DENY the Application for Discharge.	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW
Amenrah Gilbert	Mandatory Review (C.G.S., Section 17a-585) [CON'T. FROM 12/6/24 DUE TO NO BOARD QUORUM] (H)	Remains confined to Dutcher Service.	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW

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Abraham Israel	Mandatory Review (C.G.S., Section 17a-585) and Application for Conditional Release, filed by Whiting Forensic Hospital (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-588) received October 7, 2024 [CON'T. FROM 12/6/24 DUE TO NO BOARD QUORUM] (H)	Board approves Application for Conditional Release.	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW
David Lane	Mandatory Review (C.G.S., Section 17a-585) and Application for Temporary Leave, filed by Whiting Forensic Hospital (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-587) received October 21, 2024 [CON'T. FROM 12/6/24 DUE TO NO BOARD QUORUM] (H)	Board approves Application for Temporary Leave.	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW
Rahab King	Applications for Modification of Conditional Release, filed by CMHA (C.G.S., Sec. 17a-591) STIPULATED [CON'T. FROM 12/6/24 DUE TO NO BOARD QUORUM] (H)	Board approves Application to Modify Conditional Release King to obtain a driving permit	(✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, Ph.D., ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. (✓) John Bonetti, D.O. (✓) Renesha Nichols, DSW, LCSW (✓) Wakana Hirota, LCSW