

**CONNECTICUT MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD  
MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING  
October 15, 2024**

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**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Kathryn Emmett, Esq., Chairperson  
Raymond Andrews, Jr., Esq.  
Barbara Calderone, Esq.  
Allyson Duffy, MD  
Katherine Grieco, DO FASAM  
Robert Green, MD  
Joseph Kaliko, Esq.  
Marilyn Katz, MD  
Shawn London, MD  
Edward G. McAnaney, Esq.  
Paul P. Possenti, MS, PA-C, FAASPA  
Daniel Rissi, MD  
Harold Sauer, MD  
C. Steven Wolf, MD  
Peter Zeman, MD

**BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Michele Jacklin  
Keat Jin Lee, MD  
David Schwindt, MD  
Andrew Yuan, DO

**DPH / AAG STAFF PRESENT:**

Elizabeth Bannon, Assistant Attorney General  
Ryan Burns, DPH Deputy Legal Director  
Joelle Newton, DPH Staff Attorney  
Betty J. Rozario, Board Liaison

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**CALL TO ORDER.**

Chairperson Kathryn Emmett called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

Mr. Joseph Kaliko moved to move item number 6 of the agenda, the proposed consent order, ahead of item number 3, chair updates. Mr. Edward G. McAnaney seconded the motion. By roll call vote, all members present approved the motion.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Dr. Robert Green moved to approve the September 17, 2024 minutes with the change that Dr. C. Steven Wolf did not recuse himself from Dr. Ali T. Abboud's vote, but voted that he did not agree

with the consent order as it was stated last month. Dr. C. Steven Wolf seconded the motion. The motion as amended was approved by roll call vote by all present.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

There was no public comment.

**PROPOSED CONSENT ORDER**

A. Ali T. Abboud, M.D.            Petition No. 2023-1309            Joelle Newton, DPH Staff Attorney

Staff Attorney Joelle Newton appeared on behalf of the Department. Respondent was present. Staff Attorney Joelle Newton presented the proposed Consent Order to the Board.

Dr. C. Steven Wolf moved to approve the proposed Consent Order. Dr. Robert Green seconded the motion. By roll call vote, all members present approved the motion except Dr. Harold Sauer who recused himself.

**CHAIR UPDATES**

There was a discussion of proposals for future agenda discussions or items.

There was a discussion regarding the Connecticut Examining Medical Board hearing assignments. Board members were encouraged to volunteer for hearing panel assignments.

There was a discussion regarding the draft letter to be sent to the legislature regarding the newly reduced cap on civil penalties. Dr. Robert Green moved to approve the draft letter as the letter to send to the co-chairs of the Public Health Committee in December. Ms. Barbara Calderone seconded the motion. By roll call vote, all members present approved the motion.

**DCP PRESENTATION**

A. Presentation by Rodrick Marriott, PharmD, Director Drug Control Division of the CT Department of Consumer Protection regarding “Understanding the role of Drug Control and how our work impacts the Medical Board.”

**ORIENTATION**

A. Board Member Orientation Training and Presentation by Ryan Burns, Deputy Legal Director

**ADJOURN**

Dr. C. Steven Wolf moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Edward G. McAnaney seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 3:50 p.m.

Kathryn Emmett, Esq., Chairperson