

**LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING  
3510 NORTH CAUSEWAY BLVD., SUITE 601  
METAIRIE, LOUISIANA 70002**

**MINUTES OF THE GENERAL MEETING HELD MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2004**  
**THE GENERAL MEETING WAS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. MOTIONS TAKEN FOR**  
**PUBLIC ACTION**

**Call to Order:** This special session of the Board of Nursing was called to order at 6:00, p.m. by Patricia Bourgeois, Vice-President, on Monday, September 13, 2004, at the Louisiana State Board of Nursing, 3510 North Causeway, Suite 601, Metairie, Louisiana 70002.

**Roll Call:** The following members were in attendance:  
Patricia Bourgeois, MSN, CNS, RN, Vice President  
Frankie Rosenthal, MSN, RN, CNS, CNA, Alternate Officer  
Tommie J. Ashby RN, BSN  
Elsie Crapanzano, MSN, RN  
Karen Moody, PhD, RNC  
Deborah Olds, RN  
Nora Steele, DNS, RN, C, PNP

The following Board Member was not in attendance  
Deborah Ford, MSN, CNS, CNA President  
Patsy McClanahan, MSN, RDMS, RN, CNP

The following staff members were in attendance:  
Barbara Morvant, MN, RN, Executive Director  
Cynthia Morris, MSN, RN, Assistant Executive Director  
Barbara McGill, MSN, RN, Compliance Director  
Celia Cangelosi, Board Attorney  
E. Wade Shows, Board Attorney  
Suzanne Armand, Court Reporter

**Motion:** by K. Moody, seconded, that the Vice-President be granted the authority to reorder the agenda to consider the items today that were presented under New Business scheduled for 9/15/04.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**ACTIONS ON DISCIPLINARY HEARINGS HELD ON SEPTEMBER 13, 2004**

B. Morvant announced the names of those registrants whose files were presented at the Monday, September 13, 2004 Disciplinary Hearings.

**Gwendolyn Jerman**

The matter was heard before the Board in response to charges as filed.

**Motion:** by D. Olds, seconded, that the licensure be denied until the following stipulations are met. The Respondent pays all costs and fines to the Board, including \$5,000 fine and \$30 as cost of this hearing.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**Sandra Jones Lee**

The matter was heard before the Board in response to staff action for automatic suspension and a show cause order for revocation.

**Rescued:** F. Rosenthal was recused from this hearing

**Motion:** by K. Moody, seconded, that the Board ratifies the action taken by staff

against this individual and the license of this registrant is revoked and registrant is ordered to pay \$300 to the Board as cost of this hearing.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**Frankie Tolar**

The matter was heard before the Board in response to charges as filed.

**Motion:** by F. Rosenthal, seconded, that the Respondent submit a payment of \$5000 to the Board as a fine and \$900 as cost of this hearing.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**AUTOMATIC SUSPENSIONS:**

There were twenty-five (25) matters that appeared before the Board in the form of automatic suspensions by Board Staff.

**Motion:** by N. Steele, seconded, that the Board ratify the Automatic Suspensions by staff of the following registrants:

**Shadia Omar Abdullahi  
Heidi Haydel Bealer  
Edith Platt Black  
Patricia Leigh Brakefield  
Alice Charlene Brouillette  
Johnny Brian Cappell  
Amelia Dalonna Carter  
Brenda Sue Cook  
Teri Lynn Corte  
Susan Mae Niehaus Davidson  
Vicki Sullivan Deville  
Wayne Hughey Goldsberry  
Pamela Clark Jennings  
Martha McLelland Johnson  
Troy Ramon Joseph, Sr.  
John Harold Kellogg  
Paige Elizabeth Leysath  
Darryl Eugene Lightsey  
Mark Christian Lueg  
Kathleen Michele Maston  
Frances Clines Priddy  
Christina Roberts Reeves  
Laurie Dunaway Sharp  
Kelly Kennair Vogel  
George Webster Whitehead**

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**CONSENT ORDERS:**

There were one hundred four (104) matters presented to the Board in the form of Consent Orders entered into by Board Staff.

**Motion:** by F. Rosenthal, seconded, that the Consent Orders submitted by the following registrants be accepted.

**Kristin Kolls Abney  
Cathy Moffitt Alexander  
Lauren Morgan Anderson**

Sherry Peacock Anderson  
Lxchelle Reva Robinson Arceneaux  
Malinda Kay Midkiff Barthels  
Beth Ellen Bayer  
Joseph Wesley Belle  
Leal Lightfoot Bickham  
Geoffrey Norris Blansett  
Shari Andrews Bolton  
Angela Coplin Bourgeois  
Jamie Lynn Sartelle Bouz  
Donna Corona Brocato  
Debra Beach Burge  
Brent Michael Cashio  
Jason Patrick Colna  
Pamela Shipley Combest  
Matt Dixon Cornett, III  
Reva Heintze Cook  
Angela Kay Courville  
Pamela Pickering Cunningham  
Mary Woodall D'Amico  
Ryan Corey Daigle  
Judith Brown Davis  
Sun Chong Choe Dehart  
Leslie Ann DeJean  
William Demelo  
Cary Dwayne Dontay  
Cleve Joseph Duplechain, Jr.  
Hill Clinton Durham, III  
Theresa Lashawn Fredrick  
Charles Edmond Gaudry  
Nancy Roth Glendening  
Virginia Pickering Goodling  
Karen Maarkey Goodwill  
Angela Nichols Graffeo  
Geraldine Briggs Granvile  
Sally Marino Graugnard  
Roger Mitchell Guerin  
Keith Michael Hatch  
Michael Hatch  
Allison King Hightower  
Candace Brook Hojem  
Christopher Edward Icamina  
Nakenia Trinell Johnson  
Jo Ann Lard Jones  
Donna Sue Alwell McCann  
Wendy Danielle McKay  
Wendy Dogali McKeown  
Tanesha Moniek Mark  
John Charles Marston, JR.  
Paul Kyle Meche  
Dennis Lee Miller  
Patricia Humphreys Mills  
Constance W. Mims  
Miesha Anika Mims  
Lana Surry Morgan  
Kathleen Milliken Napolitano  
Ceasar Rockfonzo Nelson  
Chinh T. K. Nguyen  
Marian O'Rourke  
Lisa Cherie Duval Ortis  
Amber Diane Owens  
Mary Katherine West Paul  
Christopher Sean Piper  
Beverly Cravens Reeves  
Jason Joseph Richoux  
Sharon MacIntyre Riser

**Brooke Roark**  
**Paul James Robin**  
**Jeanette Marie Davis Robinson**  
**Joseph Clarkton Rollins**  
**Stacey Renee McNeal Rose**  
**John Gordon Russell**  
**Ernest St. Romain, Jr.**  
**Ruweida Safah**  
**David Scott Sanchez**  
**Cynthia Draper Sanders**  
**Lori Lapcevic Sandifer**  
**Shawn Joseph Shy**  
**Fegee Watson Simms**  
**Glenda Sue Cauley Slaughter**  
**Linda Joann Stearns**  
**Ashley Camilla Stevenson**  
**Valarie Brown Stevenson**  
**Cassie Johnson Stone**  
**Ted James Sylvester**  
**Jayson Alton Thornhill**  
**David S.Tindall, III**  
**Gary Oakley Trotter**  
**Mary Breaux Turner**  
**Cheryl Cavallino Vaughn**  
**Travis John Vizier**  
**Amy McCurry Waddell**  
**Tamara Craft Warnock**  
**Tamara Monea Welsh**  
**Deondra Diane Wheat**  
**Harriet Cavanaugh Wilcher**  
**Matthew Michael Williams**  
**Sabrina Shields Willis**  
**Benjamin Michael Winger**  
**John Alan Wolford**  
**Monica Ann Wyatt**  
**Carol Seal Wynne**  
**Wytmer Peter Zehner**

**Motion:** by K. Moody, seconded, that the Consent Order for **Marian O'Rourke**, be accepted under the signature of Barbara Morvant, Executive Director for the Louisiana State Board of Nursing.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes; Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
 Motion Carried

**MULTIPLE ACTIONS:**

Seven (7) matters came before the Board involving Multiple Actions by Board staff.

**Motion:** by D. Olds, seconded, that the Board ratify multiple actions as follows:

**Richard Allen Grider**  
**Zuri Askire Lazard**  
**Heather Leigh Lemaire**  
**Anastasia Yeshon McKinney**  
**Pamela Leibertore Taylor**  
**Deanna Singleton White**  
**Susan Hyde Smith**

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes; Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
 Motion Carried

**RECALL OF PERMIT:**

Two (2) matters were heard by the Board as Recall of Permit

**Motion:** by E. Crapanzano, second, that the Board ratifies the recall of temporary permit by staff of the following individuals:

**Michael Francisco Bynog  
Tamekka Teemer Robinson**

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**RATIFICATION OF DELAY/DENIAL OF STAFF ACTION:**

Ten (10) matters came before the Board as delay or denial by staff action.

**Motion:** by T. Ashby, seconded, that the Board ratify the delay/denial of licensure by staff action of the following individuals:

**Mark Edward Delhoste  
Rebecca Lynn Guire  
Judith Lynn Honaker  
Britni N. McConnell  
Nicole Andrea Mollow  
Cynthia K. Moore  
Michael O’Glee  
Stephen Ryan Valentine  
David Mark Wood**

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**Carla Kimrey Hughes:**

**Motion:** by N. Steele, seconded, on **Carla Kimrey Hughes**, that Board does ratify action taken by staff and recommends the following:

Within 60 days, submit to a comprehensive psychiatric and psychological evaluation by a psychiatrist and clinical psychologist who have been approved by the Board. Shall authorize and cause a written report of the said evaluation to be submitted to the Board. Shall include the entire evaluation report including diagnosis, course of treatment, prescribed or recommended treatment, prognosis and professional opinion as to the registrant’s capability of practicing nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients.

Immediately submit to all recommendations thereafter of the therapist, physician or treatment team and cause to have submitted evidence of continued compliance with all recommendations by the respective professionals.

This stipulation shall continue until the registrant is fully discharged by the respective professionals and until approved by Board staff.

Have all instructors submit a performance evaluation report at the end of each semester.

By the first of each month, submit a monthly monitoring fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) to the Board.

Not have any misconduct, criminal violations or convictions, or violations of any health care regulations reported to the Board related to this or any other incidents.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

There was discussion regarding clarification of the motion.

**Motion:** by N. Steele, seconded, that the previous motion be modified for clarity to read: That staff action taken is approved. However, in the event that applicant requests approval for clinicals in the future, applicant can be approved if stipulations are met.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**Motion:** by N. Steele, second, to vacate the consent order for **Fegee Watson Simms**.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

There was discussion on the motion regarding direction for staff.

**Motion:** by T. Ashby, second, that the consent order for **Fegee Watson Simms** contain an amendment to include probation and that Ms. Morvant be authorized to enter into it with Ms. Simms.

**Donna Long Pickett**

The matter came before the Board as a credentialing matter.

**Motion:** by F. Rosenthal, seconded, that this individual be granted approval to retake NCLEX-RN exam and that she be made eligible to be licensed to practice in the State of Louisiana upon successful completion of the NCLEX-RN exam.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Crapanzano-yes; Moody-yes;  
Olds-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**Motion:** by T. Ashby, seconded, that the remaining meetings scheduled for September 14 and 15, 2004 be cancelled due to weather.

**Motion:** by K. Moody, seconded, to adjourn the September 13, 2004 Special Session Meeting.

**Voice Vote:** Ashby-yes; Bourgeois-yes; Ford-yes; McClanahan-yes;  
Moody-yes; Rosenthal-yes; Steele-yes  
Motion Carried

**ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

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**PATRICIA BOURGEOIS, VICE-PRESIDENT  
LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING**