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A meeting of the Chiropractic Physicians' Board was held on Thursday, April 10, 2025 by zoom conference.

The following Board members were present at roll call:

Benjamin S. Lurie, DC, President Adam L. Ingles, DC, Vice President Jason O. Jaeger, DC, Secretary-Treasurer Geoffrey D, Lowden, DC, Board Member Christian L. Augustin, Esq, Consumer Member Reza R. Ayazi, Esq. Consumer Member

Also, present were Board Counsel, Louis Ling, Esq. and Executive Director, Julie Strandberg.

President, Dr. Benjamin Lurie determined a quorum was present and called the meeting to order. Dr. Lurie provided the basic zoom rules and stated that if anyone is attending to receive continuing education credits to please remain present in front of their camera at all times.

Dr. Geoffrey Lowden led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance. Dr. Benjamin Lurie stated the Purpose of the Board.

#### **AGENDA**

#### Agenda Item 1 Public Interest Comments - No action.

Dr. Lurie asked whether there was anyone in attendance who would like to present public comment. Dr. David Rovetti stated that he is interested in talking about the revisions to NRS and NAC 634 when the Board gets to that agenda item.

#### Agenda Item 2 Approval of agenda – For possible action.

Mr. Jaeger moved to approve the agenda. Mr. Augustin seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor

## <u>Agenda Item 3</u> Approval of the January 16, 2025 Board Meeting Minutes - For possible action.

Mr. Augustin moved to approve the Board meeting minutes for January 16, 2025. Dr. Lurie seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor.

#### Agenda Item 4 Legislative Matters – For possible action.

Mr. Musgrove with Strategies 360 was present and stated that the Board's bill was heard yesterday before the committee and passed. Assemblyman Yurek stated that he surveyed chiropractic physicians' that he works with, regarding the impact of changing the renewal date to the licensee's birth month and indicated there was concern, due to the timing of continuing education. Mr. Musgrove confirmed with Julie Strandberg that staff would be ok if the renewal date remained as is. Mr. Musgrove referenced SB78 and stated that during the interim, Director, Dr. Kris Sanchez and Deputy Director, Nikki Haag went well beyond the intent of what was discussed last session and there has been a lot of opposition. The bill now merges DC's, MD's, DO's and Podiatrists, which was this Board's position. There were concerns by legislators whether it was appropriate for a Board that consists of various licensees making disciplinary decisions about a field that they do not practice in. Dr. Lurie stated that he listened to the hearing and stated that the DO's that testified were referring to chiropractors as non-physicians. Dr. Lurie explained that federally chiropractic physicians are physicians and it's important to keep that professionalism, because we are all here to help the patients. Dr. Jaeger thanked Mr. Ling, Mr. Musgrove and Julie Strandberg for collaborating to prepare the presentation for AB513 that he presented before the committee.

#### Agenda Item 6 Board Counsel Report – No action.

Mr. Ling stated that he had nothing to report, with the exception of his contract being executed by the Governor's Office of Finance.

## <u>Agenda Item 7</u> Discussion and potential action regarding the petition for early termination of probation for Michael Milman, DC – For possible action.

Dr. Lurie informed the board that this is not a contested case, but rather Dr. Milman's request for early release from probation. Dr. Lurie reviewed Dr. Milman's history with the board, including previous denials of early termination requests and quarterly reports. Dr. Milman's attorney, Kevin Murphy, presented a brief statement requesting early termination based on Dr. Milman's compliance and rehabilitation. Dr. Lurie then reviewed the terms of Dr. Milman's probation and shared concerns raised by the previous practice monitor about Dr. Milman's attitude and conduct during audits. Dr. Milman stated that he has learned his lesson and wants to continue his life in Nevada.

The Board discussed Dr. Milman's compliance with his probation monitor and his request for early termination. Dr. Lurie expressed concerns about Dr. Milman's cooperation with the compliance monitor and adherence to the order.

Dr. Lurie made a motion to deny Dr. Milman's petition for early termination of probation, to not allow Dr. Milman to petition the Board again for early termination of probation and require him to finish his probation pursuant to the Board Order. Dr. Lowden seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor. Dr. Jaeger recused himself.

Dr. Milman mentioned he may take a job in Europe, and Dr. Lurie reminded him he must notify the Board of any changes and ensure patient records are accessible.

# <u>Agenda Item 8</u> Discussion and potential action regarding the application for licensure for Jerome Longoria, DC – For possible action. (Note: The Board may go into closed session pursuant to NRS 241 to consider the character, alleged misconduct, or professional competence of Dr. Longoria).

Dr. Lurie welcomed Dr. Longoria and asked if anyone wanted to go into closed session and there was no motion. Dr. Lurie reviewed Dr. Longoria's history stating that the Board denied his first application and asked that he resubmit an application answering the background questions truthfully. Dr. Lurie stated that the Board is in receipt of Dr. Longoria's second application and explained that his responses, once again, do not match his background and asked that Dr. Longoria explain why his responses to his background questions were not answered correctly. Dr. Longoria explained that he thought he had answered correctly and provided the appropriate supporting documentation. Dr. Longoria shared that he started the application, walked away from his computer and returned to complete the application thinking what he had previously entered was saved. Dr. Longoria apologized for his frustration with Board staff and explained that his motivation to practice in Nevada is to be closer to his family.

The Board advised Dr. Longoria to take his time when completing his application to ensure all information is correct and confirm with the Board that a complete application was received.

Mr. Ayazi made a motion to deny Dr. Longoria's application and re-apply, emphasizing the importance of completing the application accurately in one sitting. Dr. Lowden seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor.

## <u>Agenda Item 9</u> Discussion and potential action regarding the reactivation of DC licensure for Mark Taylor, DC – For possible action.

Dr. Lurie stated that Dr. Taylor is before the board to request reactivation of his chiropractic license, which was placed in inactive status in 2023 pursuant to the Board Order. Dr. Lurie asked for questions from the Board. Dr. Jaeger referred to the congruent completion dates of the continuing education course and confirmed with Dr. Taylor that he did not take the courses simultaneously.

Mr. Augustin confirmed with Dr. Taylor that he had not worked at Glimpse Medical or with Dr. Oliver since the Order was signed on 2/22/23. Dr. Taylor also confirmed that he had not been performing cosmetic laser treatments to include PRP or any other non-chiropractic treatments to any patients not authorized by the Chiropractic Physicians' Board of Nevada.

Dr. Ingles inquired about the Order and Mr. Ling explained that there was a hearing and the Order was a result of the hearing, so there are Findings of Fact that indicate what Dr. Taylor was doing. Mr. Ling explained that the order states that if Dr. Taylor wants to change his status from inactive to active he is required to appear before the Board, present his plan to reactivate his license and commence his practice within the scope of the definition of chiropractic. The board can approve, deny, or approve with conditions based on his plan.

Dr. Ingles asked Dr. Taylor to present his plan to the Board. Dr. Taylor stated that he has talked with Dr. Ian Yamane to perform potential vacation relief, he has considered doing consultations and affiliate marketing. Dr. Taylor stated that he does not intend on opening his own clinic or working in a medical practice. Dr. Taylor went on to say that he has continued to take 36 hours of continuing education every two years. Dr. Lurie asked Dr. Taylor when the last time he treated a chiropractic patient. Dr. Taylor stated at least a couple years, since his license has been in inactive status. Dr. Lurie asked Dr. Taylor what he had been doing for the last

couple years. Dr. Taylor stated that he has been selling cars and properties and doing a home remodel.

Dr. Lowden recommended that Dr. Taylor take the SPEC. Dr. Lurie stated that he doesn't hear a clear plan from Dr. Taylor. Dr. Taylor expressed his desire to focus on online consultations, nutritional advice, and help with people's health rather than traditional hands-on chiropractic care. Dr. Lurie explained that the Governor has allowed for holistic care and in that case, a license is not required. The board members expressed concerns with the lack of a clear practice plan and Dr. Taylor's extended time away from treating patients.

Dr. Jaeger asked Dr. Taylor if he would agree to submitting a written plan for consideration and he agreed.

Dr. Jaeger recommended that this agenda item be tabled until the next meeting. Dr. Lurie explained that without a written plan the Board would not be able to vote. Dr. Lurie explained to Dr. Taylor that his plan should outline the three plans mentioned in his testimony.

Mr. Augustin made a motion that Dr. Taylor comply with Section 3 of the Order by providing a plan as described by Dr. Lurie. Dr. Jaeger seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor.

Dr. Lurie reminded those attending for Nevada continuing education credit to please be present with their camera on, otherwise they will not receive credit.

### <u>Agenda Item 10</u> Discussion and potential action regarding issues related to the use of Affiliated Monitors and whether to continue to use Affiliated Monitors for postdisciplinary monitoring – For possible action.

Dr. Lurie welcomed Denise Moran from Affiliated Monitors and asked that she explain the process of choosing doctors and address any concerns that the Board may have. Ms. Moran explained that Affiliated Monitors recruit's licensees who they call physician reviewers who work with Affiliated Monitors who then facilitates the monitoring for the Boards and work with the licensees identified within each state. Ms. Moran explained that they prefer to retain former board members with clean records. The monitor also goes through a conflicts of interest process to identify providers who have not had a direct conflict with the disciplined physician. When local monitors are unavailable, they use out-of-state monitors with board approval. Monitors are protected through Affiliated Monitors contract clauses that hold the monitors harmless and indemnifies. The board expressed satisfaction with Affiliated Monitors' approach, although noted the challenges with finding Nevada monitors.

#### Agenda Item 5 NCA/NCC Report – No action.

Dr. Teddy Sim was present and shared that the Association held a meet-and-greet on March 13, 2025 with 24 DCs in attendance and the bylaws were distributed to the DCs in attendance as well as a survey regarding the new association. The Association will continue to ask for the annual membership dues of \$350.00. The meeting involved discussions about advocacy, networking, community awareness, education and legislation, election of board members, the rebuilding and rebranding of the Association's website and social media presence. The association is planning their semi-annual meeting for May 17th and 18th , 2025 and the annual meeting is planned for October 4th and 5th for chiropractic awareness month. The next Board meeting will be held on April 24, 2025 at 6:30 p.m.

Dr. Jaeger thanked Dr. Sim and Dr. Tinberg for allowing him to continue serving as a

subcommittee member for chiropractic for equity and equality in payments and visits equal to other healthcare provider types with ' physician' designation. Dr. Jaeger shared that since 2017 when the NCC created a subcommittee, in which he served on, so as to look into the discrimination of payment and access to chiropractic physicians in Nevada. There was dialogue that had gone on for about 2-3 years with the Division of Insurance as it turned out that since 1983 laws were put on the books that said a chiropractic doctor shall be reimbursed equally and have the equal number of treatment or visits, as other healthcare providers deemed as physicians, but there was a nuance in NRS that said that the insurance company shall pay the insured, aka the patient. As a result the insurance companies interpreted this to mean that any payments for treatments rendered by a chiropractic physician would be paid to the insured, aka the patient, but not to the provider aka the chiropractic physician rendering the treatment.

Based on this law from 1983, the NCC association attempted to bring the NRS to the attention of the various insurance companies. United healthcare agreed to comply, and pay chiropractic doctors fee for service on par with MD's, however insurance companies like Blue Cross-Anthem did not comply. The NCC association was advised to go through legislative session and failed in the previous two sessions. Dr. Jaeger stated that he presented language on behalf of the NCA and NCC before the Committee for Commerce of Labor on April 9, 2025. The Division of Insurance presented and testified in neutral, and stated that the language correction was appropriate, updating NRS to direct insurance companies to reimburse the provider directly. The Division of Insurance stated that the language as written in 1983 represented an insurance landscape at that time and that the current proposed language was representative of the intent of 2025.

## <u>Agenda Item 11</u> Discussion and potential action regarding the letter from the IANM – For possible action.

Dr. Lurie provided an overview of the letter from the International Academy of Neuromusculoskeletal. Dr. Jaeger recommended that Dr. Russell appear before the Board to discuss further. Dr. Lurie asked that Julie Strandberg reach out to Dr. Russell and ask that he appear at the next Board meeting.

#### <u>Agenda Item 12</u> Status report regarding anonymous profiles of possible disciplinary actions. Board action will be limited to either dismissing the matter if the Board determines there is no violation, it has no jurisdiction over the subject, or providing direction to pursue the matter further – For possible action:

Dr. Lurie stated that he asked Julie Strandberg to provide a monthly status report on the complaints. Dr. Lurie apologized to the constituents of Nevada who filed complaints over the last couple years and no investigation was started or communication was had by previous board members that were assigned the complaints. Dr. Lurie explained that it's best to investigate the complaint upon receipt to preserve any facts, evidence or information needed.

- A. Complaint 22-19S (Lurie) Dr. Lurie stated that the Notice of Charges has been sent to the attorney's and a response is pending.
- B. Complaint 23-12S (Lurie)
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#### C. Complaint 23-138 (Lurie)

Dr. Lurie stated that the Notice of Charges has been sent to the attorney's and a response is pending.

- D. Complaint 23-15S (Nolle) Julie Strandberg stated that a Notice of Charges has been sent to the DC, receipt has been confirmed and the DC has 15 days to respond.
- E. Complaint 23-16S (Nolle) Julie Strandberg stated that a Notice of Charges has been sent to the DC, receipt has been confirmed and the DC has 15 days to respond.

#### F. Complaint 24-01S (Jaeger)

Dr. Jaeger stated that he had no new information to report.

#### G. Complaint 24-08S (Lurie)

Dr. Lurie stated that he will be presenting a Settlement Agreement & Order to the DC and will have a conclusion at the next meeting.

#### H. Complaint 24-09N (Ingles)

Dr. Ingles stated that a citation has been issued. Julie Strandberg stated that the DC has received the citation and that it is final. Mr. Ling stated that the citation is now a public record, the DC can no longer contest the citation, so it is final and reportable.

#### I. Complaint 24-12S (Ingles)

Dr. Ingles stated that a Notice of Charges will be sent to the DC and he anticipates that a hearing will be scheduled for the next Board meeting.

#### J. Complaint 24-138 (Jaeger)

Dr. Jaeger stated that a patient reported presenting to a chiropractic office and subsequently had a spinal adjustment performed by an individual who they alleged may not be a chiropractic physician. Dr. Jaeger indicated that he had left five messages for the complainant on what seems to be a State of Nevada phone number and has sent five emails and has received no response. Dr. Jaeger held a meeting the chiropractic assistant and the supervising DC and they deny that this occurred. Dr. Jaeger recommended that this case be dismissed. Mr. Ayazi made a motion to dismiss complaint 24-13S. Dr. Lurie seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor. Dr. Jaeger recused himself as the investigating board member.

#### K. Complaint 24-16S (Jaeger)

Dr. Jaeger stated that he had no new information to report.

#### L. Complaint 24-18S (Jaeger)

Dr. Jaeger stated that he had no new information to report.

#### M. Complaint 24-198 (Lurie)

Dr. Lurie stated that the complainant submitted this complaint approximately 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  years after the alleged incident stating that they were inappropriately touched by the chiropractic physician. Dr. Lurie spoke to the complainant and the DC and the DC's patient notes reflect what was done. Dr. Lurie recommended that this complaint be dismissed with a letter of caution recommending that the DC determine a method to protect themselves when seeing patients when nobody else is in the office. Dr. Jaeger made a motion to dismiss complaint 24-19S. Mr. Augustin seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor.

#### N. Complaint 24-21S (Augustin)

Mr. Augustin stated that the complainant expressed their concern about the wellness

of a DC. Mr. Augustin has attempted to reach the complainant on a number of occasions with no response. There is also concern that the DC is practicing without a license, so the Board is working with an outside investigator to look into this matter. This complaint will be tabled until additional information is received.

#### O. Complaint 24-258 (Jaeger)

Dr. Jaeger stated that the complainant was treated by a DC in 2015 and attempted to obtain their records in 2024, which was past the retention period and was frustrated, so they filed a complaint alleging unprofessional conduct. Dr. Jaeger recommended that this case be dismissed. Dr. Ingles made a motion to dismiss complaint 24-25S. Mr. Augustin seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor. Dr. Jaeger recused himself as the investigating board member

#### P. Complaint 24-31S (Lurie)

Dr. Lurie stated that the patient requested their records and the DC did not comply with the 10-day requirement. Dr. Lurie indicated that he spoke to the complainant who was in receipt of their records and had also met with the DC and discussed NRS 634 and NRS 629. Dr. Lurie recommended to that this complaint be dismissed with a letter of caution referencing the record keeping statutes NRS 634 as well as NRS 629 timeframe to release records. Dr. Lurie indicated that the complainant was in agreement with his recommendation. Dr. Lowden made a motion to dismiss complaint 24-31S. Mr. Augustin seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor. Dr. Lurie recused himself as the investigating board member.

#### Q. Complaint 24-32S (Lowden)

Dr. Lowden stated that the patient alleged that they were injured when the DC used instrument assisted manipulation to their spine. The DC did confirm that they used instrument assisted manipulation in their practice, however the records did not reflect that an instrument was used on this patient. Dr. Lowden recommended that this complaint be dismissed with a letter of warning, referencing appropriate documentation regarding manipulation in the patients record. Dr. Jaeger made a motion to dismiss complaint 24-32S. Dr. Ingles seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor. Dr. Lowden recused himself as the investigating board member.

#### R. Complaint 24-33N (Lurie)

Dr. Lurie stated that he is in receipt of the patient records and will be working with Mr. Ling to complete the investigation into the alleged allegations.

S. Complaint 24-34N (Lurie) Dr. Lurie stated that he is in receipt of the patient records and will be working with Mr. Ling to complete the investigation into the alleged allegations.

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    T. Complaint 24-35N (Lurie)
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    U. Complaint 24-36N (Lurie)
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#### V. Complaint 24-37N (Lurie)

Dr. Lurie stated that he is in receipt of the patient records and will be working with Mr. Ling to complete the investigation into the alleged allegations.

#### W. Complaint 24-38N (Lurie)

Dr. Lurie stated that he is in receipt of the patient records and will be working with Mr. Ling to complete the investigation into the alleged allegations.

#### X. Complaint 24-40S (Lowden)

Dr. Lowden stated that the complainant resides in Colorado and was seeking reimbursement for travel costs for a cancelled appointment. The procedure that the patient was to receive was not within the scope of a chiropractic physician. Further investigation revealed that the DC has registered multiple entities with the Secretary of States Office and there are questions regarding self-referrals. This complaint is still under investigation pending a response from the DC's counsel.

#### Y. Complaint 24-41S (Augustin)

Mr. Augustin stated that the complainant expressed their concern about the wellness of a DC. Mr. Augustin has attempted to reach the complainant on a number of occasions with no response. There is also concern that the DC is practicing without a license, so the Board is working with an outside investigator to look into this matter. This complaint will be tabled until additional information is received.

#### Z. Complaint 25-01N (Ingles)

Dr. Ingles stated that the complainant visited a chiropractic physician and brought a CD with an MRI, however the DC did not have a device that could read the CD and gave it back to the patient. The patient did not recall receiving the CD from the DC, so they called the police, who took a report from both the complainant and the DC. Dr. Ingles spoke to the officer and the DC and there does not appear to be any wrongdoing. Dr. Ingles recommended that this case be dismissed. Dr. Lurie made a motion to dismiss complaint 25-01N. Dr. Jaeger seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor. Dr. Ingles recused himself as the investigating board member.

#### AA. Complaint 25-03S (Lowden)

Dr. Lowden stated that the complainant was referred to the DC for a preemployment DOT exam and was discouraged with the DC's evaluation. Dr. Lowden recommended dismissal, because the DC was performing a thorough exam in the interest of public safety required by the DOT. Dr. Jaeger made a motion to dismiss complaint 25-03S. Dr. Lurie seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor. Dr. Lowden recused himself as the investigating board member.

#### BB. Complaint 25-048 (Jaeger)

Dr. Jaeger stated that this complaint appears to be a fee dispute, which is related to a personal injury case. Where the patient had completed care and when settlement time arrived a complaint was filed. Dr. Jaeger stated that he would like to get some additional information from the DC's and report back.

#### CC. Complaint 25-07S (Lowden)

Dr. Lowden stated that this complaint is under investigation.

#### DD. Complaint 25-098 (Lurie)

Dr. Lurie stated that a DC self-reported a possible allegation of a chiropractic assistant dating a patient. Dr. Lurie met with the staff and covered the rules and regulations regarding the definition of dating. The DC felt that they could handle the matter internally. Dr. Lurie recommended dismissal of this case. Dr. Jaeger made a motion to dismiss complaint 25-09S. Dr. Lowden seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor. Dr. Lurie recused himself as the investigating board member.

## <u>Agenda Item 13</u> Consideration of potential additions, deletions, and/or amendments to NRS 634 and NAC 634 – For possible action.

Dr. Lurie asked if the revised language is ready for workshop/hearing. Mr. Ling stated that this is an ongoing list of potential changes, however there is a draft of the pre-paid language. The Board will not go in to the rule making process until after the legislative session ends.

Dr. Rovetti commented on the language with respect to the pre-paid plans. He stated that he is the monitor for Dr. Waldorf, which specifically addresses this. Dr. Rovetti recommended that if the Board decides to move forward that the Board reach out to other state licensing boards. Mr. Ling confirmed that this language was derived from other states. Dr. Rovetti mentioned that we may require the DC to have two separate accounts and recommended a minimum of \$500.00.

- A. NAC 634.119
- B. NAC 634.320
- C. NAC 634.330
- D. NAC 634.339
- E. NAC 634.385(3) (8) (11)
- F. NAC 634.460(6)
- G. Addition of language to require CAs to take CPR and allow DC's and CAs to obtain CE for take a CPR course.
- H. Addition of language to accept the Recognized Chiropractic Specialty Program (RCSP)
- I. Pre-paid plans and issuing refunds for services not rendered
- J. Potential amendments to NAC 634.3475(1)(f), NAC 634.430(1)(a) and (o), and NAC 634.430(c) and (d), to clarify or set parameters for when such conduct might be allowed or disallowed

## <u>Agenda Item 14</u> Discussion and potential action regarding the CPBN enforcement of practicing on an expired license – For possible action.

Dr. Lurie addressed the time period from when a license expires to when the licensee can reinstate their license, which is up to two years as long as they have filed a renewal application, completed the required continuing education and paid the fee. Every renewal cycle there are a number of DC's that do not renew on time and they have to be tracked down and may possibly still be seeing patients. The current procedure is to send a cease-and-desist letter to those DC's whose license expire. Dr. Lurie inquired as to how the Board is supposed to regulate the chiropractic physicians that should be shutting down their practice until they reinstate their license. Dr. Lurie stated that it just seems like a lot of time and discussed the need for a stop-gap measure to prevent doctors from practicing on expired licenses. The board agreed to continue the discussion on this matter after the legislative session.

Mr. Ling stated that NRS 634.130 allows a licensee who fails to renew by December 31<sup>st</sup>, their license automatically expires, but they can reinstate their license by paying the fees and providing proof of continuing education. The grace period takes the licensee out to the next renewal for that license type and if the licensee fails to renew by then there is another process to reinstate under NRS 634.121. There is no ultimate timeframe for which the license just disappears. Under existing law a licensee can let their license expire and come back several years later and reinstate their license. Mr. Ling pointed out that the Board is allowed to require

that they take SPEC, among other things. There is another model, by which, after a certain period of time, the license disappears and the licensee would be required to re-apply. Mr. Ling referenced Dr. Lurie's question with regard to, "What do we do with the folks that let their license expire and they are still practicing?" Mr. Ling stated that there is a range of options including sending a cease-and-desist letter, send a letter that allows the licensee to continue practicing if they renew within a certain timeframe or discipline the licensee by issuing a Settlement Agreement and Order that fines them for practicing on an expired license.

#### Agenda Item 15 Discussion and potential action regarding CPBN enforcement of reactivating an inactive licensee who fails to renew the inactive fee as of Jan 1 - For possible action.

This agenda item was discussed with agenda item 14.

#### Agenda Item 16 FCLB/NBCE Matters – For possible action.

- FCLB's 97th Annual Educational Congress April 30-May 5, 2025 Hyatt Regency, St. A. Louis, MO
- B. **Other FCLB/NBCE matters.**

Dr. Lurie mentioned the FCLB's 97th Annual Education Conference and indicated that he will be in attendance as well as Dr. Jaeger, Julie Strandberg and Reza Ayazi. Dr. Jaeger shared that there is a change to the bylaws that cleans up language regarding term limits. Dr. Jaeger also mentioned that the fall district meeting will be held in Omaha, NE.

#### Agenda Item 17 Committee Reports

- A. Continuing Education Committee (Dr. Ingles) For possible action. Dr. Ingles stated that the Board has received a lot of CE applications and he has been diligent with his review.
- B. Legislative Committee (Dr. Jaeger) For possible action. Dr. Jaeger stated that updates were provided previously regarding legislation.
- C. Preceptorship Committee (Dr. Ingles) For possible action. Dr. Ingles stated that he didn't have anything to report.
- D. Test Committee (Dr. Lowden) For possible action. Dr. Lowden stated that he didn't have anything to report.

#### **Agenda Item 18 Executive Director Reports:**

- A. Status of Pending Complaints No action.
- B. Status of Current Disciplinary Actions No action.
- C. Legal/Investigatory Costs No action.

Julie Strandberg provided a summary of the executive director reports.

#### **Agenda Item 19 Financial Status Reports:**

- A. Current cash position & projections No action.
- B. Accounts Receivable Summary No action.
- C. Accounts Payable Summary No action.
- **D.** Employee Accrued Compensation No action.
- E. Budget to Actual at February 28, 2025 No action.
- F. Income/Expense Actual to Budget Comparison as of February 28, 2025 No action.

Julie Strandberg provided a summary of the financial reports.

#### G. FY26/27 Budget - For possible action.

Dr. Lurie made a motion to approve the 2026-2027 proposed budget with potential adjustments. Mr. Ayazi seconded, and the motion passed with all in favor.

Agenda Item 20 Board Member Comments - No action.

Dr. Jaeger thanked staff for their work and collaboration and thanked Dr. Lowden for his efforts to the Board. Dr. Jaeger also thanked Dr. Lurie for his efficiency and preparedness. Dr. Lurie stated that this is a team approach and appreciates the work by everyone.

Agenda Item 21 Public Interest Comments - No action.

Dr. Logan Smith asked whether videotaping in the practice is a viable option. Mr. Ling recommended that he consult with an attorney and stated that the DC would most likely need to have a consent signed by the patients. Dr. Smith also inquired about what a DC can and cannot do. Dr. Jaeger stated that he read and understand NRS 634, NAC 634 and NRS 629 and encouraged that his counsel be familiar with the laws as well.

#### Agenda Item 22 Adjournment – For possible action.

Dr. Jaeger moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Augustin seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.

July 10, 2025

Jason O. Ja

Secretary-Treasurer