

Draft Minutes

**December 16, 2021
Hyatt Regency Grand Cypress
One Grand Cypress Blvd
Orlando, FL 32836
407-239-1234**



**Jonathan Hickman, PharmD
Chair**

**David Wright, BPharm
Vice-Chair**

Jessica Sapp, Executive Director

**BOARD OF PHARMACY
GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING
DRAFT MINUTES
December 16, 2021
9:00 a.m. ET
Hyatt Regency Grand Cypress
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and that an audio file of the meeting will be posted to the board's website.

I. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

Call to Order - The meeting was called to order by Board Chair, Dr. Hickman, at 9:00 a.m. ET.

Those present during the meeting included the following:

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Jonathan Hickman, PharmD, Chair
David Wright, BPharm, Vice – Chair
Jeenu Philip, BPharm
Patty Ghazvini, PharmD, BCGP
Jeffrey J. Mesaros, PharmD, JD
Dorinda Segovia, PharmD
Gavin Meshad, Consumer Member

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Maja Gift, BPharm, MHA, Cph

COURT REPORTER:

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STAFF PRESENT:

Jessica Sapp, Executive Director
Traci Zeh, Program Administrator

BOARD COUNSEL:

David Flynn, Esq.
Senior Assistant Attorney General
Christopher Dierlam, Esq.
Assistant Attorney General

PROSECUTION ATTORNEY:

Alejandro Camacho, Assistant General
Counsel
Reginald Howard, Senior Legal Assistant

To accommodate individuals wishing to address the Board, the Board Chair may adjust the sequence of the agenda items. The meeting minutes reflect the actual sequence of the events rather than the original agenda order.

Mr. Camacho addressed the Board and requested the Chair approve the appearance of Reginald Howard, third-year law student, as a qualified representative.

Motion: by Dr. Mesaros to approve Mr. Howard as a qualified representative.

Second: by Dr. Segovia

Vote: Unanimous

II. DISCIPLINARY CASES - Jonathan Hickman, PharmD, Chair

A. SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

- i. Paul DiPasquale, C.Ph., Case No. 2019-05968
(PCP – Mesaros & Mikhael)

The Respondent was not present nor represented by Counsel.

Mr. Camacho presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 465.016(1)(e), F.S. (2018), through a violation of section 893.13(6)(a), F.S. (2018) **Count II:** Section 456.072(1)(k), F.S. (2018), through a violation of rule 64B16-28.303(1), F.A.C. by unlawful possession of a controlled substance and by failing to securely store one or more controlled substances in the prescription department until destroyed.

- ii. Paul DiPasquale, R.Ph., Case No. 2019-05992
(PCP – Mesaros & Mikhael)

The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 465.016(1)(e), F.S. (2018), through a violation of section 893.13(6)(a), F.S. (2018) **Count II:** Section 456.072(1)(k), F.S. (2018), through a violation of rule 64B16-28.303(1), F.A.C. by unlawful possession of a controlled substance and by failing to securely store one or more controlled substances in the prescription department until destroyed.

A Settlement Agreement was presented to the Board with the following terms:

- Appearance
- Fine of \$6,000.00 to be paid within one (1) year of the filing of the Final Order.
- Costs of \$2,659.55 to be paid within one (1) year of the filing of the Final Order.
- Successful completion of a twelve (12) hour laws and rules course to be in addition to their hours required for renewal and to be completed within one (1) year of the filing of the Final Order.
- Probation for two (2) years to include:
 - Respondent cannot serve as a Prescription Department Manager (PDM)
 - Respondent cannot work at or for more than two pharmacies each quarter.
 - Submission of reports by the Respondent and his employer every three months.

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Dr. Ghazvini to reject the Settlement Agreement.

Second: by Mr. Wright

Vote: Unanimous

- iii. Wayne Lee Wallace, R.Ph., Case No. 2020-03480
(PCP – Weizer & Hickman)

This case was tabled to be heard at a future meeting.

- iv. Winn Dixie Stores, Inc., PH d/b/a Winn Dixie Pharmacy #721
Case No. 2021-05320
(PCP – Weizer & Meshad)

The Respondent was represented by Maurice (Sandy) Grim, Esq.

Mr. Howard presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): Section 465.023(1)(c), F.S. (2020), by violating section 465.016(1)(r), F.S. (2020), by violating section 456.072(1)(j), F.S. (2020) by employing or advising any unlicensed person to perform the duties of a registered pharmacy technician in the prescription department as discovered during a routine inspection.

A Settlement Agreement was presented to the Board with the following terms:

- Appearance
- Fine of \$2,500.00 to be paid within ninety (90) days of the filing of the Final Order.
- Costs of \$1,552.77 to be paid within ninety (90) days of the filing of the Final Order.
- Successful completion of a twelve (12) hour laws and rules course to be completed by the Respondent's Prescription Department Manager (PDM) to be in addition to their hours required for renewal and to be completed within one (1) year of the filing of the Final Order.
- Probation for one (1) year to include:
 - Successful passage of two (2) bi-annual inspections at the Respondents cost.

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Mr. Wright to accept the Settlement Agreement.

Second: by Dr. Ghazvini

Vote: 4/2. Dr. Mesaros and Mr. Philip opposed. Motion passes.

v. Lindsey Alise Norton, R.Ph., Case No. 2021-09207
(PCP – Weizer & Gift)

The Respondent was present and represented by Counsel.

The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 465.016(1)(e) through a violation of 893.16(6)(a) and/or 893.13(7)(a)9 **Count II:** Section 465.016(1)(r) through a violation of section 456.072(1)(m) by unlawful possession of a controlled substance by obtaining controlled substances through fraudulent prescriptions on one or more accusations while employed at CVS.

A Settlement Agreement was presented to the Board with the following terms:

- Appearance
- Costs of \$2,422.93 to be paid within ninety (90) days of the filing of the Final Order.
- Suspension until Respondent personally appears before the Board and can demonstrate she is safe to practice, to include an evaluation by a PRN approved evaluator.
- Probation for two (2) years after reinstatement of Respondent's license to include:
 - Respondent may not serve as a PDM unless prior written approval by the Board.
 - Respondent shall not work for more than two (2) pharmacies during each quarter of the probationary period unless prior written approval by the Board.

- Respondent shall submit reports every three (3) months to the Compliance Officer confirming where Respondent is engaging in Pharmacy practice.
- Submission of reports every three (3) months to the Compliance Officer from the Respondents employer.
- Tolling provisions in the event Respondent leaves the state of Florida for a period of 30 (thirty) days or more.
- During the last three months of probation, Respondent shall petition the Board for termination of probation and/or make a mandatory appearance before the Board of Pharmacy. The Board retains the right to extend Respondent's term of probation or to impose additional restrictions, conditions or limitations on Respondent's license. Any extended term of probation, additional restrictions, or conditions imposed by the Board must be related to the terms of Respondent's probation or the allegations contained in the Administrative Complaints in this matter.

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Dr. Mesaros to accept the Settlement Agreement.

Second: by Mr. Wright

Vote: Unanimous

B. DETERMINATION OF WAIVER

- i. Sreedhar Sontineni, R.Ph., Case No. 2021-03701
(PCP – Weizer & Meshad)

The Respondent was present and sworn in by the court reporter.

Mr. Howard presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 456.072(1)(k), F.S. (2020), by violating section 465.022(11)(a), through a violation of rule 64B16-28.110, F.A.C. **Count II:** 456.072(1)(k) by violating section 465.022(11)(a), through a violation of rule 64B16-27.100(2), F.A.C. **Count III:** section 456.072(1)(k) by violating section 465.022(11)(a), through a violation of rule 64B16-28.102(4), F.A.C. by failing to perform legal obligations as the prescription department manager as during a routine inspection of My Pharmacy of Homestead several deficiencies were documented such as expired medications in active stock, personnel not properly identified, and prescription department was not clean and/or safe with documented presence of mold in the prescription department refrigerator.

Motion: by Mr. Philip to find the Administrative Complaint was properly served on Respondent and that Respondent failed to timely respond to the Administrative Complaint and has waived the right to request a hearing, accept into evidence of the final investigative file and adopt as its findings of fact, and conclusions of law as set forth in the Administrative Complaint.

Second: by Mr. Wright

Vote: Unanimous

Motion: by Mr. Philip to find the conclusions set forth in the Administrative Complaint constitutes a violation of the practice act.

Second: by Mr. Wright

A late signed Settlement Agreement was presented to the Board with the following terms:

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- Appearance
- Fine of \$2,500.00 to be paid within ninety (90) days of the filing of the Final Order.
- Successful completion of a twelve (12) hour laws and rules course to be in addition to the hours required for renewal and to be completed within one (1) year of the filing of the Final Order.
- Probation for one (1) year of Respondent's license to include:
 - Respondent may not serve as a PDM of any other pharmacy except My Pharmacy of Homestead.
 - Respondent shall not work for more than two (2) pharmacies during each quarter of the probationary period unless prior written approval by the Board.
 - Respondent shall submit reports every three (3) months to the Compliance Officer confirming where Respondent is engaging in Pharmacy practice.
 - Submission of reports every three (3) months to the Compliance Officer from the Respondents employer.
 - Tolling provisions in the event Respondent leaves the state of Florida for a period of 30 (thirty) days or more.
 - During the last three months of probation, Respondent shall petition the Board for termination of probation and/or make a mandatory appearance before the Board of Pharmacy. The Board retains the right to extend Respondent's term of probation or to impose additional restrictions, conditions or limitations on Respondent's license. Any extended term of probation, additional restrictions, or conditions imposed by the Board must be related to the terms of Respondent's probation or the allegations contained in the Administrative Complaints in this matter.

Motion: by Mr. Wright to accept the Departments recommendation as outlined in the Settlement Agreement.

Second: by Dr. Segovia

Vote: Unanimous

Motion: by Dr. Hickman to impose the costs of \$767.41 to be paid within ninety (90) days the of the filing of the Final Order.

Second: by Dr. Ghazvini

Vote: Unanimous

- ii. Patricia Ann Doud, R.P.T., Case No. 2020-08739
(PCP – Montgomery & Philip)

The Respondent not present nor represented by Counsel.

Mr. Camacho presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 456.072(1)(m), F.S. (2019) **Count II:** Section 465.016(1)(e), F.S. (2019), through a violation of section 893.13(7)(a)9, F.S. by unlawfully possessing controlled substances and using her position as a registered pharmacy technician to steal one or more controlled substances.

Motion: by Dr. Mesaros to find the Administrative Complaint was properly served on Respondent and that Respondent failed to timely respond to the Administrative Complaint

and has waived the right to request a hearing, to accept into evidence of the final investigative file, to adopt as its findings of fact, and conclusions of law as set forth in the Administrative Complaint and to find the conclusions set forth in the Administrative Complaint constitutes a violation of the practice act.

Second: by Mr. Wright

Vote: Unanimous

The Department presented the following recommendation:

- Revocation

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Dr. Mesaros to accept the Departments recommendation.

Second: by Mr. Wright

Vote: Unanimous

The Department withdrew their motion for costs.

- iii. Patricia Ann Doud, R.P.T., Case No. 2021-05053
(PCP – Weizer & Wright)

The Respondent not present nor represented by Counsel.

Mr. Camacho presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 456.072(1)(c), F.S. (2020) by being convicted of a crime related to the practice of pharmacy as the Respondent entered a plea of nolo contendere to one count of possession of a schedule II-controlled substance, a felony violation of section 893.13(6)(a).

Motion: by Mr. Philip to find the Administrative Complaint was properly served on Respondent and that Respondent failed to timely respond to the Administrative Complaint and has waived the right to request a hearing, to accept into evidence of the final investigative file, to adopt as its findings of fact, and conclusions of law as set forth in the Administrative Complaint and to find the conclusions set forth in the Administrative Complaint constitutes a violation of the practice act.

Second: by Dr. Hickman

Vote: Unanimous

The Department presented the following recommendation:

- Revocation

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Mr. Philip to accept the Departments recommendation.

Second: by Mr. Meshad

Vote: Unanimous

The Department withdrew their motion for costs.

iv. Rachel Christina Potter, R.P.T., Case No. 2020-34091
(PCP – Mikhael & Wright)

The Respondent was not present nor represented by Counsel.

Mr. Howard presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 465.016(1)(a), F.S. (2020), by obtaining a license by misrepresentation or fraud by providing false information on her license application.

Motion: by Dr. Hickman to find the Administrative Complaint was properly served on Respondent and that Respondent failed to timely respond to the Administrative Complaint and has waived the right to request a hearing, to accept into evidence of the final investigative file, to adopt as its findings of fact, and conclusions of law as set forth in the Administrative Complaint and to find the conclusions set forth in the Administrative Complaint constitutes a violation of the practice act.

Second: by Dr. Ghazvini

Vote: Unanimous

The Department presented the following recommendation:

- Revocation

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Mr. Philip to accept the Departments recommendation.

Second: by Dr. Ghazvini

Vote: Unanimous

The Department withdrew their motion for costs.

v. Vital Life Institute, LLC, d/b/a AgeVital Pharmacy
Case No. 2021-04493
(PCP – Montgomery & Mesaros)

The Respondent was not present nor represented by Counsel.

Mr. Camacho presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 465.023(1)(c), F.S. (2020), through rule 64B16-28.202(3)(a) and/or (b), F.A.C., by failing to properly transfer prescription files and medicinal drugs when closing a pharmacy. The Respondent was evicted from its physical location and failed to notify the Board in writing of the effective date of closure, return its permit, or advise which permittee would receive its prescription files.

Motion: by Dr. Hickman to find the Administrative Complaint was properly served on Respondent and that Respondent failed to timely respond to the Administrative Complaint and has waived the right to request a hearing, to accept into evidence of the final investigative file, to adopt as its findings of fact, and conclusions of law as set forth in the Administrative Complaint and to find the conclusions set forth in the Administrative Complaint constitutes a violation of the practice act.

Second: by Dr. Ghazvini
Vote: Unanimous

The Department presented the following recommendation:

- Revocation

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Mr. Philip to accept the Departments recommendation.
Second: by Dr. Ghazvini
Vote: Unanimous

The Department withdrew their motion for costs.

- vi. Vital Life Institute, LLC, d/b/a AgeVital Pharmacy
Case No. 2020-07879
(PCP – Weizer & Hickman)

The Respondent was not present nor represented by Counsel.

Mr. Camacho presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 465.023(1)(c), F.S. (2019), through section 499.005(2) and/or 499.007, F.S. **Count II:** Section 465.023(1)(c), through rule 64B16-28.140(4), F.A.C. **Count III:** Section 465.023(1)(c), through rule 64B16-27.700(3)(f) and/or (g), F.A.C. by violating the standard practice for compounding, violating requirements for records maintained in a data processing system and adulteration or misbranding of a drug.

Motion: by Mr. Philip to find the Administrative Complaint was properly served on Respondent and that Respondent failed to timely respond to the Administrative Complaint and has waived the right to request a hearing, to accept into evidence of the final investigative file, to adopt as its findings of fact, and conclusions of law as set forth in the Administrative Complaint and to find the conclusions set forth in the Administrative Complaint constitutes a violation of the practice act.

Second: by Dr. Ghazvini
Vote: Unanimous

The Department presented the following recommendation:

- Revocation

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Dr. Ghazvini to accept the Departments recommendation.
Second: by Mr. Meshad
Vote: Unanimous

The Department withdrew their motion for costs.

vii. Sesily Edwards, R.P.T., Case No. 2019-02090
(PCP – Mikhael & Philip)

The Respondent was not present nor represented by Counsel.

Mr. Camacho presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): **Count I:** Section 456.072(1)(c), F.S. (2020) **Count II:** Section 456.072(1)(x), F.S. (2020), by being found guilty of a third-degree felony violation of section 817.034(4)(a)3., F.S. and failing to report the conviction to the Board or Department within thirty days.

Motion: by Mr. Wright to find the Administrative Complaint was properly served on Respondent and that Respondent failed to timely respond to the Administrative Complaint and has waived the right to request a hearing, to accept into evidence of the final investigative file, to adopt as its findings of fact, and conclusions of law as set forth in the Administrative Complaint and to find the conclusions set forth in the Administrative Complaint constitutes a violation of the practice act.

Second: by Dr. Segovia

Vote: Unanimous

The Department presented the following recommendation:

- Revocation

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Dr. Ghazvini to accept the Departments recommendation.

Second: by Mr. Wright

Vote: Unanimous

The Department withdrew their motion for costs.

C. INFORMAL

- i. Tracy Daise, R.Ph., Case No. 2021-08800
(PCP – Weizer & Gift)

The Respondent was present and represented by Edwin Bayo, Esq.

William Jacobs, Associate Medical Director Professional Resources Network, was present on behalf of PRN.

Mr. Camacho presented the case to the Board. The Respondent was charged with the following violation(s): Section 456.072(1)(c), F.S. (2020) by being convicted of or entering a plea of guilt or nolo contendere a crime related to the practice of pharmacy. The Respondent entered a plea of guilty to one count of Obtaining or Attempting to Obtain a controlled substance by fraud, a third-degree felony violation of section 893.13(7)(a)(9), F.S.

Motion: by Mr. Philip to find that the Respondent was properly served, and the matter was appropriately before the Board as an informal hearing, to accept the investigative report into evidence, and adopt the findings of fact as set forth in the Administrative Complaint and to adopt

the conclusions of law as set forth in the Administrative Complaint
Second: by Mr. Meshad
Vote: Unanimous

Motion: by Mr. Philip to find by clear and convincing evidence that this constitutes a violation of the Practice Act.
Second: by Mr. Meshad
Vote: Unanimous

The Department presented the following recommendation:

- Suspension until eligible to renew her license and personally appears before the Board and can demonstrate she is safe to practice, to include an evaluation by a PRN approved evaluator.

After discussion, the following action was taken:

Motion: by Mr. Meshad to accept the Departments recommendation.
Second: by Dr. Hickman
Vote: Unanimous

Motion: by Dr. Hickman to impose the costs of \$304.58 payable within ninety (90) days of the reinstatement of the license.
Second: by Mr. Meshad
Vote: Unanimous

D. VOLUNTARY RELINQUISHMENT

- i. Jessica Linton, R.P.T., Case No. 2019-17124
(PCP – Weizer & Meshad)

Motion: by Mr. Wright to accept the voluntary relinquishment.
Second: by Dr. Mesaros
Vote: Unanimous

E. Prosecution Services Report – Alejandro Camacho

Mr. Camacho presented the prosecution services case report to the Board and explained the current caseload is at 227 cases, from 254.

Motion: by Mr. Philip to allow prosecution to continue prosecuting cases older than one year.
Second: by Dr. Hickman
Vote: Unanimous

III. APPLICATIONS FOR REVIEW – Jeenu Philip, BPharm

A. Pharmacists

- i. Jeana Crenshaw

The applicant was present and sworn in by the court reporter.

The applicant applied for a pharmacist license and answered yes to the discipline history questions on her application.

After further discussion the Board took the following action:

Motion: by Mr. Philip to approve the application.

Second: by Dr. Mesaros

Vote: Unanimous

B. Registered Pharmacy Technician

i. Vanessa Butler

The applicant was present and sworn in by the court reporter.

The applicant applied for a registered pharmacy technician license and answered yes to the criminal history questions on her application.

After further discussion the Board took the following action:

Motion: by Mr. Wright to approve the application.

Second: by Mr. Philip

Vote: Unanimous

C. Pharmacy Permits

i. Elsa Pharmacy

The applicant submitted an application for a Special Closed System pharmacy permit and was required to appear due to the criminal history of the prescription department manager.

The applicant requested to withdraw their application.

Motion: by Mr. Meshad to approve the withdraw of the application.

Second: by Mr. Philip

Vote: Unanimous

IV. PETITION FOR MODIFICATION OF FINAL ORDER

A. Juan Ibietatorremendia

The petitioner was and sworn in by the court reporter.

Dr. Jacobs was present on behalf of PRN.

Mr. Ibietatorremendia is currently enrolled in a licensure lifetime contract with PRN. He has successfully been enrolled for thirteen years and requested the Board lift the PRN obligations from his license.

Motion: by Dr. Mesaros to approve the petition and remove all conditions from Mr. Ibietatorremendia's license.

Second: by Mr. Wright

Vote: Unanimous

V. RULE DISCUSSION

A. 465.189, F.S., Administration of Vaccines and Epinephrine Autoinjection

Board Counsel provided the below rule language for the Board's review and consideration.

64B16-27.635 Additional Immunizations or Vaccines Which May Be Administered

The following vaccines that have been licensed for use in the United States may be administered pursuant to Section 465.189, F.S.

Covid-19 Vaccines that have been approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration as of [Insert Effective Date of the Rule].

Motion: by Dr. Hickman to approve the proposed rule language

Second: by Mr. Wright

Vote: Unanimous

Motion: by Mr. Philip to find no economic impact, to find that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Cost was not necessary, and the rule will not need legislative ratification, to find that no part of this rule or a violation of this rule should be designated as a minor violation.

Second: by Dr. Hickman

Vote: Unanimous

Motion: by Dr. Hickman to find this rule shall not include a sunset provision.

Second: by Dr. Ghazvini

Vote: Unanimous

B. 64B16-30.001, F.A.C., Disciplinary Guidelines; Range of Penalties; Aggravating and Mitigating Circumstances

Mr. Dierlam provided an overview of the JAPC correspondence.

To comply with the guidelines set forth in 456.079(2), Mr. Dierlam provided the suggested amendment to 64B16-30.001(2)(bb).

VIOLATION	FLORIDA LICENSE PENALTY RANGE		OUT-OF-STATE TELEHEALTH PROVIDER PENALTY RANGE	
	FIRST VIOLATION	SECOND AND SUBSEQUENT VIOLATIONS	FIRST VIOLATION	SECOND AND SUBSEQUENT VIOLATIONS
(bb) Failure to comply with the parental consent requirements of section 1014.06. (Section 456.072(1)(rr), F.S.)	<u>MIN: Reprimand and a \$250 fine;</u> <u>MAX: \$500 fine and one (1) year of probation.</u>	<u>MIN: \$500 \$1,000 fine and six (6) month suspension followed by one (1) year of probation;</u> <u>MAX: Revocation.</u>	<u>MIN: Reprimand;</u> <u>MAX: Suspension and a corrective action plan.</u>	<u>MIN: Suspension and a corrective action plan;</u> <u>MAX: Revocation.</u>

Motion: by Mr. Wright to approve the proposed rule language
Second: by Dr. Ghazvini
Vote: Unanimous

Motion: by Dr. Hickman to find no economic impact, to find that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Cost was not necessary, and the rule will not need legislative ratification, to find that no part of this rule or a violation of this rule should be designated as a minor violation.
Second: by Mr. Wright
Vote: Unanimous

Motion: by Dr. Hickman to find this rule shall not include a sunset provision.
Second: by Mr. Wright
Vote: Unanimous

VI. REPORTS – Jonathan Hickman, PharmD, Chair
A. Board Chair

Dr. Hickman addressed the Board and extended his gratitude to the Board and Board Staff during his time served as the Chair.

B. Executive Director's Report – Jessica Sapp, Executive Director
i. Legislative Update

Ms. Sapp provided an overview of the bills that have currently been filed for the 2022 legislation.

Mary Crane, DOH Investigative Services, addressed the Board and provided an overview of the data collected from pharmacies as it relates to SB 1096 Regulation of Compounded Drug Products.

ii. Financial Reports

This was provided for informational purposes only.

iii. 2022 Probable Cause Panel Dates

This was provided for informational purposes only.

iv. 2022 Board Meeting Dates and Locations

This was provided for informational purposes only.

C. Board Counsel Report – David Flynn, Senior Assistant Attorney General
i. Rules Status Report

Ms. Flynn provided the Board with a summary of the current rules report.

ii. JAPC Correspondence

This was provided for informational purposes only.

D. Committee Report

i. Compounding Committee – Dorinda Segovia, PharmD, MBA

a. Compounding Committee Update

Dr. Segovia provided an overview of the December 15, 2021 Committee Meeting.

Motion: by Mr. Mesaros to delegate Dr. Segovia to draft and submit comments to USP on behalf of the Board through the Compounding Committee.

Second: by Dr. Ghazvini

Vote: Unanimous

Michael Jackson, CEO Florida Pharmacy Association, addressed the Board regarding SB 742.

E. Investigative Services Report – Robert Difiore, Pharmaceutical Program Manager

Gillian Staikos provided a brief update on the inspection results as of December 2021.

As of December 2021 - Non-Sterile Pharmacy inspections currently at 3,487 inspections completed; Sterile Compounding Pharmacy inspections currently at 322 inspections completed.

VII. NEW BUSINESS – Jonathan Hickman, PharmD, Chair

A. 2022 Election of Officers

Motion: by Dr. Hickman to appoint Mr. Wright as the Board Chair for the year 2022.

Second: by Dr. Mesaros

Vote: Unanimous

Motion: by Mr. Wright to appoint Mr. Philip as the Board Vice-Chair for the year 2022.

Second: by Dr. Hickman

Vote: Unanimous

B. Ratification of Issued Licenses/Certificates

- i. Pharmacist (licensure) – 301
- ii. Pharmacist (exam eligibility) – 303
- iii. Pharmacist Intern – 387
- iv. Consultant Pharmacist – 82
- v. Nuclear Pharmacist – 3
- vi. Pharmacy/Facilities – 125
- vii. Registered Pharmacy Technician – 1,543
- viii. Registered Pharmacy Technician Training Program – 21
- ix. Nonresident Sterile Compound – 4
- x. Approved CE Courses – 12
- xi. Approved CE Providers – 1

Motion: by Dr. Mesaros to accept the ratification lists.

Second: by Mr. Philip

Vote: Unanimous

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I. OLD BUSINESS – Jonathan Hickman, PharmD, Chair

A. Review and Approval of Meeting Minutes

- i. October 13, 2021 White and Brown Bagging Workgroup Meeting Minutes
- ii. October 13, 2021 Compounding Committee Meeting Minutes
- iii. October 14, 2021 Rule Hearing and General Business Meeting Minutes

Motion: by Dr. Mesaros to accept the meeting minutes.

Second: by Dr. Ghazvini

Vote: Unanimous

II. FOR YOUR INFORMATION

A. Florida Prescription Drug Monitoring Program Monthly Report

This was provided for informational purposes.

III. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.