IOWA ACCOUNTANCY EXAMINING BOARD 200 East Grand Ave, Suite 350 | Des Moines, IA 50309

Open Session Minutes Board Meeting July 28, 2022 10:00 a.m.

Board members present for all or part of the meeting:

James Smith Jennifer Dickey – via Zoom

Bradley Hauge – via Zoom Allen Kockler

Jessica Richter – via Zoom Lesley Bartholomew – via Zoom

Board members absent:

Michelle O'Neill

Staff Present:

Robert Lampe, Executive Officer Kimberly Gleason, Administrative Assistant

Brad Horn, AAG Renee Paulsen, PLB Staff

Lori SchraderBachar, Bureau Chief Demetria Witt, Licensing Specialist

Public Present:

Cindy Adams, ISCPA

Call to Order:

Kockler called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m.

Roll call was taken and quorum was established.

No corrections or changes made to the agenda.

Motion by Smith to approve open and closed session minutes from May 26, 2022, as presented.

Seconded by Bartholomew.

VOTE: Aye: All Nay: None Abstaining: None

Motion passed unanimously.

Chair's Comments

Kockler reported that discipline meet prior to meeting and it went well.

Bureau Chief Comments

SchraderBachar welcomed new PLB staff member, Demetria Witt and advised of staffing changes. SchraderBachar stated she contacted the Governor's office regarding the board vacancy.

Executive Officer Comments

Lampe reported on renewals and reminded board members to submit their per diems.

Assistant Attorney General Comments

Horn advised that a rule change will need to be made.

New Business

Discussion NASBA Ireland MRA

Lampe announced that NASBA has an MRA with Ireland which will require a rule change.

Discussion and Vote, NASBA CPA Transition Recommendation

Lampe stated that the new CPA exams will launch January 2024 and board went into short discussion.

Motion by Smith to allow any canidate with Uniform CPA Examination credit(s) on January 1, 2024, will have such credit(s) extended to June 30, 2025.

Seconded by Hauge.

VOTE: Aye: All

Nay: None

Abstaining: None

Motion passed unanimously.

NASBA Regional Meeting Report - Smith

Smith provided a copy of his meeting summery and board inquired on some of the bullet points.

Vote on Attendees including authority to vote, NASBA Annual Meeting, San Diego.

Motion by Richter to approve Lampe and Smith to attend the NASBA Annual Meeting in San Diego with the authority to vote on behalf of Iowa.

Seconded by Hauge.

VOTE: Aye: All

Nay: None

Abstaining: None

Motion passed unanimously.

Vote on NASBA Committee Member Travel, FY23

Motion by Bartholomew to approve NASBA Committee Member Travel, FY23.

Seconded by Hauge.

VOTE: Aye: All

Nay: None

Abstaining: None

Motion passed unanimously.

Public Comment

Adams thanked the board and spoke briefly.

Adams left the meeting at 10:43 a.m.

Kockler called for break at 10:44 a.m.

Discipline Committee Report and Recommendations:

Motion made by Kockler to go into Closed Session: In accordance with Iowa Code §§ 21.5(1)(a) & (d) and 272C.6(4), the Board will go into closed session to review pending licensee discipline cases and investigations, including any cases ready for final resolution through closure or consent order. Seconded by Smith.

Roll Call Vote: Bartholomew, aye; Dickey, aye; Hauge, aye; Kockler, aye; Richter, aye; and Smith, aye.

The Board entered into closed session at 10:49 a.m. and arose at 11:12 a.m.

Motion by Bartholomew to return to open session.

Seconded by Hauge.

VOTE: Aye: All

Nay: None

Abstaining: None

Motion passed unanimously.

Motion by Dickey to close cases 21-07, 21-15, 21-16, 21-17, and 21-19 as discussed in closed sessions.

Seconded by Smith.

VOTE: Aye: All

Nay: None

Abstaining: None

Motion passed unanimously.

Motion by Bartholomew to accept, countersign the consent order, and close case 22-06 as discussed in closed session.

Seconded by Hauge.

VOTE: Aye: All

Nay: None

Abstaining: None

Motion passed unanimously.

Motion by Dickey to accept and countersign the consent order in cases 22-08 and 22-09 as discussed in closed session.

Seconded by Hauge.

VOTE: Aye: All

Nay: None

Abstaining: None

Motion passed unanimously.

Motion by Bartholomew to accept and countersign the consent order in cases 22-10 as discussed in closed session.

Seconded by Dickey.

VOTE: Aye: Smith, Kockler, Hauge, Dickey, and Bartholomew

Nay: None

Abstaining: Richter

Motion passed.

Adjourn

Kockler adjourned the meeting at 11:15 a.m.

These minutes accurately reflect the minutes approved by the Board at the meeting on: sampe on behalf of Chair

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