

MINUTES TO MEETING
STATE OF CONNECTICUT
MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD
FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 2021

A Meeting to the Medical Examining Board was held on Friday, June 11, 2021, at the Office of the State Comptroller, 165 Capitol Ave., Hartford, Connecticut, 06106. Circumstances created by the COVID-19 virus have resulted in all Medical Examining Board meetings are being conducted electronically.

PRESENT:

Sachin Parekh, M.D., CHAIRPERSON
Lynn Rudich, M.D.
Ralph Rosenberg, M.D.

ABSENT:

J. Robert Galvin, M.D.	Richard Blum, M.D.
Vasantha Kainkaryam, M.D.	Nicolai Lieders, M.D.
Eric T. Shore, M.D.	Fielding Johnson, M.D.
Sheldon Nova, M.D.	Frank Gerratana, M.D.
Rita Ohene-Adjei, M.D.	Michael Gerstenfield, M.D.
Manny Katsetos, M.D.	So Sokpoleak, M.D.
Amarjeet Dargan, M.D.	

OTHERS PRESENT:

Colin Newman, Assistant Director Retirement Division
Annette Sadlowski, Disability Retirement Unit, Retirement Services Division
Robert Helfand, Investigation & Recovery Unit, Retirement Division
William Cassada, Investigation & Recovery Unit, Retirement Division
Cindy Cieslak, General Counsel to the Commission Rose Kallor, LLP.

Please note that a portion of the meeting was conducted in executive session as the focus of the meeting was the medical condition(s) of each Disability Retirement applicant.

CALL TO ORDER

The Chairperson called meeting to order at 9:05 am.

Dr. Parekh motioned to go into the Executive Session to discuss medical condition(s) related to the applications for Disability Retirement, seconded by Dr. Rudich at 9:06 am. There was a brief break at 11:07 am until 11:10 am. Members of the Retirement Services Division and the General Counsel to the Commission were invited to stay during Executive Session.

1. Tony Crespi, Attorney Joseph Porto and Dr. Anthony Lendino appeared on Zoom before the Board at approximately 10:00 am. They made statements and then they were excused by the Board at 10:54 am.
2. Jeffrey Patton and Attorney Colleen Casini appeared on Zoom before the Board at 11:21 am. They made statements and then they were excused by the Board at 11:40 am.

Dr. Parekh motioned to come out of Executive Session, seconded by Dr. Rudich at 11:49 am.

TONY CRESPI

D- 5593

CONTINUED ENTITLEMENT(CONT'D)

Dr. Parekh moved, seconded by Dr. Rudich, to discontinue Tony Crespi's entitlement to Service-Connected Retirement.
Motion approved unanimously.

JEFFREY PATTON

D- 6366

CONTINUED ENTITLEMENT

Dr. Parekh moved, seconded by Dr. Rudich, to discontinue Jeffrey Patton's entitlement to Service-Connected Retirement.
Motion approved unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT:

Dr. Parekh moved, seconded by Dr. Rudich to adjourn the meeting at 11:51 am.. Motion approved unanimously.