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**Open Agenda**  
**Missouri Board of Therapeutic Massage**  
**October 16, 2017 – 9:00 am**  
**Division of Professional Registration**  
**3605 Missouri Boulevard – Jefferson City, Missouri**

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Please see attached agenda for this meeting.

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Call to Order	Renate Brodecker, Chairperson
Roll Call	Executive Director
Approval of Agenda	
1. Approval of Minutes	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• July 17, 2017 Conference Call</li> <li>• August 28, 2017 Conference Call</li> </ul>	
2. Rules Review	
3. Missouri Board of Therapeutic Massage v Sean Strickland	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Disciplinary Hearing at 10:00 am</li> </ul>	
4. Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards Annual Meeting (no materials) Brandy Mouser	
Meeting Schedule	

Motions to Close

Section 610.021 subsections (14), 324.001.8 and 324.001.9 RSMo for the purpose of discussing investigative reports and/or complaints and/or audits and/or other information pertaining to the licensee or applicant section 610.021 subsection (1) RSMo for the purpose of discussing general legal action, causes of action or litigation and any confidential or privileged communication between this agency and its attorney, and for the purpose of reviewing and approving closed meeting minutes of one or more previous meetings under the subsection 610.021 RSMo which authorizes this agency to go into closed session during those meetings.

**OPEN SESSION MINUTES**  
**Missouri Board of Therapeutic Massage**  
**October 16, 2017 – 9:00 a.m.**  
**Division of Professional Registration**  
**3605 Missouri Boulevard – Jefferson City, Missouri**

At 9:00 a.m., the Missouri Board of Therapeutic Massage meeting was called to order by Renate Brodecker, Chairperson at the Missouri Division of Professional Registration located at 3605 Missouri Boulevard in Jefferson City. The executive director facilitated roll call.

**Board Members Present**

Renate Brodecker, Chairperson  
Brandy Mouser, Vice-Chairperson  
Jennifer Griffin, Public Member  
Carl Nelson, Member

**Staff Present**

Loree Kessler, Executive Director  
Laurie Koelling, Processing Technician Supervisor  
Zachary Clark, Processing Technician II  
Jeanette Wilde  
Greg Mitchell, Counsel  
Thomas Townsend, Division Counsel

Ms. Brodecker stated she would be voting in open and closed session.

A motion was made by Ms. Mouser and seconded by Mr. Nelson to approve the open session agenda adding a discussion regarding University of Perpetual Help massage school and an update from Ms. Mouser regarding the recent annual meeting of the Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards. Board members voting aye: Ms. Brodecker, Ms. Mouser, Ms. Griffin, and Mr. Nelson. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Mr. Nelson and seconded by Ms. Mouser to approve the open session minutes of the July 17<sup>th</sup> and August 28<sup>th</sup> conference call meetings. Board members voting aye: Ms. Brodecker, Ms. Mouser, Ms. Griffin, and Mr. Nelson. Motion carried unanimously.

**University of Perpetual Help – Philippines**

The board reviewed the curriculum and requested the executive director contact the governmental body listed in the information as the entity responsible for approving schools and programs. The board noted that the program content and instructors were in compliance with the requirements for licensure.

**Federation Update**

Ms. Mouser provided an overview of state board reports presented at the Federation annual meeting to include Tennessee's sponsorship of a law enforcement symposium regarding

licensure requirements and human trafficking, Ohio efforts to educate consumers on massage versus over utilization of opioids and Oregon's efforts to provide licensure information in foreign languages. The Federation database of disciplinary information from member states was discussed also. The Federation annual meeting will be October 5-8, 2018 in Salt Lake City, Utah.

At 9:43 a.m. a motion was made by Ms. Mouser and seconded by Mr. Nelson to convene in closed session pursuant to section 610.021 subsections (14), 324.001.8 and 324.001.9 RSMo for the purpose of discussing investigative reports and/or complaints and/or audits and/or other information pertaining to the licensee or applicant and section 610.021 subsection (1) RSMo for the purpose of discussing general legal action, causes of action or litigation and any confidential or privileged communication between this agency and its attorney. Board members voting aye: Ms. Brodecker, Ms. Mouser, Ms. Griffin, and Mr. Nelson. Motion carried unanimously. At this time, Mr. Mitchell exited the meeting and Thomas Townsend, division counsel joined the meeting.

At 9:59 a.m., a motion was made by Ms. Mouser and seconded by Ms. Griffin to convene in open session. Board members voting aye: Ms. Brodecker, Ms. Mouser, Ms. Griffin, and Mr. Nelson. Motion carried unanimously.

### **Missouri Board of Therapeutic Massage versus Sean Strickland Disciplinary Hearing**

At 10:00 a.m., Mr. Mitchell joined the board meeting. The board conducted a disciplinary hearing regarding Sean Strickland from 10:05 a.m. until 10:14 a.m. Mr. Strickland did not appear nor did anyone appear on his behalf.

At 10:15 a.m., a motion was made by Ms. Mouser and seconded by Ms. Griffin to convene in closed session pursuant to section 610.021 subsections (14), 324.001.8 and 324.001.9 RSMo for the purpose of discussing investigative reports and/or complaints and/or audits and/or other information pertaining to the licensee or applicant and section 610.021 subsection (1) RSMo for the purpose of discussing general legal action, causes of action or litigation and any confidential or privileged communication between this agency and its attorney, and for the purpose of reviewing and approving closed meeting minutes of one or more previous meetings under the subsection 610.021 RSMo which authorizes this agency to go into closed session during those meetings. Board members voting aye: Ms. Brodecker, Ms. Mouser, Ms. Griffin, and Mr. Nelson. Motion carried unanimously.

At 10:24 a.m., a motion was made by Ms. Mouser and seconded by Mr. Nelson to convene in open session. Board members voting aye: Ms. Brodecker, Ms. Mouser, Ms. Griffin, and Mr. Nelson. Motion carried unanimously. At this time, Mr. Townsend exited the meeting.

### **Rule Review**

The board reviewed the rules pursuant to Executive Order 3 and the Red Tape Reduction initiative and amended the rules accordingly. The executive director explained that a second public hearing would be convened at the division to receive comments and upon conclusion of that hearing; the amended language would be drafted.

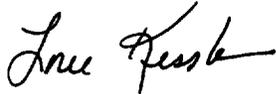
At 11:09 a.m. a motion was made by Mr. Nelson and seconded by Ms. Mouser to convene in closed session pursuant to section 610.021 subsections (14), 324.001.8 and 324.001.9 RSMo for the purpose of discussing investigative reports and/or complaints and/or audits and/or other information pertaining to the licensee or applicant section 610.021 subsection (1) RSMo for the purpose of discussing general legal action, causes of action or litigation and any confidential or privileged communication between this agency and its attorney, and for the purpose of reviewing and approving closed meeting minutes of one or more previous meetings under the subsection 610.021 RSMo which authorizes this agency to go into closed session during those meetings. Board members voting aye: Ms. Brodecker, Ms. Mouser, Ms. Griffin, and Mr. Nelson. Motion carried unanimously.

At 2:37 p.m. a motion was made by Mr. Nelson and seconded by Ms. Mouser to convene in open session. Board members voting aye: Ms. Brodecker, Ms. Mouser, Ms. Griffin, and Mr. Nelson. Motion carried unanimously.

**Meeting Schedule**

The board tentatively scheduled the following  
November 27<sup>th</sup> 12:00 noon conference call meeting  
March 19<sup>th</sup> face to face meeting in Jefferson City

At 2:50 p.m., a motion was made by Ms. Mouser and seconded by Mr. Nelson to adjourn the meeting. Board members voting aye: Ms. Brodecker, Ms. Mouser, Ms. Griffin, and Mr. Nelson. Motion carried unanimously.



Executive Director

Approved by Board on November 27, 2017