

**KANSAS DENTAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES
FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2015, 9:00 A.M.
LANDON STATE OFFICE BULIDING, 4TH FLOOR
900 SW JACKSON, ROOM 456
TOPEKA, KANSAS 66612**

A. Call to Order / Approval of the Agenda.

Call to Order: Glenn Hemberger, D.D.S., President, called the Board meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

Members Present At Call To Order: Glenn Hemberger, D.D.S., President; Charles Squire, D.D.S., Vice-President (telephone); Susan Rodgers, R.D.H., Secretary; Jackie Leakey, R.D.H.; Scott Hamilton, D.D.S.; Jarrod Jones, D.D.S.; Jeff Stasch, D.D.S.; Donna Thomas, D.D.S.; and James Kilmartin, Public Member.

Members Arriving After Call To Order: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Randy Forbes, Attorney for the Board; Steve Johnson, D.D.S., Board Investigator; Lane Hemsley, Executive Director; Charity Carlat, Senior Administrative Specialist; and Vanda Collins, Senior Administrative Assistant.

Attendees: Kevin Robertson; Reenie Olson, R.D.H.; Barbara Keck, R.D.H.; Leanna Clark, R.D.H.; Steve Holcomb, D.M.D.; Barbara Mousel, D.D.S.; Kimber Cobb; Kim Laudenslager, R.D.H.; Wanda Droge; Cathleen Taylor-Osborne, D.D.S.; Brian Niceswanger (telephone); Corwin J. Keltner, D.D.S. (telephone).

Approval Of The Agenda: It was moved and seconded to approve the agenda with the addition of the following:

1. Paragraph F (Stipulation and Consent Orders).
 - a. Move Stipulation and Consent Orders to the top of the agenda.
 - b. Corwin J. Keltner, D.D.S. (Case No. 13-6).

The motion passed.

B. Minutes of August 8, 2014.

It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of November 7, 2014. The motion passed.

C. CRDTS Presentation.

The Board welcomed the staff members from Central Regional Dental Testing Service (CRDTS). Steve Holcomb, D.D.S., and Kim Laudenslager, R.D.H., gave a presentation on the history of, and examination requirements for, CRDTS. Currently, CRDTS has 20 member states and 40 states accept CRDTS. Like other testing agencies, CRDTS dedicates a significant amount of time and resources to ensure that its examinations continue to reflect the needs of each state board for purposes of assessing the clinical skills of each dental and dental hygiene applicant.

D. Supragingival Scaling Assistants.

Attorney Randy Forbes presented a proposed amendment to K.A.R. 71-6-5, which would require dentists to notify the Board regarding the retention of a supragingival scaling assistant within thirty (30) days. It was moved and seconded to proceed with the regulation. The motion passed.

The Board took a break at 10:34 a.m.

The Board reconvened at 10:51 a.m.

E. Specialty Examination Discussion.

1. **Pediatric Committee.** Donna Thomas, D.D.S., presented the Board with a report on the licensure of specialists across the United States. The Board decided that Glenn Hemberger, D.D.S., and Donna Thomas, D.D.S., will work with Cricket Young, D.D.S., chair of the pediatric committee, to make any necessary changes to the pediatric exam requirements.

2. **Oral and Maxillofacial Committee.** Christopher Harris, D.D.S., and Brendan Farrell, D.D.S., were presented to the Board as nominees for the oral and maxillofacial specialty committee. It was moved and seconded to appoint Dr. Harris and Dr. Ferrell as the new members of the oral and maxillofacial surgery specialty committee. The motion passed.

F. Stipulation and Consent Orders.

1. **Corwin J. Keltner, D.D.S. (Case No. 13-6).** Attorney Randy Forbes presented the Stipulation and Consent Order. Respondent, Corwin J. Keltner, D.D.S., and his attorney, Brian Niceswanger, appeared via telephone. It was moved and seconded to approve the Stipulation and Consent Order, a copy of which will be posted on the Board's website. The motion passed unanimously.

2. **Rees Webber, D.D.S. (Case No. 14-19).** Attorney Randy Forbes presented the Stipulation and Consent Order. It was moved and seconded to approve the Stipulation and Consent Order, a copy of which will be posted on the Board's website. The motion passed unanimously.

G. Public Forum.

The Board welcomed members of the public to speak to the Board. Kevin Robertson, Executive Director of the Kansas Dental Association (KDA), was recognized. Mr. Robertson advised the Board that there could be a legislative bill presented for Medicaid audits and insurance.

The Board also recognized Wanda Droge from Delta Dental. Ms. Droge inquired about whether a dental office should submit the hygiene portion of the bill under the treating dentist's name. After extended discussion, the Board recommended that each dental office bill under the treating dentist's name.

H. President's Report: Dr. Hemberger.

1. **Unlicensed Dentistry.** Jeff Stasch, D.D.S., gave a slide show presentation on recent law enforcement findings and subsequent court action against individuals engaged in the unlicensed practice of dentistry in Haskell County. The Board discussed proposed methods to prevent and discourage the unlicensed practice of dentistry. The Board determined that Jeff Stash, D.D.S., Cathy Taylor-Osborne, D.D.S., and Kevin Robertson could study the issue and present any proposed recommendations to the Board for further action.

2. **Dental Assistants and the Placement or Removal of Composite or Amalgam Restorations.** The Board discussed whether dental assistants can place or remove composite or amalgam restorations. After extensive discussion, it was moved and seconded to hold that placing or removing composite restorations into dentin constitutes the removal of or addition to the hard or soft tissue of the oral cavity that is not permitted by a nonlicensed person under K.S.A. 65-1423(a)(8)(A). The motion passed, with one abstention from Mr. Kilmartin, Public Member.

3. **Investigations.** For the Board meeting on April 10, 2015, the Board asked its administrative staff to include a breakdown of investigative information by county.

**I. Investigations Report: Dr. Hemberger / Lane Hemsley.
Inspections Report: Dr. Johnson.**

Glenn Hemberger, D.D.S., and Lane Hemsley presented the status of the Investigative Committee cases from October 11, 2014, to December 31, 2014.

J. Executive Report: Lane Hemsley.

1. **Budget.** An update was provided on the budget for FY 2015 (July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015).

2. **Licensee and Specialty Licensee Report.** License and specialty license reports from October 1, 2014, to December 31, 2014, were presented to the Board.

3. **Executive Session.** Lane Hemsley presented the Board with a letter from the Office of the Attorney General to be discussed during a proposed Executive Session.

K. New Business / Adjournment.

1. **Election of Officers (K.S.A. 74-1405).**

a. **President.** It was moved and seconded to nominate Glenn Hemberger, D.D.S. The motion passed unanimously.

b. **Vice-President.** It was moved and seconded to nominate Charles Squire, D.D.S. The motion passed unanimously.

c. **Secretary.** It was moved and seconded to nominate Susan Rodgers, R.D.H. The motion passed unanimously.

The Board took a break at 12:28 p.m.


The Board reconvened at 12:45 p.m.

2. **Executive Session.** At 12:45 p.m., pursuant to K.S.A. 75-4319, it was moved and seconded to recess into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing personnel matters of nonelected personnel for twenty (20) minutes and reconvene the open meeting at 1:05 p.m. The motion passed unanimously. After completion of the initial Executive Session, the Board reconvened the open meeting at 1:05 p.m. At that time, pursuant to K.S.A. 75-4319, it was moved and seconded to recess into a second Executive Session for the purpose of continuing the discussion regarding personnel matters of nonelected personnel for an additional twenty (20) minutes and reconvene the open meeting at 1:30 p.m. The motion passed unanimously. After completion of the second Executive Session, the Board reconvened the open meeting at 1:30 p.m.

3. **Future Board Meetings for 2015.** Friday, April 10, 2015 (Landon State Office Building, Topeka); Friday August 7, 2015 (Landon State Office Building, Topeka); and Friday, November 13, 2015 (Landon State Office Building, Topeka).

Adjournment: It was moved and seconded to adjourn at 1:33 p.m. The motion passed. The meeting was adjourned.

APPROVED BY:


Susan Rodgers, R.D.H.
Secretary, Kansas Dental Board

4-10-15
Date