

ACUPUNCTURE BOARD

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NOTICE OF ACUPUNCTURE BOARD MEETING

February 19, 2009

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AGENDA

FULL BOARD MEETING - 8:30 a.m.

1. **Call to Order and Establishment of a Quorum**
2. **8:30 a.m. HEARING: Petition for Reinstatement of Revoked License**
Petitioner: Jung Ho Kang (Case No. PRRL-1A-2008-71)
3. **9:15 a.m. HEARING: Petition for Early Termination of Probation**
Petitioner: Cheol Kim (Case No. PETP-1A-2002-28)
4. **CLOSED SESSION: Pursuant to Government Code Section 11126(c)(3)**
to discuss/take action on above hearings and disciplinary actions.
5. **Chair's Report**
- 6.. **Approval of November 20, 2008 Meeting Minutes – (Discussion/Action)**
7. **Administrative Business – (Discussion/Action)**
 - a. Budget Report (Jeff Alameida and Michael Wells)
 - b. Legislative Proposals (Business and Professions Code)
 1. Section 4933 – Change quorum requirement from five to four
 3. Section 4938 – Allow out of state students to qualify for examination/licensure
 4. Section 4939 – Require acupuncture schools to be approved by an accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education
 5. Section 4940 – Elimination of the tutorial program
 6. Any bills of interest to the Board
 - c. Regulatory Proposal (California Code of Regulations)
 1. Retroactive Fingerprinting Requirement

Acupuncture Board Members

Adam Burke, L.Ac., Chair
Kenny Cherng, L.Ac., Vice Chair
Robert Brewer, Public Member
Charles Kim, Public Member
Larry Yee, Public Member

8. **Examination Business** – (Discussion/Action)
 - a. January 21, 2009 Licensing Examination
 - b. Occupational Analysis/Validation Report (Adopt/Non Adopt)
 - c. Discussion Regarding Allowing DAOM Graduates from Schools with Acupuncture Board Approved Training Programs to Sit for the Licensing Exam

9. **Education Business** – (Discussion/Action)
 - a. School Site Report on Kingston University (Approve/Not Approve)
 - b. Application Review and Recommendation for Denial of California Union University's Application for School Approval (Approve/Deny)
 - c. Discussion Regarding Transfer Credit and Possible Action on Proposed Regulatory Amendments to Section 1399.435
 - d. Discussion Regarding English Language Competency Requirement and Possible Action on Proposed Regulatory Language
 - e. Discussion Regarding Allowing Acupuncture Board Approved Training Programs to Award 100% Transfer Credit for Courses Completed at an Accredited Institution

10. **Enforcement Business** – (Discussion/Action)
 - a. Enforcement Case Report
 - b. Review of Disciplinary Guidelines and Possible Action on Proposed Regulatory Amendments to Section 1399.469
 - c. Discussion and Possible Action on Recognizing the National Board of Acupuncture Orthopedics (NBAO) and the National Board of Chinese Medicine Orthopedics (NBCMO) as specialty boards
 - d. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Myofascial Release/Manual Therapy

11. **Petitions Pursuant to B & P Code Section 4967(b)** – (Discussion/Action)
Linda Adams (license cancelled 11/1/05)
Bing Huang (license cancelled 12/1/05)

12. **Election of 2009 Acupuncture Board Officers**

13. **Ethical Decision Making Course** (LaVonne Powell)

14. **Public Comment Period:** Public comment will be taken on items other than those on the agenda; no discussion or action will be taken on these items, but consideration will be made to place them on a future meeting agenda.

15. **Adjournment**

Public Comment on items of discussion will be taken during each item. Time limitations will be determined by the Chairperson. Times are approximate and subject to change. Action may be taken on any item listed on the Agenda.

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