

**MINUTES**  
**INDIANA ATHLETIC TRAINERS BOARD**  
**January 19, 2011**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Mr. David Craig called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m., in Room W064, 402 West Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana and established a quorum pursuant to IC § 25-5.1.

**Members Present:**

David Craig, AT – President  
Larry Leverenz, AT – Vice-President  
Scott Lawrance, AT  
John Miller, MD  
John Knot, MD  
Jennifer VanSickle, Consumer Member

**Members Absent:**

Vacant, AT – Secretary

**Staff Present:**

Valerie L. Jones, Board Director  
Ronnie C. Saunders III, Assistant Board Director  
Philip Thompson, Legal Counsel, Deputy Attorney General

**II. ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

A motion was made and seconded to adopt the agenda.

LEVERENZ/KNOTE  
Motion carried 6-0-0

**III. JOE HARVEY - MOMENT OF SILENCE**

**IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM NOVEMBER 17, 2009**

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of the November 17, 2009 meeting, as amended.

VANSICKLE/LAWRANCE  
Motion carried 6-0-0

**V. OLD/NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Expired Renewal Application Discussion**

The Board discussed the potential requirements for practitioners that have been expired longer than 3 years. The Board outlined the following requirements for reinstatement of license expired longer than 3 years:

- A. Reinstatement requirements for someone who has been practicing in another state:

1. Renewal Application
2. Reinstatement Fee
3. Proof of 50 hours of continuing education
4. Proof of current licensure in another state in good standing.

**B. Reinstatement requirements for someone who has not been practicing:**

1. Renewal Application
2. Reinstatement Fee
3. Letter of Explanation
4. 75 continuing education hours for those expired 3-6 years with at least 50 hours of continuing education obtained over the previous 24 months.
5. For reinstatement practitioners expired longer than 6 year will be required to personally appear before the Board

A motion was made and seconded to adopt the reinstatement requirements listed above.

LAWRANCE/KNOTE  
Motion carried 5-0-0

**B. Elections**

A motion was made and seconded elect David Craig as board president and Larry Leverenz as vice-president.

Motion carried 6-0-0  
MILLER/KNOTE

A motion was made and seconded elect Scott Lawrance as board secretary.

LEVERENZ/MILLER  
Motion carried 6-0-0

**VI. PERSONAL APPEARANCES**

**A. Gavin Gerald Grosh, Athletic Trainer Applicant**

Mr. Grosh appeared before the Board to discuss the positive response on his initial application for licensure as an athletic trainer. Mr. Grosh answered “yes” to the following question:

Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or *nolo contendere* to any offense, misdemeanor or felony in any state?

Mr. Grosh informed the Board that while in pursuing his undergraduate degree he was convicted of operating while intoxicated and placed on probation. As a requirement of probation, Mr. Grosh was required to submit to drug testing as a term of probation and received a positive drug screen for marijuana. Mr. Grosh was then given a second year of probation. Mr. Grosh completed his probation on July 15, 2009. Since completing probation, Mr. Grosh graduated from college with his undergraduate degree and enrolled in graduate school.

Mr. Grosh's application is complete and he has passed the required BOC examination. He is currently working at IPFW helping with athletic training through his employer Sport One.

After discussion, a motion was made and seconded to issue Mr. Grosh an athletic trainer license without restriction.

LAWRANCE/MILLER  
Motion carried 6-0-0

**B. Lindsey E. Eberman, License #36001552**

Ms. Eberman appeared before the Board to discuss the positive response on her renewal application. Ms. Eberman answered "yes" to the following question:

*Since you last renewed, have you been convicted of or pled guilty to a violation of a federal or state law or a criminal charges pending?*

Ms. Eberman was convicted of operating while intoxicated and was placed on court ordered probation. While on probation, she was re-arrested for driving while intoxicated. As a result Ms. Eberman currently has 2 counts of operating while intoxicated and one (1) count for violation of probation pending before the court. She is currently free on bond. Since her last arrest, Ms. Eberman informed the Board that she has been alcohol free for 153 days and wears an alcohol monitoring bracelet called SCRAM. Ms. Eberman further informed the Board that as a requirement of her original probation terms and conditions, she went through counseling. Her next court date is scheduled for March 16, 2011.

Ms. Eberman is currently employed as a program director of an undergraduate program and does not treat patients daily. She requested that she be allowed to maintain her license in order to continue working at her current location.

After discussion, a motion was made and seconded to place Ms. Eberman's license on probation with the following terms and conditions:

1. Probation will last until the completion of all current and pending criminal issues.
2. Keep the Board apprised of all changes in personal and work contact information
3. Keep the board updated on any all changes regarding criminal charges pending.
4. Comply with all terms with all criminal probation or court ordered discipline.
5. Inform the Board of any arrests or violations of court ordered probation or court ordered discipline.
6. Signed copy of the probation report by the department chair within 14 days.

LEVERENZ /KNOTE  
Motion Carried 6-0-0

**C. Pamela J. Kutella, License #36001534**

Ms. Kutella failed to appear before the Board regarding the positive response on her renewal application. Ms. Kutella answered “yes” to the following question:

*Since you last renewed, have you been convicted of or pled guilty to a violation of a federal or state law or a criminal charges pending?*

After review of the submitted documentation and discussion, a motion was made and seconded to deny Ms. Kutella’s renewal application for licensure as an athletic trainer in the State of Indiana.

LEVERENZ/KNOTE  
Motion carried 6-0-0

**VII. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business and having completed its duties, the meeting of the Indiana Athletic Trainers Board moved to adjourn at 11:48 a.m.

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**David Craig, President**  
**Indiana Athletic Trainers Board**