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THE CERTIFIED PSYCHOANALYSTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE JANUARY 20, 2021 PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES

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Due to the current state of emergency, the **January 20, 2021** meeting of the Certified Psychoanalysts Advisory Committee was not held at 124 Halsey, but remotely. Pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-9.1, notice was provided electronically within 48 hours of the scheduled meeting. The meeting started at 9:36 am and was accessed by the public via this link (now inactive):

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The agenda was provided below to the extent known at the time of this notice. The meeting was limited to urgent matters and those related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Any public comments were to be submitted by 6:00 pm on Monday, January 18, 2021 by emailing Indira Nunez, Executive Director at nunezi@dca.njoag.gov. No public comments were received for this meeting.

I. ROLL CALL

Present:

Patricia Harte Bratt, Ph.D., Chair
Delores Johnson, M.D. (Public Member)
Vicki G. Semel, Psy.D.
Roland Alum, (Public Member, Vice Chair)

Also in attendance:

Indira A. Núñez, Executive Director
Tobey Palan, Deputy Attorney General

Announcement of Quorum

Dr. Harte Bratt announced the presence of a quorum and read the below statement:

In accordance with Chapter 231 P.L. 1975, the Open Public Meetings Act, adequate notice of the meeting was provided to the Office of the Secretary of State, The Star Ledger, The Trenton Times, the Record and the Courier Post.

II. REVIEW OF PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES

November 25, 2020

Upon motion made by Mr. Alum, seconded by Dr. Semel, the Committee voted to approve the November 25, 2020 public session minutes as presented. Voting in favor: All.

III. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

1. Administrative report for 2020

Ms. Núñez reported that as of January 14, 2021 there are a total of 35 active certified psychoanalysts in the state.

2. Discussion of Committee's Jurisprudence Examination

Ms. Núñez discussed the jurisprudence examination for the Committee with all the members and explained that because of the current state of public health emergency the exam could no longer be proctored in person. Ms. Núñez suggested using a virtual exam that she had been using with another Board, which had proved to be successful for administration of these kinds of exams.

Upon motion made by Dr. Semel, seconded by Mr. Alum, the Committee voted to approve the jurisprudence examination needed to obtain a certificate in psychoanalysis be administered online. Voting in favor: All.

IV. VOTE FOR CANDIDATES FOR CERTIFICATION (2020)

Upon motion made by Dr. Semel, seconded by Mr. Alum, the Committee voted to ratify the certification of all the individuals below as having satisfied the requirements set forth in the statute and regulations. Voting in favor: All.

CERT NUMBER	NAME	ISSUE DATE	EXPIRATION DATE
48PA00003800	ROBERTO COLANGELI	12/23/2020	06/30/2021
48PA00003700	GEORGE GRANT	12/09/2020	06/30/2021
48PA00003600	CONNIE G BAREFORD	02/27/2020	06/30/2021

V. PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comment received.

VI. MEETING DATES

January 20, 2021
February 17, 2021
March 17, 2021
April 28, 2021
May 26, 2021
June 24, 2021

July 21, 2021
August 18, 2021
September 29, 2021
October 27, 2021
November 24, 2021
December 22, 2021

VII. COMMITTEE DISCUSSION

Mr. Alum wanted to bring it to the attention of the Committee that Paul Rodríguez had been appointed as the Director of the Division of Consumer Affairs.

Mr. Alum and Dr. Harte Bratt further recognized and congratulated Dr. Johnson for her service in the span of the last two decades.

Lastly, the Committee thanked and recognized Ms. Palan and Ms. Núñez for their hard work and will be contacting their respective supervisors/managers to express the same.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion made by Dr. Semel, seconded by Mr. Alum, the Committee voted to adjourn the meeting at 9:55 a.m. Voting in favor: All.