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# Nevada State Board of Cosmetology Board Meeting January 22 2024 NVBOC Board Meeting Monday, January 22, 2024, 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

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Southern Nevada:

Las Vegas Office Address 8945 West Russell Road, Suite 200

Las Vegas, Nevada 89148

Room: Conference

Northern Nevada:

Reno Office Address
740 Del Monte Lane, Suite 12

Reno, Nevada 89511

Room: Conference

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The meeting agenda and any supporting documents can be found on the Board's website, nvcosmo.com. Per NRS 241.020 (11) any supporting material provided to the Board during the meeting will be available on the Board's website no later than 24 hours after the conclusion of the meeting.

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State of Nevada Board of Cosmetology-8945 W. Russell Road, Suite #200 Las Vegas, NV 89148 State of Nevada Board of Cosmetology (Reno)-740 Del Monte Lane, Suite #12 Reno, NV 89511 Nevada State Board of Cosmetology website <a href="https://www.nvcosmo.com">www.nvcosmo.com</a> State of Nevada Website: notice.nv.gov.

### In Attendance

Anita Douglass; Bertha Jackson; Chricy Harris; Dana Lopez;

Erin Litterer; Janie Huggins; Jennifer Keane; Jennifer

Sweetland-Jeffers; Karen Moreno; Lauren Gossage; Molly

O'Bryant; Roxanne Pruitt Harris; Sierra Wold; Steven McDonald;

Tiana Polar; William Dettrey JR

#### A. Roll Call

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 am P.D.T.

#### B. Mission Statement

The mission of the Nevada State Board of Cosmetology is to protect the public health, safety, and welfare of those that obtain cosmetology-related services through the delivery of quality Testing, Licensing, Inspection, and Education Services that focus on consumer protection.

# C. Comments from the General Public- For discussion only

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Debbie Billings provided public comment regarding the regulation of cryotherapy and the scope of practice for an esthetician.

Jennifer Baker provided public comment regarding the regulation of cryotherapy.

# D. Approval of minutes from previous meeting(s)-for discussion and possible action

The Board is to approve minutes from January 8, 2024 Board Meeting.

The Board voted to approve the minutes from the January 8, 2024 Board meeting.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Anita Douglass Status: Passed

# E. Felony Review

1. Petition Geneva Dorsey U-101016574- For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is requesting approval to receive her Cosmetology license in the state of Nevada with a felony conviction.

The Board voted to deny the Petitioner's request. The Petitioner was directed to resubmit her felony documents for review.

Move: Anita Douglass Second: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Status: Passed

# 2. Petition Erika Lozano- For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is requesting approval to enroll in a school of Cosmetology with a felony conviction.

The Board voted to approve the Petitioner's felony conviction for licensure.

Move: Karen Moreno Second: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Status: Passed

# F. Petitions

1. Petition Mei Lu ST-101017182 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is asking for the Board to review her hours and application to allow her the ability to test and receive her Esthetician license in the state of Nevada.

Mei Lu ST-101017182's student records were reviewed and entered into evidence during the Board's Public hearing on Complaint No. C-2022-0211 held on January 8, 2024. Ability School of Esthetics was the Respondent. During the hearing, the Board found factual allegations 1 - 17 as proven, all alleged violations of law as proven and imposed discipline.

The Board voted to continue this matter to the April 2024 Board meeting.

Move: Anita Douglass Second: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Status: Tabled

2. Petition Xin Yu Chen ST-101017529 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is asking for the Board to review her hours and application to allow her the ability to test and receive her Esthetician license in the state of Nevada.

Xin Yu Chen ST-101017529's student records were reviewed and entered into evidence during the Board's Public hearing on Complaint No. C-2022-0211 held on January 8, 2024. Ability School of Esthetics was the Respondent. During the hearing, the Board found factual allegations 1 - 17 as proven, all alleged violations of law as proven and imposed discipline.

The Board voted to continue this matter to the April 2024 Board meeting. Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Anita Douglass Status: Tabled

3. Petition Connie Wright ST-101017184 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is asking for the Board to review her hours and application to allow her the ability to test and receive her Esthetician license in the state of Nevada.

Connie Wright ST-101017184's student records were reviewed and entered into evidence during the Board's Public hearing on Complaint No. C-2022-0211 held on January 8, 2024. Ability School of Esthetics was the Respondent. During the hearing, the Board found factual allegations 1 - 17 as proven, all alleged violations of

law as proven and imposed discipline.

The Board voted to continue this matter to the April 2024 Board meeting.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Karen Moreno Status: Tabled

## 4. Petition Qingrong Gao A-105607 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is asking the Board to review the hours earned in the 75 hour laser course held in April of 2023 provided by Ability School of Esthetics, License No. SC-44984.

On January 8, 2024, this Board held a Public Hearing on Complaint No. C-2022-0211. Ability School of Esthetics was the Respondent. During the hearing, the Board found factual allegations 1-17 as proven, all alleged violations of law as proven and imposed discipline.

In the Petitioner's absence, the Board voted to continue this matter to the April 2024 Board meeting.

Move: Anita Douglass Second: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Status: Tabled

# 5. Petition Gang Wu A-106371 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is asking the Board to review the hours earned in the 75 hour laser course held in April of 2023 provided by Ability School of Esthetics, License No. SC-44984.

On January 8, 2024, this Board held a Public Hearing on Complaint No. C-2022-0211. Ability School of Esthetics was the Respondent. During the hearing, the Board found factual allegations 1-17 as proven, all alleged violations of law as proven and imposed discipline.

The Board voted to continue this matter to the April 2024 Board meeting.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Anita Douglass Status: Tabled

# 6. Petition Frida Tju - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is asking for the Board to allow her to continue being the liaison for licensed cosmetology establishments. This includes but is not limited to New Salon Applications, Salon Opening Inspections, and communication to Board staff regarding Salon Closures.

The Board voted to deny the Petitioner's request, limiting the Petitioner to providing translation and administrative services only.

Move: Anita Douglass Second: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Status: Passed

#### 7. Petition Julie Mills - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is asking for an exemption to be made that would allow her to continue to offer Laser service's without an Advanced Esthetician license based on her previous experience.

The Board voted to deny the Petitioner's request in absentia.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Sierra Wold Status: Passed

8. Petition Joanna Hardin N-46303 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is asking for her late fees of \$520 pursuant to NRS 644A.520 be refunded.

The Board voted to deny the Petitioner's request in absentia.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Anita Douglass Status: Passed

9. Petition Milena Crenshaw U-101016146 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3145486 and V3145487

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations and reduce the fine amount to \$1000.

Move: Sierra Wold Second: Karen Moreno Status: Passed

10. Petition Estefania Ramos Heredia ST-101016097 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3145190 and V3145191

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations and reduce the fine amount to \$1000.

Move: Sierra Wold Second: Anita Douglass Status: Passed

11. Petition Emily Rocha U-101016161 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3146298

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations and reduce the fine amount to \$0.

Move: Sierra Wold Second: Karen Moreno Status: Passed

12. Petition Laura Marie Bejar N-106096 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3146682 and V3146683

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations.

Move: Anita Douglass Second: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Status: Passed

13. Petition Shannon Logan ST-101018798 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3145876 and V3145877

The Board voted to deny the Petitioner's request in absentia.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Karen Moreno Status: Passed

14. Petition Polly Munoz-Halgrimson O/B/O One Stop Shop S-187692 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3145430 and V3145434

The Board voted to uphold V3145434 and remove V3145430.

Move: Molly O'Bryant Second: Sierra Wold Status: Passed

15. Petition Maydolis Alejo-Moreno O/B/O Maydo's Beauty Salon S-706221 - *For discussion and possible action* 

Petitioner is disputing V3145654 and V3145584

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Anita Douglass Status: Passed

16. Petition Maydolis Alejo-Moreno C-45789 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3145655

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Anita Douglass Status: Passed

17. Petition Victoria Sanchez Hernandez C-51528- For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3145844

The Board voted to remove the Petitioner's violation.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Anita Douglass Status: Passed

Petition Garmen Kaizer O/B/O Ocel African Hair Braiding S-188507- For discussion and possible action
 Petitioner is disputing V3145543

At the Petitioner's request, the petition was withdrawn and not heard.

19. Petition Jada Baxter N-10739- For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3145365

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations.

Move: Sierra Wold Second: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Status: Passed

20. Petition Kathleen Lampert C-20776- For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3145420

The Board voted to deny the Petitioner's request in absentia.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Anita Douglass Status: Passed

21. Petition Jennifer Cuevas O/B/O Novak Laser Boutique S-708451 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3144316

Board members Wold, Harris, Douglas, O'Bryant, Dettrey, and Jeffers voted

to uphold the Petitioner's violations. Board Member Moreno opposed.

Move: Anita Douglass Second: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Status: Passed

22. Petition Diane Kemper C-8596 - For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3146070

The Board voted to deny the Petitioner's request in absentia.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Karen Moreno Status: Passed

23. Petition Terry Mahoney A-1678- For discussion and possible action

Petitioner is disputing V3146509

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations and reduce the fine amount to \$100.

Move: Anita Douglass Second: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Status: Passed

24. Petition Alejandro M. Brito Garcia O/B/O VIP Luxury Salon & Spa S-187820 - *For discussion and possible action* 

Petitioner is disputing V3146727

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations and reduce the fine amount to \$500.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Sierra Wold Status: Passed

25. Petition Ragan Jennings O/B/O Ragan's Wax Studio S-188703 - *For discussion and possible action*Petitioner is disputing V3145769

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Sierra Wold Status: Passed

26. Petition Ewelina Manczyk O/B/O Daisy Day Spa S-11525 - *For discussion and possible action*Petitioner is disputing V3145971

The Board voted to uphold the Petitioner's violations.

Move: Roxanne Pruitt Harris Second: Sierra Wold Status: Passed

# G. Misc. Agenda Items

1. Review of Annual Audit - For discussion only

Board to review the audit findings and recommendations.

2. Review of Financial Statement - For discussion only

Board to review financial statements.

The Board reviewed the annual audit and financial statements.

## H. Comments from the General Public- For discussion only

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George Sanders made a public comment regarding Ability School of Esthetics.

## 1. Comments from Board Members- For discussion only

The Board will entertain comments from the Board Members for any item that is or is not on the published agenda and is related to the Nevada State Board of Cosmetology.

No action can be taken on a matter unless it is included in an agenda.

Comments should be limited to three (3) minutes or less.

Board Member O'Bryant opened a discussion regarding the need for oversight of Cosmetology Schools.

#### J. Adjournment- For possible action

The Meeting was adjourned by Board Chair O'Bryant at 4:27 pm P.D.T.