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**MICHIGAN BOARD OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY  
DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE  
AUGUST 4, 2020 MEETING**

**APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Speech Language Pathology met in regular session on August 4, 2020. The meeting was held via Zoom, pursuant to Executive Order 2020-154.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Nicholas Carlson, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:25 a.m.

**ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:** Nicholas Carlson, Public Member, Chairperson  
Sara Klatt, CCC-SLP  
Denise Ludwig, PhD, CCC-SLP, FNAP  
Abaries Farhad, MS, CCC-SLP, Alternate

**Members Absent:** Patricia Roberts, Public Member

**Staff Present:** Weston MacIntosh, Senior Policy Analyst, Boards and Committees Section  
Kiran Parag, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section  
LeAnn Payne, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

MOTION by Ludwig, seconded by Klatt, to approve the agenda, as presented.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Farhad, Klatt, Ludwig, Carlson  
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MOTION by Ludwig, seconded by Klatt, to approve the February 4, 2020 meeting minutes as presented.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Farhad, Klatt, Ludwig, Carlson  
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

## **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**

### **Laura Reynolds, SLP – Consent Order and Stipulation**

MOTION by Ludwig, seconded by Klatt, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Farhad, Klatt, Ludwig, Carlson  
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

### **Tina Sappinton, SLP – Request for Dismissal**

MOTION by Ludwig, seconded by Klatt to accept the Request for Dismissal.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Farhad, Klatt, Ludwig, Carlson  
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held October 7, 2020 immediately following the Speech-Language Pathology meeting scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center (UL), Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION by Ludwig, seconded by Farhad, to adjourn the meeting at 9:31 a.m.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Farhad, Klatt, Ludwig, Carlson  
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on November

6, 2020\_\_\_\_\_

August 6, 2020

Prepared by:  
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