This electronic meeting of the Iowa Board of Nursing is being held pursuant to Iowa Code § 21.8(1), which essentially states that a governmental body may conduct a meeting by electronic means only in circumstances where such a meeting in person is impossible or impractical and only if the governmental body complies with paragraphs "a" through "c" of this subsection. This electronic meeting is being held in the conference room of the Iowa Board of Nursing office, 400 SW 8th Street, Suite B, Des Moines, IA. The agenda has been posted on the Board’s Website and sent electronically to those individuals subscribing to ListServe.

Board in Attendance

Gwen Suntken, RN, Chairperson
Connie Boyd, RN, Vice Chair
LeRoy Strohman
James Seymour
Nancy Kramer, RN
Debra Larson, LPN
Chad Ware, RN

Staff

Lynn Linder, Operations Officer
Doug Bartels, Associate Director Enforcement
Bill Hansen, Enforcement
Kathleen Beebout, RN, Enforcement
Diane Burkert, RN, Enforcement
Kris Watson, RN, Enforcement
Taunya Cunningham, Enforcement
Tracey Westby, Enforcement Secretary
Kathy Cornwell, Secretary
Sara Scott, Assistant Attorney General

Gwen Suntken called the meeting to order at 3:02 PM.

On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to adopt the agenda.

MISCELLANEOUS

On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted to approve the following conference call minutes:

February 12, 2014

On a motion by Chad Ware, the board voted to approve the following closed session minutes:
December 11, 12, 13, 2013 Board Meeting
February 12, 2014 Conference Call

On a motion by Nancy Kramer with Debra Larson abstaining, the board voted to approve the following closed session minutes as amended:

January 28, 2014 Conference Call

On a motion by Debra Larson with Chad Ware and Connie Boyd abstaining, the board voted to approve the following closed session minutes:

January 15, 2014 Conference Call

**PRACTICE**

Closed Session
3:07 PM On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa Code §21.5(1)”a” to review information required by state or federal law to be kept confidential.

Open Session
3:08 PM On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to move into Open Session

On a motion by Nancy Kramer, the Board voted to approve the request for special testing accommodations, due to a diagnosed disability during administration of the NCLEX examination submitted by K.B. The accommodation will allow a separate room and three additional hours of testing time while taking the NCLEX RN examination.

**ENFORCEMENT**

On a motion LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to find that the criminal conviction(s) does relate to the practice of nursing. However, the following applicants have shown sufficient rehabilitation has occurred and may be licensed in the state of Iowa upon successful completion of the NCLEX®.

14-013 Sheila Cummings
14-014 Anne Baumker
14-016 Jessica Smith

Closed Session
3:13 PM On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into Closed Session for the following reasons:

For Endorsement and Exam items, in accordance with Iowa Code §21.5(1)”a” to review information required by state or federal law to be kept confidential.
For Notice of Hearing, Statement of Charges, Settlement Agreement and Final Order Combined, and Closure items, in accordance with Iowa Code § 272C.6(4) to be kept confidential and 21.5(1)"d", to discuss whether to initiate licensee disciplinary investigation or proceedings and § 21.5(1)"f", to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case.

For Closure items, for Case Investigation Files and Voluntary Surrenders items, in accordance with Iowa Code §21.5(1)"f" to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case.

**Open Session**
3:37 PM On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted to find that the criminal conviction(s) does relate to the practice of nursing. However, the following applicants have shown that sufficient rehabilitation has occurred and may be licensed in the state of Iowa upon successful completion of the NCLEX®.

14-008 Maranda Beck
14-015 David Villanueva

On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted to approve licensure to the following endorsement applicant in the state of Iowa:

14-011 Lael Aspenson

On a motion by Debra Larson, the Board voted to accept the Voluntary Surrender in the following case:

12-546 Kendall Baugh

On a motion by Nancy Kramer, the Board voted to accept the Notice of Hearing, Statement of Charges, Settlement Agreement and Final Order (Combined) for the following cases:

12-921 Sherry Irwin
12-971 Lisa Romanetto
13-042 Suzanne Nicholson
13-071 Tammie Illg
13-298 Audra Westercamp
13-416 Torey Smith-Keck
13-556 Cynthia Ruiter
13-702 Michael Schleicher
13-710 Dawn Dawson
On a motion by Debra Larson with Nancy Kramer abstaining, the Board voted to accept the Notice of Hearing, Statement of Charges, Settlement Agreement and Final Order (Combined) for the following case:

13-706 Rhonda Cirksena

On a motion by Connie Boyd, the board voted to close the following cases for lack of probable cause:

| 12-442 | 12-985 | 13-303 | 13-690 |
| 12-560 | 12-987 | 13-304 | 13-708 |
| 12-623 | 13-047 | 13-305 | 13-741 |
| 12-713 | 13-052 | 13-318 | 13-772 |
| 12-714 | 13-115 | 13-324 | 13-773 |
| 12-763 | 13-120 | 13-434 | 13-779 |
| 12-851 | 13-216 | 13-474 | 13-786 |
| 12-888 | 13-220 | 13-506 | 13-807 |
| 12-908 | 13-221 | 13-555 | 13-811 |
| 12-911 | 13-229 | 13-564 |       |
| 12-982 | 13-300 | 13-566 |       |

Closed session
3:42 PM On a motion by Connie Boyd, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into Closed Session in accordance with Iowa Code §21.5(1)"f" to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case.

Open session
3:47 PM On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to move into Open Session.

On a motion by Nancy Kramer, the Board voted to accept the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision and Order for the following cases with the change discussed:

13-068 Kali South
13-500 Carrie Johns
13-711 Molly Kelley

On a motion by Connie Boyd with Gwen Suntken abstaining, the Board voted to accept the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision and Order for the following case:

13-106 Kathie Crump

On a motion by LeRoy Strohman with Debra Larson abstaining, the Board voted to accept the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision and Order for the following case:
13-323 Jamie Brooks

On a motion by Debra Larson with Connie Boyd abstaining, the Board voted to accept the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision and Order for the following cases:

13-679 Leann Briscoe
13-755 Lynda Domino

3:51 PM On a motion by LeRoy Strohman, the Board voted to adjourn.