

**MINUTES**  
**Special Meeting**  
**MEDICAL LICENSURE COMMISSION OF ALABAMA**  
**Meeting Location: 848 Washington Avenue**  
**Montgomery, Alabama**

**January 18, 2019**

MEMBERS PRESENT

James H. Walburn, M.D., Chairman  
George C. Smith, Sr., M.D., Vice Chairman  
Craig H. Christopher, M.D.  
Gary Hill, D.O.  
Pamela Varner, M.D.  
Jorge A. Alsip, M.D.  
Paul M. Nagrodzki, M.D.  
L. Daniel Morris, Esq.

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT

OTHERS PRESENT

Karen H. Silas, Medical Licensure Commission (Recording Secretary)  
Wallace D. Mills, Legal Counsel  
Randy Dixon, Security

Call to Order: 9:10 a.m.

Prior notice having been given in accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act, and with a quorum of eight members present, Commission Chairman, James H. Walburn, M.D. convened the special meeting of the Alabama Medical Licensure Commission.

OLD BUSINESS

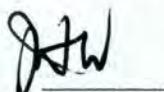
MINUTES                      Commissioner Christopher made a motion that the Minutes of December 20, 2018 be approved with minor grammatical corrections. The motion was adopted by unanimous vote.

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## NEW BUSINESS

### NEW LICENSE APPLICANTS

	<b>NAME</b>	<b>MEDICAL SCHOOL</b>	<b>ENDO.WITH</b>
1	Ali Said Al-Beshri King Faisal	University, Dammam	USMLE
2	Jennifer Lynne Anderson	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
3	Kristine Emaline Andrade	University of Southern California Keck SOM	USMLE/CA
4	Olufolakemi Olaiya Awe	Indiana University School of Medicine Indianapolis	USMLE
5	* Alphonso Brenell Benton	University of Southern California Keck SOM	USMLE/CA
6	Gary Michael Bernard	LSU Medical Center In Shreveport	USMLE
7	Gary Leonard Bernstein	Emory University School of Medicine	NBME/GA
8	Bradley Michael Blappert	Saba University School of Medicine	USMLE/LA
9	Wilfredo Blasini Perez	University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine	USMLE/FL
10	Kyle David Bliton	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE
11	Sarah Beth Breaux	LSU School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE
12	Elena Victoria Bryant	Morehouse School Of Medicine	USMLE
13	Andrew Carey Buie	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
14	Joel Alan Butler Jr.	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE
15	Carter Louis Capra	American University of The Caribbean	USMLE/MS
16	Matthew Stephen Carle	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
17	Maurice Gerard Chen	Saba University School of Medicine	USMLE/OH
18	Jennifer Ming-Yee Chin	Tulane University School of Medicine	USMLE
19	Haley Routh Clark	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE/TX
20	Jonathan Patrick Coll	Wright State University School of Medicine	USMLE/OH
21	* John Orvil Collins	U of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas	FLEX/AR
22	Ryan Jonathan Cone	Augusta University	USMLE
23	Matthew Douglas Culling	Ross University	USMLE/MN
24	Michael Cullen Cunningham	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE/MS
25	Anjali Jaba Das	Rutgers New Jersey Medical School	USMLE
26	Noah DeLone	FL International U Herbert Wertheim COM	USMLE/NY
27	Christian Robert Deutsch	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE/KY
28	Roy Adam Ferraiuolo	University of Florida College of Medicine	USMLE/FL
29	Ryan Anthony Frederiksen	Saint Georges U Northeastern OH Univ COM	USMLE/CA
30	Jose Nahun Galeas Soriano	Universidad Nacional Autonoma De Honduras	USMLE
31	Kyle Harrison Gennaro	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
32	Aimee Soyun Paik German	University of California San Diego SOM	USMLE/CA
33	Zachary Aaron Glaser	Vanderbilt University School of Medicine	USMLE
34	Michael Lynn Gunter II	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
35	John Patrick Guste	LSU Medical Center In Shreveport	USMLE/LA
36	Amr Habbach	University of Damascus	USMLE
37	Larissa Eileen Harkacz	Tulane University School of Medicine	USMLE
38	David Marshall Harris	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
39	Jacob Kevin Hawkins	Florida State University College of Medicine	USMLE
40	Rodney Lemuel Holladay	University of Tennessee Memphis COM	FLEX/TN
41	Matthew Michael Hollie	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE
42	Robin Ifeoma Iriele	Case Western Reserve University SOM	USMLE
43	Adam Patrick Jacobs	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
44	Joseph Arnell Jones	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
45	Kenneth Wayne Jones Jr.	Mercer University School of Medicine	NBME/GA
46	Sehrish Kamal	Dow Medical College, University of Karachi	USMLE/MS



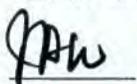
47	Joseph Taylor Klingen	Texas Tech Univ School Of Medicine	USMLE
48	Harshad Shrigopal Ladha	Dr. Vaishampayan Memorial Medical College	USMLE/AL
49	David Lee	Boston University School of Medicine	USMLE/MA
50	James Robert LePage Jr.	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
51	Li Li	Medical Center Of Fundan University	USMLE/IA
52	Gabriel Eduardo Lugo	Meharry Medical College School of Medicine	USMLE
53	Justin Quoc Ly	Uniformed Services University of Health Sciences	USMLE/IN
54	Leonel F. Maldonado Gonzalez	Ignacio A Santos Sch Med Inst Tech Higher St	USMLE
55	Merry Lynn Mann	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/TX
56	Anderson Scott Marshall	TX A&M University Health Science Center COM	USMLE
57	Nelson Felipe Matos Ruiz	University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine	USMLE/PR
58	Jessica Epperson McLemore	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
59	Janet Marie McNaughton	Florida State University College of Medicine	USMLE/CA
60	Kent Michael Melchiors	Indiana University School of Medicine Indianapolis	USMLE
61	Gregory Alan Melish	University of Texas Medical School at San Antonio	USMLE/OK
62	Gabriel Joseph Menendez	Augusta University	USMLE
63	Gwen Ann Minzes	Kansas City University of Medicine & Biosciences	COMLEX
64	Grant Herron Moody	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE
65	Geoffrey Lyle Odom	LSU School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE/LA
66	Olumide Temitope Omobo	University of Virginia School of Medicine	USMLE
67	Timothy Jay Orlowski	Loyola University of Chicago Stritch SOM	USMLE/FL
68	Jordan David Perchik	University of Tennessee Memphis COM	USMLE
69	Jacob Lawrence Pessia	Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
70	Cody Allen Peterson	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
71	John Taylor Pickens	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
72	Jedlyn Pierrilus	University of Miami School of Medicine	USMLE/MD
73	Max Rosenberg Pollock	University of Arizona College of Medicine	USMLE/CA
74	Samuel Glenn Porter	University of Tennessee Memphis COM	USMLE/GA
75	Jessica Tierce Powell	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
76	John Michael Provenza	LSU Medical Center In Shreveport	USMLE
77	Shannon Leigh Reed	Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/OK
78	Evan Kawika Reinhardt	Touro U College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/UT
79	Michael Nathaniel Rozenfeld	Touro University College Of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/IL
80	Nathaniel Sbravati	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE
81	Rachel Suzanne Schare	University of Louisville School of Medicine	USMLE/FL
82	Manal Mosaad Schoellerman	University of California, Irvine College of Medicine	USMLE/CA
83	Kevin Thomas Schwalbach	Univ of Minnesota Medical School - Minneapolis	USMLE
84	Jason Gregory Smith	Vanderbilt University School of Medicine	USMLE/TX
85	Trevor Dylan Smith	University of Arkansas College of Medicine	USMLE
86	William Benjamin Smith	West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/NE
87	Blaire Marie Williams Smith	West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
88	Austin Chandler Starnes	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
89	Luke Mitchell Stewart	Brody SOM at East Carolina University	USMLE
90	Scott Michael Strickler	E TN State University James H Quillen COM	USMLE
91	Shane Fancher Strom	LSU Medical Center In Shreveport	USMLE
92	William Blake Tennant	USACOM	USMLE
93	James Michael Terzian	SUNY Upstate Medical University COM	USMLE/NY
94	Sirsha Reddy Thambuluru	University of Central Florida College of Medicine	USMLE
95	William Jacob Thomas	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
96	Saraswathi Bai Tirumalasetty	Guntur Medical College, Nagarjuna University	FLEX/FL
97	Anson Varghese	Touro University College Of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
98	Sanjeevi Vridhachalam	New York Medical College	USMLE/CA
99	Justin Todd Watts	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE
100	Lucinda Weaver	University of South Dakota SOM Vermillion	USMLE

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101	Kristopher Ross Weemes	Michigan State Univ College Of Osteo Medicine	COMLEX/MI
102	Margaret Compton Yates	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
103	Mazen Zaarour	Lebanese University	USMLE/LA
104	Soe Myint Aung	University of Medicine 2	USMLE/IL
105	Leslie Crawford Avant	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE
106	Thomas Andrew Baker	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
107	Joshua Andrew Beckedorf	Florida Atlantic University Charles E. Schmidt COM	USMLE
108	Paul Vincentin Benson	University of Toledo College of Medicine	USMLE/VA
109	Anirudh Bhargava	Louisiana State University School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE
110	Jeremy William Bosworth	Saint Georges University	USMLE/CA
111	Carletta Maria Collins	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/TN
112	John W. Cronin	Vanderbilt University School of Medicine	USMLE/MA
113	Pedram Daraei	Emory University School of Medicine	USMLE
114	Aldo de Ferrari Giraldez	Universidad Peruana Cayetano Heredia	USMLE
115	Christopher Robert Dennis	Saint Georges University	USMLE/NY
116	Catherine Mae Dickens	St Georges University Medical College of Georgia SOM	NBME/GA
117	Matthew Jordan Ehrlich	University of California, San Francisco School of Medicine	USMLE/MA
118	Salah Eldin Elsaid Eldohiri	Mansoura University Faculty of Medicine	USMLE/IN
119	Matthew Joseph Gilbert	University of Tennessee Memphis College of Medicine	USMLE
120	Jason Peter Graffagnino	Louisiana State University School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE
121	Jennifer Kazuko Ibara	Texas Tech Univ School Of Medicine	USMLE
122	Lesley Ellen Jackson	Indiana University School of Medicine Evansville	USMLE/TN
123	Michael Olen Jennings	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE
124	Ricardo Alfonso Knight	University of Buffalo SUNY SOM & Biomedical Sciences	USMLE/MA
125	Jessica Brittany Knox	Tufts University School of Medicine	USMLE/CA
126	Rubymel Jijon Knupp	Wake Forest University School of Medicine	USMLE
127	Michael Kongnyuy	University of South Florida College of Medicine	USMLE
128	Seema Kumar	Louisiana State University Medical Center In Shreveport	USMLE
129	Samantha Chau Lancaster	Saint Louis University School of Medicine	USMLE/WA
130	Deidra Sanders Long	Meharry Medical College School of Medicine	USMLE
131	Ashish Mahajan	Indira Gandhi Medical College	USMLE
132	Nelson Christian E. Mandrell	Tulane University School of Medicine	USMLE
133	Kelsey Taylor Mansheim	University of North Texas Health Science Center	COMLEX
134	Lynn Turner Matthews	University of Miami School of Medicine	USMLE/MA
135	Cody Lee Milliman	Louisiana State University School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE
136	John Keith Nichols	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	NBME/TN
137	Jaimin Narendrakumar Patel	N H L Municipal Med Col, Gujarat U Kesarsal Med College	USMLE/AL
138	Jenna Lee Wilcox Ridlen	Des Moines University of Osteopathic Medical Center	COMLEX/IA
139	Justin Aaron Siegal	Saint Louis University School of Medicine	USMLE/WA
140	Patrick W Slater II	Brody School of Medicine at East Carolina University	NBME/LA
141	John Winfred Smith	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE/MS
142	Terrance Darnell Weeden	Philadelphia College of Osteo Medicine - Georgia Campus	COMLEX
143	McRae Witherspoon Williams	St Georges U SUNY Upstate Medical University COM	USMLE/MD
144	Alan Mark Yahanda	Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	FLEX/MD
145	Star Ye	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE

A motion was made and adopted by unanimous vote to approve applicants number one through one hundred and forty-five (1-145) for licensure.

\* Applicants approved pending acceptance and payment of a non-disciplinary citation issued by the BME.



**RSVP LICENSE**

Livingston Lee Eaddy, Jr., M.D. A motion was made and adopted by unanimous vote to approve Dr. Eaddy's application for a Retired Senior Volunteer Program license.

**IMLCC LICENSE**

The Commission received as information a report of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact licenses that were issued December 14, 2018 through January 16, 2019. A copy of such report is attached to these Minutes as Exhibit "A".

**LIMITED LICENSE**

A motion was made and adopted by unanimous vote to approve the Limited License applicants presented by the Board (10). A copy of the Limited License applicant lists are attached hereto as Exhibit "B".

**LL FOR REVIEW**

Zakeya Al-Sadah, M.D. Discussion of this application was deferred until the January 23, 2019 meeting.

**SPECIAL PURPOSE**

Paresh Arora, M.D. A motion was made and adopted by unanimous vote to approve Dr. Arora's application for a Special Purpose license.

Olena Dorokhova, M.D. A motion was made and adopted by unanimous vote to approve Dr. Dorokhova's application for a Special Purpose license.

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**CURRENT BUSINESS**

None

Meeting recess at 9:20 a.m.

Commission Chairman, James H. Walburn, M.D. announced that the meeting would reconvene in approximately ten minutes.

Meeting reconvened at 9:30 a.m.

Commission Chairman, James H. Walburn M.D. reconvened the public portion of the Commission meeting. Dr. Walburn made a motion to enter into executive session to discuss the general reputation and character, physical condition, professional competence, or mental health of an individual and to hear, deliberate and discuss evidence presented during any contested case hearings. The motion was seconded and carried by unanimous approval. Chairman Walburn announced that the Alabama Medical Licensure Commission would reconvene in a public session at approximately 12:00 p.m.

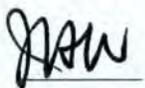
**The Commission entered into executive session at 9:30 a.m.**

Reconvened in public session at 12:15 a.m.

Following the executive session, Commission Chairman, James H. Walburn, M.D. reconvened the public meeting of the Alabama Medical Licensure Commission.

**LICENSURE APPLICANTS FOR REVIEW**

None



## HEARINGS

Michael Kwakye, M.D. Based on information received during a closed hearing in which Dr. Kwakye participated by video, a motion was made and adopted to defer any decision until the Commission's February 27, 2019 meeting.

Peter Lodewick, M.D. Based on evidence received during a closed hearing, a motion was made and adopted by unanimous vote to issue an Order. A copy of such Order is attached hereto as Exhibit "C".

James Davis Blake, M.D. A Motion to Continue was granted in this case with the hearing being rescheduled for March 18, 2019.

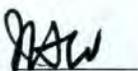
## REPORTS

Physician Monitoring Report The Commission received as information the monthly physician monitoring report presented by Physician Monitor Edwin Rogers. The Commission affirmed the continuance of receiving the backup documents from the Alabama Physician's Health Program (APHP).

Richard Klimas, M.D. The Commission received as information a report on Dr. Klimas from APHP.

Frances Salter, M.D. The Commission requested that the backup testing documentation be requested from APHP that was omitted from Dr. Salter's report and for it to be presented at the February 27, 2019 meeting.

Paul A Roberts, M.D. The Commission instructed legal counsel to prepare an Order to clarify their previous Order dated May 7, 2018 regarding Dr. Roberts CME requirement. A copy of such Order is attached hereto as Exhibit "D" .



**REQUESTS**

None

**OTHER BUSINESS**

Lawrence T. Williams, D.O. The Commission received an Administrative Complaint filed by the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners. A hearing was scheduled for May 22, 2019.

**PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE:** Chairman, James H. Walburn, M.D. announced the next meeting of the Alabama Medical Licensure Commission for Wednesday, January 23, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. A motion was made and adopted by unanimous vote to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting Adjourned at 12:40 p.m.

James H. Walburn, MD

JAMES H. WALBURN, M.D., Chairman  
Alabama Medical Licensure Commission

Karen Hatfield Silas

Karen H. Silas, Executive Assistant,  
Recording Secretary

February 27, 2019  
Date Signed

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Name	License_Type	Lic_no	Issue_date	StateofIncorporation
Kiran Navin Patel	MD	37626	12/28/2018	Kansas
Dennis Dejesus	MD	37620	12/20/2018	Nevada
John Patrick Dutton	MD	37814	01/16/2019	Colorado
Michelle Marie Cecchini	MD	37812	01/15/2019	Washington
Shawn Timothy Stone	MD	37813	01/15/2019	Nebraska
Cheryl Lynn Gladney	MD	37810	01/11/2019	Mississippi
Martin Maimon	MD	37809	01/10/2019	Washington
Jonathan Wily Scott	MD	37808	01/10/2019	Colorado
Elizabeth Hauslein Buell	MD	37803	01/07/2019	Colorado
Andrew Keane Lynch	MD	37802	01/07/2019	Washington
Francisco Rafael Rivera Pabon	MD	37801	01/07/2019	Arizona
Elissa Anne Rosen	MD	37799	01/07/2019	Colorado
Nassif Azzi	MD	37796	01/03/2019	Kansas
Bernadette Nicole Borte	MD	37798	01/03/2019	Wisconsin
Clarence Richard Henriksen III	MD	37797	01/03/2019	Utah
Moe Zafarani	DO	1934	01/03/2019	Wisconsin
Nana Frema Atuahene	MD	37762	01/01/2019	Illinois
Brett Earl Blaser	DO	1932	01/01/2019	Utah
Susan Bernice Dowdy	MD	37711	01/01/2019	Colorado
Zaid Fadul	MD	37729	01/01/2019	Arizona
David Brian Feig	MD	37731	01/01/2019	Washington
Moneera Nur Haque	MD	37768	01/01/2019	Mississippi
Jason Charles Labrie	DO	1927	01/01/2019	South Dakota
Efrem Jerome McAdoo	MD	37594	01/01/2019	Illinois
Victoria Rose Negrete	MD	37732	01/01/2019	Wisconsin
Gregory Michael Peters	MD	37712	01/01/2019	West Virginia
Heather Lynne Ratliff	DO	1912	01/01/2019	West Virginia
Timothy Wayne Ryschon	MD	37733	01/01/2019	Colorado
Alicia Kim Sanchez	MD	37730	01/01/2019	Washington
Neha Bansilal Shah	MD	37614	01/01/2019	Colorado
James Edwin Stone	MD	37747	01/01/2019	Montana
Janelle Lutzke Weyer	MD	37753	01/01/2019	Arizona
Joseph Anthony Zaremba	MD	37736	01/01/2019	Colorado



EXHIBIT B

**ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

Jackie Baskin, Director of Licensure  
848 Washington Avenue  
P. O. Box 946  
Montgomery, AL 36101-0946  
(334) 833-0165

**MEMORANDUM**

**To:** Alabama Board of Medical Examiners & State of Alabama Medical Licensure Commission  
**From:** Jackie Baskin, Director of Medical Licensure  
**Subject:** 2019 Limited License  
**Date:** January 16, 2019

Listed below are requests for a Limited License for 2019.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>INSTITUTION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>
Stephanie Bustros, M.D.	UASOM	Resident
Yesica Andrea Campos, M.D.	USACOM	Resident
Swetha Srialluri, M.D.	Huntsville IM	Resident

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## ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

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### MEMORANDUM

**To:** Alabama Board of Medical Examiners & State of Alabama Medical Licensure Commission  
**From:** Jackie Baskin, Director of Medical Licensure  
**Subject:** 2019 Limited License Supplemental List  
**Date:** January 16, 2019

Listed below are requests for a Limited License for 2019.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>INSTITUTION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>
Mandeep Kaur Bath, M.D.	USACOM	Resident
Matthew Dean Baumann, M.D.	Selma Family Medicine	Resident
Kelly A. Gilreath, M.D.	USACOM	Resident
Mohamed Anwar A. Hasan, M.D.	Huntsville Family Medicine	Resident
Maryam Humayun, M.D.	UASOM	Resident
Mohammed Rigi, M.D.	UASOM	Resident
Alaa M. Zaiied, M.D.	USACOM	Resident

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BEFORE THE MEDICAL LICENSURE COMMISSION  
OF ALABAMA

ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL )	) CASE NO. 15-035
EXAMINERS, )	
Complainant, )	
vs. )	
PETER A. LODEWICK, M.D. )	
Respondent. )	
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ORDER

This cause comes before the Medical Licensure Commission of Alabama on the request by Dr. Lodewick to lift the restrictions on and/or probation of his license to practice medicine imposed in the above case by order of April 5, 2016. A hearing on such request was held before the Commission on January 18, 2019 at which Dr. Lodewick was present and testified. The Commission finds that Dr. Lodewick's request is due to be and is hereby DENIED. The Commission determined that the completion of Dr. Lodewick's federal criminal probation should be a minimum requirement for lifting the restrictions and/or probation of his license and will consider another request after the completion thereof.

Done this 6<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019

*James H. Walburn, M.D.*

JAMES H. WALBURN, M.D., Chairman  
Medical Licensure Commission of Alabama

BEFORE THE MEDICAL LICENSURE COMMISSION  
OF ALABAMA

ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS,	)	
	)	Case No. 17-133
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	
PAUL A. ROBERTS, M.D.	)	
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Respondent.	)	
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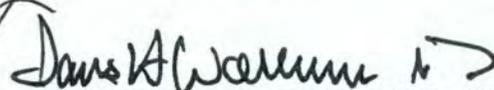
ORDER

This matter came before the Commission on the report of Dr. Roberts’s progress in complying with the Commission’s order of May 7, 2018. That order incorporated the terms of the order of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners reinstating Dr. Roberts’s Certificate of Qualification and set out that Dr. Roberts’s license be “further restricted by those terms set out in the order of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners of January 10, 2018 reinstating Dr. Roberts’s certificate of qualification, which terms are adopted by reference as if set out here in full.” Among other things, the Board’s order directed that, “Dr. Roberts will take and successfully complete the first available and accredited CME course(s) on prescribing controlled drugs, ethics in prescribing, and the current rules and regulations on prescribing adopted by the Alabama State Board of Medical Examiners and the Medical Licensure Commission of Alabama.”

It has come to the attention of the Commission that this sentence may not be clear in its requirement. The above statement requires that Dr. Roberts complete, (1) the first available and accredited course on prescribing controlled drugs, (2) the first available and accredited course on ethics in prescribing, and (3) the first available and accredited course on the current rules and

regulations on prescribing adopted by the Alabama State Board of Medical Examiners and the Medical Licensure Commission. These requirements for the completion of CME courses on prescribing, ethics, and rules and regulations are separate and distinct. The purpose of this order is to clarify the requirements of the Commission's order of May 7, 2018; otherwise, that order remains in full force and effect.

Done this 6th day of February, 2019



JAMES H. WALBURN, M.D., Chairman  
Medical Licensure Commission of Alabama