

**KENTUCKY BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS**  
**MEETING MINUTES**  
**August 9, 2024**

A special meeting of the Kentucky Board Chiropractic Examiners was held at the Department of Professional Licensing located at 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, KY 40601 and via Microsoft Teams on August 9, 2024.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Dr. Shannon Johnson  
Dr. Rachael Kuperus  
Dr. Kelly Cooper-Henson  
Dr. Michael Pugh

**DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL LICENSING**

Kristen Lawson, DPL Commissioner  
April Alsabrook, Administrative Section Supervisor  
Ashley Cotton, Board Specialist

**OTHERS**

Clayton Patrick, Public Protection Cabinet  
Office of Legal Services, Board Counsel

**GUESTS**

Dr. Rachel Wendt, KAC

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**CALL TO ORDER**

Dr. Johnson called the meeting to order at 12:01 p.m.

**MINUTES**

A motion was made by Dr. Kuperus to approve the minutes from the July 19, 2024, board meeting. Motion seconded by Dr. Cooper-Henson, carried.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Dr. Johnson made a motion to get an RFP to hire a lobbyist to have the statute modified to allow the Board to issue emergency suspensions. Motion seconded by Dr. Kuperus, carried.

**APPLICATIONS COMMITTEE**

The J.W. Licensure Application was reviewed.

Dr. Cooper-Henson made a motion to approve J.W. Licensure Application. Motion seconded by Dr. Johnson, carried.

**COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE**

The Complaints Committee presented the following recommendations:

- **2021KBCE00017** – Due to felony conviction(s) and KRS 312.150, recommend changing license status from Not Active – Expired to Not Active – Non Renewal.
- **2021KBCE00030** – Recommend rescinding emergency suspension on basis of lack of statutory authority and proceed with 13B Hearing.

A motion was made by Dr. Johnson to accept the above-listed complaint committee recommendations as presented. Motion seconded by Dr. Kuperus carried.

The next Board Meeting is scheduled for September 13, 2024, at 12pm EST.

**ADJOURN**

A motion was made by Dr. Kuperus to adjourn the meeting at 12:08 p.m. Motion seconded by Dr. Cooper-Henson, carried.

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Dr. Shannon Johnson, Board President