Members Present
Lynn Busdeker (arrived @ 9:44 am)
Matthew Creed (arrived @ 9:44 am)
Hofmeyer, Erin
Ronald Kleinman
James Lee, Chair
Paul McGhee
Chad Miller
Jennifer Wissinger, Secretary
Trevor Vessels, Public Member

Legal Counsel
Melissa Wilburn, AAG

Staff Present
Jennifer Adams, Investigator
Sarah Crawford, Investigator Assistant
Diane Moore, Executive Assistant
Lisa Navarro, Enforcement Division Supervisor

Guests
Victoria Gresh, OPTA
Mikayla Pullitt, OPTA
Amanda Sines, OPTA

Call to Order
James Lee, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:43 a.m.

Approval of Minutes
Action: Ronald Kleinman moved that the minutes from the July 20, 2017 meeting be approved as submitted. Erin Hofmeyer seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Chad Miller moved that the Section go into executive session to discuss appointment; employment; dismissal; discipline; promotion; demotion; compensation (ORC 121.22 (G)(1)). Ronald Kleinman seconded the motion.

The Section Chair Called roll:

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The motion carried.

The Section went into executive session at 9:36 am and came out at 9:56 am. The Section asked Lisa Navarro and Diane Moore to stay in the room. There was no action taken.

Special Orders
Election of Section Chair
Action: James Lee recommended Chad Miller to be Section Chair for the period beginning September 14, 2017 and ending immediately following the September 2018 Section meeting. Nominations were closed. The Section members unanimously voted to elect Chad Miller as Section Chair.
Election of Section Secretary

**Action:** James Lee recommended Erin Hofmeyer to be Section Secretary for the period beginning September 14, 2017 and ending immediately following the September 2018 Section meeting. Nominations were closed. The Section members unanimously voted to elect Erin Hofmeyer as Section Secretary.

FSBPT Delegate

**Action:** James Lee recommended Timothy McIntire to be the Section’s FSBPT Delegate for the period beginning September 14, 2017 and ending immediately following the September 2018 Section meeting. Nominations were closed. The Section members unanimously voted to elect Timothy McIntire as Section FSBPT Delegate.

Alternate FSBPT Delegate

**Action:** James Lee recommended Jennifer Wissinger to be the Section’s Alternate FSBPT Delegate for the period beginning September 14, 2017 and ending immediately following the September 2018 Section meeting. Nominations were closed. The Section members unanimously voted to elect Jennifer Wissinger as Section Alternate FSBPT Delegate.

**Action:** Chad Miller moved that the Section authorize the Executive Director or Agency Designee to accept or reject consent agreements on the Section’s behalf for the period beginning September 14, 2017 and ending September 30, 2018. Jennifer Wissinger seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Action:** Chad Miller moved that the Section authorize the use of signature stamps or electronic signatures by the Section Chairperson, Section Secretary, Executive Director or Agency Designee for the period beginning September 14, 2017 and ending September 30, 2018. Ronald Kleinman seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Action:** Chad Miller moved that the Section authorize the Executive Director or Agency Designee to make editorial changes to motions for the period beginning September 14, 2017 and ending September 30, 2018. Lynn Busdeker seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Action:** Chad Miller moved that the Section authorize the use of hearing officers for the period beginning September 14, 2017 and ending September 30, 2018. Matthew Creed seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Action:** Chad Miller moved that the Section authorize the staff to issue licenses to applicants with completed applications and that the Section ratify the licenses issued by the staff at the Section meeting following the issuance of the license for the period beginning September 14, 2017 and ending September 30, 2018. Erin Hofmeyer seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Physical Therapy Section Liaisons

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Discussion of Law and Rule Changes

The Section reviewed the Five Year Rules. **Action:** James Lee moved that the Section file the proposed rules 4755-21-01, 4755-24-05, 4755-24-07, and no change rules 4755-21-02, 4755-21-03, 4755-24-03, 4755-24-04, 4755-24-06, 4755-24-08, and 4755-24-09. Lynn Busdeker seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Administrative Reports

Licensure Applications

**Action:** Ronald Kleinman moved that the Physical Therapy Section ratify, as submitted, the individuals approved by the Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board to sit for the National Physical Therapy Examination for physical therapists and physical therapist assistants from July 20, 2017 through September 14, 2017.
taking into account those individuals subject to discipline, surrender, or non-renewal. Mr. Kleinman further moved that the following persons be licensed as physical therapists/physical therapist assistants pending passage of the National Physical Therapy Examination and Ohio Jurisprudence Examination. Jennifer Wissinger seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Physical Therapist – Examination**

Morgan Alexander
Molly Louise Allen
Louise John Barta III
Clinton Boring
Meaghan Emily Boynton
Robert Douglas Cameron
Jessica Renee Day
Samantha Marie Edwards
Maria Einsa
Lauren Marie Fredritz
Jacob Lee Gibson
Alyssa Nicole Goins
Caillie Marie Harty
Erica Marie Hersey
Wesley Joseph Horn
Sarah Grace Johnson
Courtney Nicole Knox
Kristen Clara Kupchik
Marissa Leigh Lasky
Neha Likhi
Maria K. Loya
Nicholas Brian Masci
Kathryn May
Jena N Mclellan
Matthew David Nelson
Alyssa Jean Ochwat
Adam Joseph Paljig
Michael Charles Pawuk
Sara Lynn Rillero
Erin Michell Rucinski
Andrew Mason Schmidt
Justin Floyd-Vincent Seekins
Shaun Michael Sizemore
Drew Douglas Snyder
Gwilym Logan Stumpp
Timothy Shane Thomas
Sean Cameron Uber
James Thomas Wackerly
Sarah Elizabeth Wells
Taylor Benjamin Wright

Joseph Edward Alfano
Katherine Shelley Arth
Teale Bennett
Kristina Marie Bova
Joseph John Buchenich
Nicole Cargill
Gina Nicole Dobell
Amanda Elison
Lindsay Fischer
Taryn George
Kelli Girts
Heather Elizabeth Goodwin
Brenna Hauri
Shelby Lynn Hitzel
Peter Gang Yong Hung
Alexis Kanzigg
Karl Koeng
Alexandra Marie Kuta
Jordan Laudick
Matthew Edward Lioi
Samantha Lynn Malmsfeldt
Kylie Lynn Mathias
Katherine Winfred McCorkle
Joshua Murray
David Benjamin Nelson
Jeremy Curtis Oller
Karishma Patel
Kelly Rene Pester
Makenna Ellen Rodenbuecher
Taylor Alyse Ruffing
Brittany Lynn Schrock
Brittany Danielle Sheffield
Cody Uriah Smith
Kylie Nicole Sramek
Jillian Elise Swartzentuber
Joseph Tima
Leah Marie Vertullo
Michelle Theresa Wagner
Rachael Catherine Whitehouse
Mi Gyung Yoo

Mary Claire Allen
Andrew Baker
Abby Biddelstone
Adelyn Grace Boyle
Sarah Rae Buffer
Sunnii Clyse
Alyssa Ann Dymond
Katelyn Anne Egen
Matthew James Franklin
Joshua Gibbons
Troy Albert Glasko
Kelsey Catherine Greenoe
Andrew Dalton Helber
Jaclyn Horchen
Jodie Kelsey Jindra
Kelsey Lynn Kesser
Matthew Vincent Kozioł
Hannah Hilary Lankford
Ryann Elizabeth Leslie
Gregory Lloyd
James Edward Martin
Shayna Patrice Matousek
Victor Thomas Migliore
Jay Nicholas Mulsul
Alexandra Norris
Sarah Elizabeth Osterloh
Nicole Anne Pavlichich
Mitchell Vincent Plum
Emily Rose Roth
Joshua David Sayre
Julia Rose Sciarappa
Cyril Michael Shuster
Daniel Joseph Snider
Susan Jane Staats
Nicholas Aaron Szweidko
Dana Marie Tomassello
Matthew Aaron Vollmar
Courtnee Marie Walter
Shaunisha Dontaya Louise Winter
Julie Nicole Zalar

**Physical Therapist Assistants – Examination**

Allison Marie Aiken
Tara Kimberly Boie
Breanna Danielle Butler
Matthew Allen Casci
Timothy Wayne Dawes
Kendall Marie Detmer
Stephanie Donough
Autumn Emrick

Desiree Renee Bupst
Matthew Joseph Borriss
Bethany Carr
Misty Dawn Cramer
Chris Dobbabona
Danielle Nicole Dittoe
Adrien Rachelle Dunn
Ashlyn Nicole Erman

Kami Diane Berman
Jenna LeeAnn Brown
Emily Carrello
Alyssa Crawford
Jill Marie Deters
Amanda Dolt
Michael William Eicher
Alex James Ferenc

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Physical Therapist – Endorsement
Nicole Bachelet
Jennifer Lynn Crowder
Stacey Lynn Dishman
Lori Lee Flood
Timothy Scott Humphreys
Marsha Myers
Rachael Mary Reuter
Lindsay Jane Southam
Kara Christine Welling

Alicia K George
Katrina Michelle Griffeth
Kyle Andrew Hagerich
Heather Joy Haynes
Alyssa Homan
Alex Theodore Jess
Kevin Kouw Gutierrez
Michelle Lynn Kyser
Dmytro Luzhanskiy
Kody Alan McGuire
Jennifer Monroe
Jessica Lorin Myers
Megan Ashley Pointer
Caleb James Raines
Aubrey Michelle Richards
Kayla Sue Rowe
Gretchen Renee Scherer
Kristin Renee Shimp
Cory Wade Smith
Christopher Jorgen Sovacool
Scott Alan Tyree
Brittany Olivia Villanueva-Martinez
Heather Dawn Wells
Isayel Williams
Bremie Taylor Younce

Grace Rose McIntosh Cathrall
Paula DeLorm
Beth Christine Eppers
Brandon Joseph Hornick
Alexis Katherine Meister
Alena Marie Regelski
Cassandra Catherine Smego
Shelby Jaylynn Way

Physical Therapist Assistant – Endorsement
Cassandra Yvonne Hall
Monica Jane Russell
Justin Murphy Vincent

Rachel Ashley Jackson
Ashley Marie Southern
Jamie Lynn Williams

Ashley Ann Martinez Negron
Ashleigh Mae Trent
Randy Douglas Williams

Physical Therapist Reinstatement
Joseph Matthew Day

Kelly Marie Stratton

Ashley Elaine Suttles

Physical Therapist Assistant Reinstatement
Regina Rae Boyle
Andrew Scot Williams

Gina Marie Caracci
Lavita Lontanette Frelin

Action: Ronald Kleinman moved that the Physical Therapy Section ratify, as submitted, the physical therapist and physical therapist assistant licenses issued by endorsement and reinstatement by the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board from July 20, 2017 through September 14, 2017, taking into account those licenses subject to discipline, surrender, or non-renewal. Jennifer Wissinger seconded the motion. The motion carried.
Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section approve request to withdrawal application SR-04271 based on the documentation provided. **Action:** Lynn Busdeker moved that the Section approve the request to withdrawal application SR-04271 based on the documentation provided. Erin Hofmeyer seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section approve request to withdrawal application APP-000107834 based on the documentation provided. **Action:** Lynn Busdeker moved that the Section approve the request to withdrawal application APP-000107834 based on the documentation provided. Chad Miller seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant reinstatement of licensure application LR-001772511 and accept the continuing education hours submitted based on the documentation provided. **Action:** Matthew Creed moved that the Section grant reinstatement of licensure application LR-001772511 and accept the continuing education hours submitted based on the documentation provided. Chad Miller seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

**Testing Accommodations Requests**
Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: time and a half for physical therapist examination file# APP-00016656 based on the documentation provided. **Action:** Matthew Creed moved that the Section grant the testing accommodation for additional time: time and a half for physical therapist examination file# APP-00016656. Chad Miller seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: double time and separate room for physical therapist assistant examination file# APP-000111835 based on the documentation provided. **Action:** Erin Hofmeyer moved that the Section grant the testing accommodation for additional time: double time and separate room for physical therapist assistant examination file# APP-000111835. Matthew Creed seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

**Continuing Education Liaison Report**
James Lee will sign the updated Memorandum of Understanding with Ohio Physical Therapy Association.

**Assistant Attorney General's Report**
Melissa L. Wilburn, AAG, had no formal report for the Section. Ms. Wilburn notified the Section that she has been reassigned. Ms. Wilburn will continue to represent the Board until October 2017. The Section thanked Melissa L. Wilburn for her service.

**Case Review Liaison Report**
Chad Miller reported that the Enforcement Division closed nine and opened eight new cases since the July 20, 2017, meeting. There are seventeen cases currently open. There are eight disciplinary consent agreements and two adjudication order being monitored.

Chad Miller informed the Section that Brian Riffe, PTA, complied with all the terms and conditions and was released from his disciplinary consent agreement.

**Enforcement Actions**
Chad Miller recommended that the Section issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for case number PT-FY18-003 for conviction of misdemeanor in the course of practice. **Action:** Ronald Kleinman moved that the Section issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for case number PT-FY18-003 for conviction of misdemeanor in the course of practice. Lynn Busdeker seconded the motion. James Lee and Chad Miller abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Chad Miller recommended that the Section issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for case number PT-FY18-004 for conviction of misdemeanor in the course of practice. **Action:** Lynn Busdeker moved that the Section issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for case number PT-FY18-004 for conviction of misdemeanor in the course of practice. Matthew Creed seconded the motion. James Lee and Chad Miller abstained from voting. The motion carried.
Affidavit Hearing

Good afternoon. My name is James Lee, Chairperson of the Physical Therapy Section of the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Athletic Trainers Board. Let the record show that these proceedings were called to order at 1:04 pm on July 20, 2017, at the Vern Riffe Center, 77 South High Street, Columbus, Ohio, 43215. Members of the Board present for the proceedings are:

The Executive Assistant called roll:

Lynn Busdeker Present
Matthew Creed Present
Erin Hofmeyer Present
Ronald Kleinman Present
James Lee Present
Paul McGhee Present
Timothy McEntire Absent
Chad Miller Present
Jennifer Wissinger Present

It will be noted for the record that a majority of the members of the Board are present. There will be three adjudication proceedings today. The proceeding is in the matter of case number LD-PT-17-001, Lakshmi Krishnan.

This proceeding shall be an affidavit-based adjudication relative to a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed to the respondent in the aforementioned case and believed to have been properly serviced according to the Administrative Procedures Act (Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code).

As the respondent did not properly request a hearing in the case, this proceeding will be held before the board pursuant to Goldman v. State Medical Board of Ohio. The individual named does not have the ability to present written or oral testimony today, but may be present to hear the proceeding and outcome.

You have already received sworn affidavit from the Board's Enforcement Division Supervisor and Enforcement Division Investigator and accompanying exhibits for the Goldman Proceeding in your board packet. The affidavit contain the evidence and testimony upon which you will deliberate. Please take a few moments to review the evidence and testimony.

In lieu of a stenographic record being made, let the minutes reflect the original sworn affidavits and exhibits shall be kept as the official record of the proceedings in the aforementioned matter in the Board office.

I will now recognize Assistant Attorney General, Melissa Wilburn, for the purpose of providing a brief synopsis of the case.

Ms. Wilburn reviewed the case for the Board.

Action: Lynn Busdeker moved to admit the facts and exhibits outlined in the sworn affidavit for case number LD-PT-17-001, Lakshmi Krishnan, into evidence. Ronald Kleinman seconded the motion. James Lee and Chad Miller abstained from voting. The motion carried.

There being no further evidence to come before the board, this proceeding is now closed at 1:11 pm.

The procedural and jurisdictional matters having being satisfied, we will now continue with the proceeding by deliberation on the sworn affidavits and exhibits.

At this time, is there a motion to recess the meeting in order to go into private session for the purpose of quasi-judicial deliberation on case number LD-PT-17-001, Lakshmi Krishnan, and to reconvene the meeting after deliberations are complete?
**Action:** Lynn Busdeker moved to recess the meeting to go into private session for the purpose of quasi-judicial deliberation on this matter. Ronald Kleinman seconded the motion.

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The motion carried.

The Section went into private session at 1:12 p.m. and came out at 1:25 p.m. James Lee and Chad Miller left the room during private session and did not participate in the deliberation.

*In the matter of case number LD-PT-17-001, Lakshmi Krishnan, after review of the evidence the Board makes the following findings of fact:*  

1. The Board had jurisdiction to conduct the hearing in this matter pursuant to *Goldman v. State Medical Board of Ohio*, 110 Ohio App. 3d 124, 673 N.E.2d 677 (1996).
2. Krishnan did not request an R.C. 119 hearing on the aforementioned charge.
3. All the facts as stated in the affidavit are verified and true.
4. Krishnan lacks the educational qualifications to be licensed as a physical therapist assistant in the state of Ohio.

*In the matter of case number LD-PT-17-001, Lakshmi Krishnan, after review of the evidence the Board makes the following conclusions of law:*  

1. Krishnan was properly served with the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing pursuant to R.C. 119.07.
2. R.C. 119.07 required Krishnan to request a hearing within thirty (30) days of the mailing of the Notice.
3. A preponderance of the evidence establishes that Krishnan lacks the educational qualifications to be licensed as a physical therapist assistant in the state of Ohio, as detailed in the Findings of Facts, are grounds for license denial under Ohio Rev. Code §4755.47(A)(28), Ohio Rev. Code §4755.42(4)(A)(4), and Ohio Administrative Code §4755-23-02(B).

**Action:** Jennifer Wissinger moved that the Section deny Lakshmi Krishnan’s application to be licensed as a physical therapist assistant by examination. Lynn Busdeker seconded the motion.

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Timothy McIntire    Yes
Chad Miller       Abstained
Jennifer Wissinger  Yes

The motion carried.

The application of Lakshmi Krishnan to be licensed as a physical therapist assistant by examination, is hereby denied, effective September 14, 2017.

The Enforcement Division Supervisor is hereby instructed to prepare an adjudication order to carry out the mandates of this Board and serve the orders on LD-PT-17-001, Lakshmi Krishnan, in the manner prescribed by law.

This concludes the Matter of LD-PT-17-001, Lakshmi Krishnan.

Correspondence
The Section reviewed the correspondence and provided feedback to the PT Correspondence Liaisons.

Old Business
None

New Business
None

Open Forum
The Physical Therapy Section’s next project will be updating the Frequently Asked Questions on the Board website.

Ohio Physical Therapy Association (OPTA) Report
Victoria Gresh, reported that OPTA they are transitioning new board members. Ms. Gresh also reported that the new continuing education porta is running well. The OPTA is in the process of auditing continuing education. Ms. Gresh further reported that OPTA is working with The Ohio Schools Health Association. This group is monitoring Medicaid issues in the schools. Ms. Gresh reported that the APTA created a state policy forum.

Mikayla Politt gave a brief legislative update.

Federation of State Boards for Physical Therapy (FSBPT) Report
There was no formal report.

Items for Next Meeting
Standard Items
FSBPT Jam

Next Meeting Date
The next regular meeting date of the Physical Therapy Section is scheduled for Thursday, November 16, 2017.
Adjournment
There being no further business and no objections, James Lee adjourned the meeting at 1:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Diane Moore

[Signature]
James Lee, PT, DPT, Chair
Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy,
and Athletic Trainers Board, PT Section

[Signature]
Jennifer Wissinger, PT, Secretary
Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy,
and Athletic Trainers Board, PT Section

Vacant, Executive Director
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JW:dm