

Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, April 21, 2009 – 9:00 a.m.
30 West Spring Street, 30th Floor, Conference Room A

Present: Gary DiCeglio, Chairman
William Thompson, Commissioner
Kevin Abrams, Commissioner

Attendees: Christa Deegan, Executive Director
Tom Connor, Director, Hearing Services
Paul Walker, Legal Counsel
John Georgiton, Director, Fiscal Management
Terrence Welsh, M.D., Chief Medical Advisor
Wanda Mullins, Deputy Director, Medical Services
Robin Hossfeld, Administrative Assistant
Susan Murnane, Administrative Assistant
Rupi Singh, Administrative Assistant
Debbie Fodey, Administrative Assistant

Chairman DiCeglio called the meeting to order. Ms. Deegan called the roll.

Roll Call: Chairman DiCeglio Present
Commissioner Thompson Present
Commissioner Abrams Present

Old Business:

(A) February 25, 2009 Meeting Minutes: Commissioner Abrams moved to approve the minutes of the February 25, 2009 meeting. Commissioner Thompson seconded the motion. Ms. Deegan called the roll:

Roll Call Vote: Chairman DiCeglio Yes
Commissioner Thompson Yes
Commissioner Abrams Yes

New Business:

(A) Approval of Final Filing of Rules 4121-15-01, 4121-15-03, 4121-15-05, 4121-15-08 and 4121-15-09: No one appeared at the Industrial Commission's March 13, 2009 public hearing and no comments were received for JCARR's March 30, 2009 meeting. JCARR lost jurisdiction April 11, 2009. Chairman DiCeglio moved that pursuant to Section 119. of the Revised Code, the Commission approve the final filing of the amended rules 4121-15-01, 4121-15-03, 4121-15-05, 4121-15-08 and 4121-15-09 of the Ohio Administrative Code as set forth in Exhibit "A." Chairman DiCeglio further moved that the effective date of the aforementioned rules be

May 1, 2009. Chairman DiCeglio further moved that the next five year rule review date of the aforementioned rules be February 1, 2014. Commissioner Thompson seconded the motion. Ms. Deegan called the roll:

Roll Call Vote: Chairman DiCeglio Yes
Commissioner Thompson Yes
Commissioner Abrams Yes

- (B) Medical Fee Schedule: The Commission members and staff discussed the proposed amendments to the medical fee schedule contained in the Medical Examination Manual, as outlined in Exhibit "B." The Commission members determined to study the issue further and set the matter for the next Commission meeting.

Commissioner Thompson moved to adjourn. Commissioner Abrams seconded the motion. Ms. Deegan called the roll:

Roll Call: Chairman DiCeglio Yes
Commissioner Thompson Yes
Commissioner Abrams Yes

Respectfully submitted,

Christa D. Deegan
Executive Director

