

**STATE OF MAINE**  
**RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY BOARD OF EXAMINERS**

*Minutes of September 16, 2004*

**Members Present:** Dawn Commune, Chair; Carrie Steele, Terry Zipper, Brian Brock and William Curtis

**Others Present:** Penny Vaillancourt, Administrator; Dennis Smith, Assistant Attorney General; James E. Smith, Hearing Officer and Diane Bradstreet, Board Clerk

**Members Absent:** Linda Woods, Complaint Officer

**CALL TO ORDER**

Dawn Commune, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

In a motion by Brian Brock, seconded by William Curtis, the Board voted unanimously to approve the minutes of May 12, 2004 as written.

**DISCUSSION REGARDING COMPLAINT #RAD-008**

The Board held a discussion regarding the Decision and Order that was issued as a result of the hearing held on May 12, 2004 against James Dearborn, Complaint #RAD-008.

In a motion by William Curtis, seconded by Brian Brock, the Board voted unanimously to uphold the following decision as approved by the Board on May 12, 2004:

- Mr. Dearborn's license to practice as a radiologic technologist is revoked for a period of five years.
- Mr. Dearborn shall pay the costs related to the hearing.
- Mr. Dearborn shall pay a fine of \$4,500.

In a motion by William Curtis, seconded by Brian Brock, the Board voted unanimously to amend the motion to state that Mr. Dearborn will also be required to pay the cost of today's proceedings as well.

**DISCUSSION REGARDING APPLICATION OF MICHELLE L. CONLEY**

The Board reviewed the February 19, 2004 application for licensure of Michelle L. Conley and her response to the criminal conviction discrepancy that appeared in her application.

In a motion by Terry Zipper, seconded by Brian Brock, the Board voted unanimously to write to Ms. Conley to educate her to the fact that her February 23, 1996 conviction needs to be disclosed and that failure to disclose this conviction in future applications may result in disciplinary action taken by the Board. The Board will also return Ms. Conley's application to her with the request that she amend Part 6 (Arrest and Conviction Information) to indicate a prior conviction. A copy of the letter sent to Ms. Conley will also be forwarded to the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT).

#### **REVIEW OF RENEWAL APPLICATION**

On September 1, 2004, the Board received an application for renewal of licensure of Cynthia R. Alden. Ms. Alden failed to include proof of satisfactory completion of continuing education as required by Board rules and statutes.

In a motion by Brian Brock, seconded by Carrie Steele, the Board voted unanimously to renew Ms. Alden's license upon her acceptance of a Consent Agreement.

#### **REINSTATEMENT OF LIMITED RADIOGRAPHER'S LICENSE**

The Board reviewed and discussed the requirement needed to reinstate Maria Trozzi's license as a Limited Radiographer. Ms. Trozzi's license lapsed on August 31, 1998.

In a motion by Terry Zipper, seconded by William Curtis, the Board voted unanimously to waive the clinical and educational requirements; however, Ms. Trozzi must sit and pass the required examination.

#### **DISCUSSION REGARDING ABSORBTOMETRY**

The Board received an inquiry regarding whether or not nuclear medicine technologists could perform absorptiometry.

The Board discussed this matter and confirmed that board statute and rules regarding absorptiometry do authorize all three disciplines, including nuclear medicine technologists, to perform absorptiometry.

#### **ADJOURN**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane J. Bradstreet  
Board Clerk

