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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND CENTER FOR PROFESSIONAL BOARDS AND LICENSING RHODE ISLAND BOARD OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY

# 3 CAPITOL HILL CONFERENCE ROOM 205 PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2018 8:30 A.M.

## **OPEN SESSION MINUTES**

## **BOARD MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE**

Ellen Alexandre, RAD Raymond Burdick, RAD Holly Haczynski, RTT Mark Kershaw, NMT

# **BOARD MEMBER ABSENT**

Peter Evangelista, MD

# STAFF MEMBER IN ATTENDANCE

Linda L. Esposito, Board Manager

Charma Waring, DOH Radiation Control Program

# 1. Establishment of a Quorum

A meeting of the Rhode Island Board of Radiologic Technology was held on Wednesday, January 17, 2018, at the Rhode Island Department of Health, Room 205, 3 Capitol Hill, Providence, RI 02908. A quorum was established and the Open Session meeting was called to order at 8:45 a.m. on a motion by Raymond Burdick, RAD, and seconded by Mark Kershaw, NMT. Motion carried.

## 2. Presentation of the July 19, 2017 Open Session Meeting Minutes

Motion was made by Holly Haczynski, RTT, and seconded by Raymond Burdick, RAD, to accept the Open Session minutes of July 19, 2017. Motion carried.

#### 3. Old Business

None for this meeting

# 4. New Business

## ARRT certification for fluoroscopy

Board members advised that when fluoroscopy is performed, the machine itself must be operated by a physician, physician assistant, or radiologist assistant. Radiologic Technologists can assist, and their assistance in fluoroscopy is part of their Radiologic Technology training, they do not require separate training or certification specific to fluoroscopy. Review of the ARRT website does not show a certification available for fluoroscopy.

# • Requirement of CT permit to perform bone density scans

o After review of information provided with regard to a machine which is used specific to bone density studies, Board Member, Ellen Alexandre, offered to contact the requestor for further information in order to determine whether or not the use of that machine would require a separate CT permit.

# 5. Motion to adjourn to Closed Session

Motion was made by Raymond Burdick, RAD, and seconded by Ellen Alexandre, to adjourn to Closed Session at 9:00 a.m. pursuant to Sections 42-46-4 and 42-46-5(a)(1) of the Rhode Island General Laws, for the purpose of discussing job performance, character, physical or mental health of applicants for licensure. Said individuals have been notified in advance by writing that they may request that the discussion be held at an open meeting. Also, pursuant to Sections 42-46-4 and 42-46-5(a)(4) of the Rhode Island General Laws, for investigatory proceedings regarding allegations of civil or criminal misconduct. Motion carried.

### 6. Motion to return to Open Session

Motion was made by Mark Kershaw, NMT, and seconded by Raymond Burdick, RAD, at 9:05 a.m. to re-open the Open Session and to seal the Minutes of the Closed Session pursuant to Sections 42-46-4, 42-46-5 and 42-46-7 of the Rhode Island General Laws. Motion carried.

#### 7. Final Actions on all votes taken in Closed Session

None for this meeting

# 8. Adjournment

The next meeting of the Board of Radiologic Technology is scheduled to be held on Wednesday, September 12, 2018, at 8:30 a.m. in Room 205, 3 Capitol Hill, Providence, RI, 02908. A motion was made by Ellen Alexandre, RAD, and seconded by Raymond Burdick, RAD, to adjourn at 9:05 a.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda L. Esposito Board Manager RI Department of Health Center for Professional Boards and Commissions RI Board of Radiologic Technology