

OCTOBER 31, 2014

**DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICES REGULATION
RHODE ISLAND BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN DENTISTRY**

**3 CAPITOL HILL
CONFERENCE ROOM 401
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND**

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2014
8:00AM**

OPEN SESSION AGENDA

1. Establishment of a Quorum

2. Public Comment

• Topics specific to today's agenda

3. Presentation of the October 1, 2014 Open Session Meeting Minutes

4. Chairperson's Report

- **Announcements**

- o **Appointment of new Board members – Martin Elson, DDS**

- **Communications**

- o **New York Times Editorial – The White Teeth Monopoly**

- o **Eastern Dentist Insurance Company (EDIC) –Clinical Bulletin on
The Dental Professional Review and Evaluation Program (D-Prep)**

- o **Louisiana State Board of Dentistry Letter**

- o **Board Meeting Schedule - Next meeting, Wednesday, December 3,
2014**

5. Old Business

- **Sub Committee Updates**

- o **Amendments to Regulations on Limited Registration 5-31.1-23
(Donald Williams)**

6. New Business

- **Review and Approval of Applicants for:**
 - **Dentist Licensure**
 - **Dental Anesthesia Permits**
 - **Dental Hygienists**
 - **Dental Hygienists Local Anesthesia Permits**

- **Controlled Substance Regulations (James McDonald, MD)**

- **Canadian/Other state applicants - Requirements**

7. Motion to Adjourn to Closed Session

- **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. Pursuant to Section 42-46-5 (2) of the Rhode Island General Laws, for the purpose of discussing pending litigation of Frank Paletta, MD, DMD, FACS; Mohammad Banki, MD, DMD, FACS and Facial & Oral Surgery, LLC vs. Rhode Island Board of**

Examiners in Dentistry.

8. Motion to Return to Open Session

- **Vote to seal minutes of the Closed Session pursuant to Sections 42-46-4, 42-46-5 and 42-46-7 of the Rhode Island General Laws.**

9. Final Actions on All Votes Taken in Closed Session

10. Adjournment