Kansas Board of Healing Arts Physician Assistant Council Meeting Minutes May 5, 2022 at 1:00 p.m. (Virtual Meeting)

I. Called to Order at 1:03pm

- a. Council Members present:
 - i. Michelle Eaton, P.A. (arrives 1:04 p.m.)
 - ii. Allison Serrano, P.A.
 - iii. Mike Rausch, MD
 - iv. Abebe Abebe, MD
- b. Staff Members present:
 - i. Steven Lehwald, Assistant General Counsel BOHA
 - ii. Katie Baylie, Deputy Disciplinary Counsel BOHA
 - iii. Nancy Dodik, Disciplinary Counsel BOHA
 - iv. LeeAnn Hunter-Roach, Legal Assistant to General Counsel BOHA
 - v. Mary Ann Frevert, Special Investigator, BOHA
 - vi. Joe Crumpton, Special Investigator, BOHA
 - vii. Jennifer McArthur, Supervisor Disciplinary Administrative Staff BOHA
 - viii. Britani Potter, Law Clerk Disciplinary Department BOHA
 - ix. Rebekah Moon, Licensing Manager/Administrator BOHA
- c. Others: Mary Jo Fleming, KMS; Doug Smith, KAPA; Karen Braman, KHA

II. Motion to Approve Agenda (Serrano, Abebe, carried)

- a. Additions: New Business: Feedback regarding Nurse Practitioner changes.
- b. Deletions: none
- III. Approval of Minutes. Minutes from February 3, 2022, approved (Rausch, Eaton, carried).

IV. Old Business:

- a. **Licensing Update**. Moon gives YTD statistical information. Processing is taking 15 business days and reviews are taking 7-10 business days. No questions.
- b. Legislative Update/COVID-19. No questions.

V. New Business:

a. **Feedback regarding APRN changes.** General questions regarding how changes will affect PAs in job market.

VI. Application/Disciplinary Report:

Motion to recess into executive session of 60 minutes to discuss investigative information, which is confidential under K.S.A. 65-2898a, K.S.A. 75-4319(b)(2). (Abebe, Serrano, carried).

- VII. Next Meeting Date: August 11, 2022, at 1:00 p.m.
- VIII. Motion to Return to Open Meeting at 1:47 p.m. (Serrano, Rausch, carried)
- IX. Adjourn (Abebe, Eaton, carried) at 1:47 p.m.