MINUTES OF THE
IDAHO BOARD OF PHARMACY

July 16, 2001

Ameritel Inn
Boise, Idaho

Chairman Merl Dalton called the meeting to order at 9:OO a.m. In attendance were Kitty Gurnsey; Marilyn Silcock,PharmD; Frank Casabonne,R.Ph. and Mike Merrill,R.Ph. Also present were Richard Markuson, Executive Director; Kent Nelson, Deputy Attorney General; Fred Collings, Senior Investigator; Kirsten Wallace, Deputy Attorney General and Jan Atkinson, Senior Compliance Officer.

Mike Merrill made a motion to approve the minutes of the last Board meeting. Second by Frank Casabonne. Motion carried.

In the matter of citation # 1186 issued to Steve Streeper, Frank Casabonne made a motion for a $50.00 fine and a letter notifying Mr.Streeper that there would be further review by the Board inspectors for the purpose of bringing pharmacy operations into full compliance. Second by Mike Merrill. Ms. Gurnsey stated she was opposed to the small fine levied on Mr. Streeper and questioned whether that alone would get the hospital's attention. Motion carried.

David Weick requested the Board to consider reinstatement of his controlled substance license. Chairman Merl Dalton asked the Board attorney to explain Code Section 54-1726, regarding a felony conviction. The Board members requested additional documentation from Mr. Weick concerning his compliance with stipulation requirements before making any decision regarding his request for reinstatement.

The Board reviewed information on Jean Connery's violation of her stipulation agreement. Motion by Mike Merrill to revoke her pharmacist license immediately. Second by Dr. Silcock. Motion carried.

Regarding the controlled substance license for Dr. Moss, Mike Merrill made a motion to accept the Board of Dentistry's stipulation and also revoke his controlled substance registration. Second by Kitty Gurnsey. Motion carried.

Regarding the controlled substance license for Dr. Tranmer, Mike Merrill made a motion to accept the Board of Dentistry's stipulation and also revoke her controlled substance registration. Second by Kitty Gurnsey. Motion carried.

Motion by Dr. Silcock to allow Board staff to execute the final order with a practitioner in order to revoke or suspend their controlled substance registration when their respective licensing Board has taken action against their practice license. Second by Frank Casabonne. Motion carried.

Roger Wood appeared before the Board to request reinstatement of his pharmacist's license. The Board directed Mr. Woods to follow through on his stipulation requirements and the subsequent documentation necessary to support his request for reinstatement. Mike Merrill made a motion to deny Mr. Wood's request for reinstatement until he complies with all stipulation requirements. Second by Dr. Silcock. Motion carried.

In the matter of Phil Ruschetti and his request for reinstatement of his pharmacist license, a motion was made by Kitty Gurnsey to draft a letter to him stating the Board had elected not to act on his request until he complies with the requirements of his Board stipulation and notifies the Board that he has done so. Second by Mike Merrill. Motion carried. Dr. Silcock abstained from the vote.

Dr. Delmar Kelley requested reciprocity to Idaho off his Utah pharmacist license. Dr. Kelley also holds a valid dental license in Utah. Although Dr. Kelley isn't practicing pharmacy in Utah, he has an ongoing relationship with the Indian Health Agency and has kept up with all necessary CE requirements of the Utah Board. Motion by Frank Casabonne to require Dr. Kelley to register as an intern and acquire a minimum of 320 intern hours at a registered preceptor site. After completing the required hours the preceptor would generate a report for the Board to review for reciprocity consideration. Second by Dr. Silcock. Motion carried.

Walter Bain, representing Prompt-Script, gave a presentation using an automated dispensing system for providing 24-hour pharmacy services to customers. As the law now stands, Rule 180 does not allow the dispensing of prescriptions after hours, when the pharmacist is not on duty. Any approval of this system would require changes in current legislation.

Carl Knight requested Board approval to reciprocate to Idaho off his Washington license. The Board determined they would not take action on his request at the present time.

Dave Francis with Standard Register gave an update of the approved blanks. The minimum order was reduced to quantities of 100 based on client requests. Standard Register is also working on stock software that practitioners could purchase to print a standardized approved blank in-house. Motion by Mike Merrill to adopt the security requirements and format required for approval of the Standard Register blanks as the standard for approval of other companies blanks. Second by Frank Casabonne. Motion carried.

The next Board of Pharmacy meeting is scheduled for September 27, 2001 in Sun Valley, to be held in conjunction with the ISHP meeting on the same weekend. The District VII & VIII meeting will be held on October 11-14 in Albuquerque, New Mexico and attended by Richard Markuson, Kitty Gurnsey, Marilyn Silcock and Merl Dalton.

During legislative review Dr. Silcock made a motion to the Board to pre-file legislation to schedule carisoprodol again, due to the recent death of a pharmacist in northern Idaho. Second by Mike Merrill. Motion carried.

Motion by Dr. Silcock to have Board staff review the possibility of fee increases and how much the increases would impact the Board. Second by Kitty Gurnsey. Motion carried.

John Wiltse, representing ISHP, proposed certification of technicians in the institutional settings. Motion by Frank Casabonne that the Board not support future action towards the certification of technicians. Second by Dr. Silcock. Motion carried.

The Board determined that the request from Micromedix for consideration of their software as an approved pharmacy reference would not fulfill retail requirements. It was concluded that hospitals could continue to use Micromedix as a supplemental to the required library if they desire.

The Board members thanked Mr. Dalton for the excellent job he performed as Board Chairman. Dr.Silcock nominated Kitty Gurnsey to replace Merl Dalton as the new Board Chairman. Second by Frank Casabonne. Motion unanimously carried. Frank Casabonne

nominated Mike Merrill to act as the new Vice-Chairman for the Board. Second by Dr. Silcock. Motion unanimously carried.

Dr. Silcock made a motion for the Board to authorize a bonus in the amount of $1,000.00 to be paid to Richard Markuson, the Board's Executive Director. The bonus is for recognition of his excellent service to the Board in addition to accepting the added responsibilities as the elected president of NABP. Second by Kitty Gurnsey. Motion unanimously carried.

Motion by Frank Casabonne to adjourn the meeting. Second by Dr. Silcock. Motion carried.

Minutes of this meeting respectfully submitted by Jan Atkinson, Senior Compliance Officer.

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Chairman	Member
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Vice-Chairman	Member
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Executive Director	Member