

Arizona Supreme Court Board of Defensive Driving

Arizona State Courts Building
1501 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007
Conference Room 119 A & B
10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

June 11, 2008
Approved Regular Meeting Minutes

MEMBER ATTENDANCE:

Present:

Rolland (Ron) E. DeLong
Robert G. A. Hall
Pamela K. Najera
Elaine Acosta Sweet
Virginia Davis
Steven Soldis

Telephonically Present:

Judge Gary J. Lafleur

Absent:

Judge Daniel S. Jurkowitz
Cecile T. Woodward
Leonard Montanaro

OTHER ATTENDEES

AOC Staff:

Kandace French
Nancy Sweetnam
Jennifer Greene
Elaine Jensen
Kimberly Siddall
Jenny Lubben
Karla Clanton
Cindy Thompson

Guests:

Debbie Grado

CALL TO ORDER

Called to Order By: Elaine Acosta Sweet (On behalf of Judge Gary J. LaFleur)

Time: 10:07 A.M.

(Note) Judge Gary J. LaFleur entered meeting telephonically at 10:08 A.M.

1) REVIEW AND APPROAL OF MINUTES

1-A: *Review, discussion, and approval of the regular and Executive Session Minutes for the meeting of March 19, 2008.*

1-B: *Review, discussion, and approval of the regular and Executive Session Minutes for the meeting April 16, 2008*

1-C: *Review, discussion, and approval of the regular and Executive Session Minutes for the meeting of May 21, 2008.*

Individuals Addressing the Board: Kandace French

Discussion: Staff recommended the Board defer review and approval of draft Minutes until the next regularly scheduled meeting.

Motion: Board moved to defer review and approval of minutes until July meeting.

Motion Proposals: First Robert G.A. Hall
Second Pamela K. Najera

Motion Results: Pass DD-08-040

3) CERTIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY

Agenda Item 3-A was taken out of order

3-A: *Review and consideration of pending initial certification applications of the following defensive driving instructors:*

David Mattingly
Linda Badilla
Gregory Crawford
Kenneth Kelley
Robert Hockensmith

Rufugio Quintero
Harvey Woods
Annette Shestko

Individuals Addressing the Board: Kimberly Siddall

Discussion: Staff discussed the pending initial certification application of the aforementioned defensive driving instructors.

Motion: Moved to Grant Certification to David Mattingly.

Motion Proposals: First Robert G.A. Hall
Second Rolland (Ron) E. Delong

Motion Results: Pass **DD-08-041**

Discussion: Staff provided information regarding Robert Hockensmith's failure to disclose pertinent information later discovered by staff during application process. Staff recommended inviting applicant to July 16th meeting to inquire about the non-disclosure of the civil actions.

Motion: Moved to invite Mr. Hockensmith to the next regularly scheduled Board meeting for an informal interview regarding his failure to disclose pertinent information on his certification application.

Motion Proposals: First Pamela K. Najera
Second Virginia Davis

Motion Results: Pass **DD-08-042**

Discussion: Staff recommended deferring the applications of Linda Badilla, Gregory Crawford, Kenneth Kelley, Refugio Quintero, Harvey Woods, and Annette Shestko until next meeting due to applications being incomplete. Robert G. A. Hall disclosed that applicant Kenneth Kelley no longer was interested in becoming an instructor. Staff reminded the Board the applicant is responsible for withdrawing the application or certification.

Motion: Board moved to defer applicants Linda Badilla, Gregory Crawford, Kenneth Kelley, Refugio Quintero, Harvey Woods, and Annette Shestko until next board meeting in July.

Motion Proposals: First Pamela K. Najera
Second Rolland (Ron) E. Delong

Motion Results: Pass **DD-08-043**
 Recusal Robert G. A. Hall

(Note) Judge Gary J. LaFleur left meeting telephonically at 10:36 A.M.

2) ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUES

2-A: ***Report of the subcommittee regarding draft proposed amendments of ACJA § 7-205 and the implementation of HB2001 [2007] and the potential impacts of HB2488 [2008].***

Individuals Addressing the Board: Defensive Driving Subcommittee, Division Staff

Discussion: The Subcommittee reported on the status of its review of draft changes to ACJA § 7-205. The Subcommittee and Division Staff discussed the report of the subcommittee regarding draft proposed amendments of ACJA § 7-205 and the implementation of HB2001 [2007] and the potential impacts of HB2488 [2008].

CALL TO THE PUBLIC.....*Judge Daniel S. Jurkowitz*

Individuals Addressing the Board: None

ADJOURNMENT

Motion: Adjourn the meeting.

Motion Proposals: First Pamela K. Najera
 Second Robert G.A. Hall

Motion Results: Pass **DD-08-044**

Time: 12:15 P.M.

Initials EJ