

**KANSAS BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN OPTOMETRY**  
**Minutes of the May 25, 2022 Meeting**

- I. 7:00 pm called to order by Gerard Lozada, OD President. Members of the Board present were Drs. Dawn Bircher, Rebecca Sparks, and Lora Durst, and public member Carisa De Anda. Also, in attendance were Tim Resner, Board Counsel and Jan Murray, Executive Officer. Members of the public attending: Todd Fleischer, KOA representative, Drs Lilia Flores, Samantha Jansen, Ron Hansen, Michael Atteberry, Caitlin Toso, Mark Wahlmeier, Joshua Boucher, Dwayne Sturtevant, and Wayne Gilmore, and Drew Thompson.
  
- II. Trade Names:
  - A. Dr Durst motioned and Dr Bircher seconded a motion to approve the trade name of *Toso Family Eye Care*, 827 Commercial St, Emporia, KS subject to the Stipulation and Final Order for Caitlin Toso, OD. Motion carried 5-0.
  - B. Dr Sparks motioned and Dr Bircher seconded a motion to approve the trade name of *Boucher Eye Care* for Joshua Boucher, OD and DeAmbra Boucher, OD, subject to all locations being approved. Motion carried 5-0.
  - C. Dr. Bircher motioned and Dr. De Anda seconded a motion to approve *Vision Source of Hays*, 2203 Canterbury Dr., Hays for Mark Wahlmeier, OD. Motion carried 5-0
  - D. Dr Sparks motioned and Dr Durst seconded a motion to approve *Atteberry Eye Centers, LLC* 2144 SW 36<sup>th</sup> St, Topeka for Michael Atteberry, OD. Motion carried 5-0
  - E. Dr Durst motioned and Dr Bircher seconded a motion to table the trade name of *Mulvane Optometry*, 425 Louis, Mulvane, KS for Jeffrey Yarrow, OD and Chadwin Fleming, OD to clarify the location address.
  
- III. Mask Guidance Update:
  - A. No change in the Source Control Guidance is being issued at this time. The Board will be reviewing this guidance at the next Board meeting.
  
- IV. Reciprocities:
  - A. Dr Sparks motioned and Dr Bircher seconded a motion to approve the reciprocity of Samantha Jansen, OD. Motion carried 5-0.
  - B. Dr Durst motioned and Dr De Anda seconded a motion to approve the reciprocity of Lilia Flores, OD. Motion carried 5-0.
  - C. Dr Bircher moved to go into executive session at 7:33 pm to return to open session at 7:53 pm. The justification was to engage in discussions protected by the attorney-client privilege and the topic being reciprocity licensure. The motion was seconded by Dr. Durst. Motion carried 5-0. No consensus was reached during executive session.

*The Board adjourned into executive session at 7:33pm*

*The Board reconvened at 7:53 pm*

Dr Bircher motioned to deny reciprocal licensure to Dwyane Sturtevant due to misleading answers on application questions relating to his legal history. Motion carried 5-0.

Dr Sparks moved to go into executive session at 8:05 pm to return to open session at 8:25pm. The justification to discuss the annual exam. The motion was seconded by Dr Durst. Motion carried 5-0.

*The Board adjourned into executive session at 8:00pm*

*The Board reconvened at 8:25 pm*

V. Public Comments:

The Board heard public comments from Mr Fleischer.

VI. Adjournment

Dr Sparks motioned and Dr De Anda seconded a motion to adjourn. Motion carried 5-0.

The Board adjourned at 8:29 pm.