

# MASSAGE THERAPY COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

March 6, 2023, 11:00 AM

\* This meeting occurred via Zoom Teleconferencing, pursuant to KRS 61.826 with an in-person meeting space provided \*

<b><u>COMMITTEE MEMBERS</u></b> <b><u>PRESENT</u></b> Valerie Smothers Michelle Lasley  <b><u>OTHER BOARD MEMBERS</u></b> <b><u>PRESENT</u></b>	<b><u>DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL LICENSING STAFF</u></b> Jessica Brown, Board Administrator  <b><u>PUBLIC PROTECTION CABINET STAFF</u></b> Daniel Leffel, Legal Advisor  <b><u>OTHER</u></b> Chip Nowlin, DPJ Investigator
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## **CALL TO ORDER AND GUEST WELCOME:**

Valerie Smothers called the Complaints Committee meeting to order at 11:05 AM.

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Valerie Smothers motioned to approve the February 2023 meeting minutes. Michelle Lasley seconded. The motion carried.

## **Business Required to be Conducted in Closed Session.**

Valerie Smothers moved to enter closed session at 11:07 AM, pursuant to KRS 61.810(1)(j), for deliberations of quasi-judicial bodies regarding complaints, at which information protected by KRS 61.810(k) may be discussed. Michelle Lasley seconded. The motion carried.

Valerie Smothers moved to return from closed session at 11:43 AM. Michelle Lasley seconded. The motion carried.

Valerie Smothers motioned to approve items of discussion and decisions of the Committee from closed session, including discussion of complaint files. Michelle Lasley seconded. The motion carried.

## **NEXT MEETING**

Next meeting of the Kentucky Board of Massage Therapy Complaints Committee scheduled for April 3, 2023, at 11 AM EST.

Valerie Smothers moved and Michelle Lasley seconded to adjourn the meeting. Having all in favor, the meeting adjourned at 11:45 AM.

VS/jlb