

**Louisiana Board of Examiners for  
Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology**

**July 15, 2016**

**Attending:**

**Stephen J. Harris, L-AUD/SLP, Vice Chairperson  
Tammy Crawford, L-SLP, Board Member  
Theresa H. Rodgers, L-SLP, Board Member  
Laura H. Gresham, Public Member**

**Absent:**

**Glenn M. Waguespack, L-AUD, Chairperson  
Daphne Washington, L-SLP, Secretary/Treasurer**

The meeting was called to order by Stephen Harris at 8:30 a.m. in the conference room at the Board office located at 37283 Swamp Road, Suite 3B, Prairieville, Louisiana. Ayn Stehr, Legal Counsel, and Jolie Jones, Executive Director, were present for the entirety of the meeting.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

No one was present to provide public comment.

**AGENDA:**

**Motion** was made by Laura Gresham, seconded by Tammy Crawford and unanimously carried, to adopt the agenda as presented.

**Motion** was made by Theresa Rodgers, seconded by Laura Gresham and unanimously carried, to go in to Executive Session at 8:40 a.m. for the following reasons:

to discuss the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of a person, provided that such person is notified in writing at least twenty-four hours before the meeting, and

for investigative proceedings regarding allegations of misconduct or any other matter now provided for or as may be provided for by the legislature.

**Votes** for going into Executive Session: Theresa Rodgers, yes; Tammy Crawford, yes; Laura Gresham, yes.

**Motion** was made by Laura Gresham, seconded by Tammy Crawford and unanimously carried, to come out of Executive Session.

**COMPLIANCE HEARING:**

**SW 9:00 a.m.**

SW requested and appeared for a compliance hearing to appeal the Board's decision to deny the renewal of her speech-language pathology license. The Board denied the licensee's renewal based on an affirmative answer on the renewal form.

**Motion** was made by Theresa Rodgers, seconded by Laura Gresham and unanimously carried, to go in to Executive Session at 9:40 a.m. for the following reasons:

to discuss the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of a person, provided that such person is notified in writing at least twenty-four hours before the meeting, and

for investigative proceedings regarding allegations of misconduct or any other matter now provided for or as may be provided for by the legislature.

**Votes** for going into Executive Session: Theresa Rodgers, yes; Tammy Crawford, yes; Laura Gresham, yes.

**Motion** was made by Theresa Rodgers, seconded by Laura Gresham and unanimously carried, to come out of Executive Session at 10:08 a.m. and to offer SW a private Consent Agreement and Order.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

**Motion** was made by Theresa Rodgers, seconded by Laura Gresham and unanimously carried, to go in to Executive Session at 10:09 a.m. for the following reasons:

to discuss the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of a person, provided that such person is notified in writing at least twenty-four hours before the meeting, and

for investigative proceedings regarding allegations of misconduct or any other matter now provided for or as may be provided for by the legislature.

**Votes** for going into Executive Session: Theresa Rodgers, yes; Laura Gresham, yes; Tammy Crawford, yes.


**Motion** was made by Theresa Rodgers, seconded by Laura Gresham and unanimously carried, to come out of Executive Session at 10:14 a.m. to take the following actions:


1. Review of TB's Renewal Application

**Motion** was made by Laura Gresham, seconded by Theresa Rodgers and unanimously carried, to issue renewal of TB's speech-language pathology licensure.

**Motion** was made by Theresa Rodgers, seconded by Laura Gresham and unanimously carried, to adjourn the meeting at 10:15 a.m.

**MINUTES APPROVED BY:**

  
Stephen J. Harris, MA, CCC-A, L-AUD/SLP  
Vice Chairperson

  
Theresa H. Rodgers, MA, L-SLP, CCC-SLP,  
EdSp (LD), Board Member