# Meeting Minutes – October 28, 2016

## Commissioners

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| **Commission Member** | | **Present** | | **Commission Member** | | **Present** |
| Dr. Jeff Elder | no | | Travis Schulze | | Yes | |
| Dr. Jeff Kuo | no | | Tammy Gray | | Yes | |
| Mark Majors | Yes | | Jeff Watson | | Yes | |
| Chris Mixon | Yes | | Barbara Sellers | | Yes | |
| Ryan Brown | Yes | | Dr. Lance Stuke | | yes | |
| Dr. Cristina Zeretzke | No | | Barbara Sellers | | Yes | |
| Quorum | | Yes | |  | |  |

## Bureau of EMS

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| **Staff Member** | **Present** |  | **Present** |
| Dan Wallace/ Traci Travis | Yes |  |  |
| Stephen Phillipe Sr. | Yes | Rochelle Grayer | Yes |
| Sandy Jelks | Yes | David McCay | Yes |

## Agenda

Called to order at 9:20 by Majors

### New Business

Susan Fisher was present to present information on a problem with the current EMS Student Authorization Letter.

Action - Commission referred to BEMS for evaluation and corrections as needed to remove conflict.

Tracy Wold sent a written request for the Commission to determine if the AEMT Scope of Practice includes EKG monitoring of telemetry only interfacility transfers.

Action - Commission suspended deliberation and requested that the Medical Director for the EMS system present more information.

### Old Business

1. N/A

## Formal Disciplinary Proceedings

1. Jeremy Martinez - Failed Drug Screening No action from EMSCC due to lack of evidence of positive drug screen. Action- Motion by Watson and seconded by Schultz - Unanimous No Action and urged Mr. Martinez to seek professional care
2. Letter Jeffery Nolan on his completion of a psychiatric evaluation requested for removal of his suspension - Mr. Nolan was not present resides in Tx.) but letter filed from counselor attesting to low risk was read into record. Removal of Suspension Motion by Watson second by Schultz to approve - 5 Aye, 1 nay and 1 abstain
3. Clint Richardson - Request for case review and removal of summary suspension. Mr. Richardson appeared before the commission to relate the facts, findings and results of his conviction and suspension after being convicted for Principal to prostitution and cruelty to the infirm. This suspension related to events several years ago where multiple members of a Shreveport Fire Station were prosecuted. Mr. Richardson explained the particulars of the case and the commission was advised by the investigator that all the others involved have appeared and been reinstated. He pled guilty and was fined $25 total. He is no longer an EMS professional but is seeking to re-enter the profession. Motion by Watson and Second by Brown to remove his restriction and make eligible to being EMT training. Unanimous approval.
4. Marc Branconner - Unable to become Nationally certified after having a permanent suspension in 2002 for assaulting a patient. Moved out of state and completed psychiatric care, entered Alcoholics Anon and states 10 years of sobriety. Has been working as a state certified EMT but now must become NREMT again. Has not had any incidents for over 10 years. Motion by Mxon and second by Brown to remove suspension due to history and length of time since events. 6 aye and 1 abstaining.

Motion to adjourn at 12:45 by Mixon , second by Gray Unanimous