CALLED MEETING OF THE
FULL INDEPENDENT PRACTICE CREDENTIALING COMMITTEE
June 30, 2022

The meeting of the Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee was called to order by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN, Chairperson of the Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee at 9:34 a.m.

Members present:

Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN, Chair
Julia Ponder, DNP, APRN, Vice-Chair
Mark Foster, DNP, APRN
William Hawkins, M.D.
Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN
Amy Embry, Executive Director ASMB
Sue Tedford, Executive Director ASBN

Members absent: Purushottam Thapa, M.D., Mitzi Scotten, M.D., and Donna Shipley, M.D.

Also attending this meeting:

David Dawson, Counsel for ASBN
Lacie Kirchner, Assistant Attorney General, Counsel for the FIPCC
Joe West, Assistant Attorney General, Counsel for the FIPCC
Shannon McKinney, DNP, APRN, ASBN Assistant Director
Matt Gilmore, Department of Health
Representative Lee Johnson

Additions to the agenda – There were no additions to the agenda.

Approval of Agenda
William Hawkins, M.D moved to accept the agenda and Julia Ponder, DNP, APRN seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Minutes - Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN moved to accept the minutes from March 9, 2022 and it was seconded by William Hawkins, M.D. The vote passed unanimously.

William Hawkins, M.D. moved to accept the minutes from April 21, 2022 and it was seconded by Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN. The vote passed unanimously.

Update of the proposed rules
Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN provided an update on the Legislative committee meetings regarding the rules. Concerns from these committee have resulted in revisions made to
the rules. Joe West explained the changes and stated that as the law currently reads, it
does now allow for reciprocity unless the applicant had a collaborative agreement in that
state.

Representative Lee Johnson provided information on the intent of the law to the
committee and suggested to change the word “should” to “shall” in section 5 (b) (i).
Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN moved to accept this change and Mark Foster, DNP, APRN
seconded the motion. The vote passed unanimously.

Next Meeting
Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN stated that the hope is for the rules to be presented to the
Legislative Committee in July and the committee may start reviewing applications as
early as August 2022. Sue Tedford will send out a poll to determine with dates to
determine the meeting time of the next meeting.

Adjournment
Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN moved to adjourn. It was seconded by Julia Ponder, DNP,
APRN and passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 10:15 a.m.

Leonie DeClerk, Chair

Amy Embry, Recording Secretary