

**Vermont Board of Medical Practice  
Minutes of the July 16, 2008 Meeting  
Warned for 101 Cherry Street, Burlington  
(Public access provided), with Board members participating by telephone**

**“Approved August 6, 2008”**

**1. Call to Order; Call the Roll; Acknowledge Guests**

David W. Clauss, MD, called the meeting to order at 1:10 p.m. via telephone.

**Members Present:**

David W. Clauss, MD; James D. Cahill, MD; Margaret Martin; William H. Stouch, MD; John B. Webber, Esq.; Harvey S. Reich, MD; Russell P. Davignon, MD; William K. Hoser, PA-C; Honorable David A. Jenkins; John J. Murray, MD;

**Others in Attendance:**

William E. Wargo, Director; Phil Ciotti, Investigator; Roberta Downes, Licensing Administrator; Tracy Hayes, Administrative Assistant; Paula Nenninger, Investigator; Margaret Vincent, Assistant Attorney General;

**2. Public Comment**

None

**3. Presentation of applications** (Recommendations were in the form of motions by the members making the reports)

**Dr. Clauss reported on an interview conducted with  
Nathan Endres, MD**

Recommended by Dr. Clauss for physician licensure  
Seconded by Dr. Murray, passed, opposed: none, abstained: none

**Dr. Clauss moved for the issuance of limited temporary licenses for**

Ghassan Ibrahim, MD  
Joel Lightner, MD  
Prema Menon, MD  
Joan Newell, MD  
Frederick Rydz, MD  
Srinivasan Subramanian, MD

Seconded by Dr. Murray, passed, opposed: none, abstained: none

Dr. Clauss made a motion to approve Shalini Jha, MD for a limited temporary license with a provision that the Board reserve the rights to pull the license if Fletcher Allen Health Care and applicant do not provide the Board with a valid social security number.

Dr. Murray seconded the motion, however there was further discussion regarding the matter before the Board.

Dr. Clauss made a motion to amend the previous motion and approve the limited temporary license for Shalini Jha, MD.

Seconded by Dr. Cahill, passed, opposed: none, abstained: none

**Dr. Reich reported on an interview conducted with  
David Steinberg, MD**

Recommended by Dr. Reich for physician licensure

Seconded by Dr. Murray, passed, opposed: none, abstained: none

**5. Other Business**

None

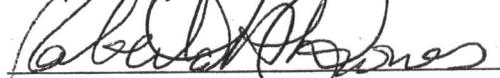
**6. Next Regular Board meeting, August 6, 2008, 12 p.m., Gifford Medical Center,  
Randolph, Vermont**

**7. Adjourn**

The motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Dr. Murray seconded by Dr. Cahill. The vote was all in favor, opposed: none, abstained: none.

The meeting adjourned at 1:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Roberta A. Downes  
Licensing Administrator