

**INDIANA OPTOMETRY BOARD  
MINUTES  
January 24, 2024, 10:00 A.M.  
402 W Washington Street  
Conference Center 1  
Indianapolis IN 46204**

**I. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM 10:12 A.M.**

Board members present: Dr Douglas Morrow, Dr Hunter, Dr Natalie Olinger Stine,  
Dr. Hoskins and Richard Hester  
Staff Present: Toby Snell, Leif Johnson

**II. ADOPTION OF AGENDA** Motion made by NOS and seconded by RH to adopt the agenda  
Motion carries 5-0-0

**III. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES** Motion made by NOS and seconded by JH to approve the  
minutes from 12/27/2023 after amending to read as follows: Board reviewed all written and verbal  
comments concerning the rule and approving the minutes from 11/08/2023.  
Motion carries 5-0-0

**IV. REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL**  
Report given by Amy Osborne

**V. AUDIT CE NONCOMPLIANCE**

1. Michael Bangert CE  
After review of the CE submitted the board finds Dr. Bangert in compliance and  
the additional hours submitted that were not needed for this audit from 2020-2022  
be applied to 2024 renewal.  
Motion made by JH and seconded by NOS to find Dr Bangert in compliance.  
Motion carries 5-0-0

**VI. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

1. Ashcon Alizadeh-Waiver request NBEO  
Motion made by NOS and seconded by RH to deny the waiver per the statutes.  
Motion carries 5-0-0
2. Rule discussion about synchronous COPE live or virtual.  
CE with/without a test  
COPE has the criteria on how to check attendance.

**VII. ADJOURNMENT 11:20**

*Dr Douglas Morrow*

Dr Douglas Morrow, Board Chair

**Next Meeting:**  
May 8, 2024