

**SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY BOARD  
Indiana Government Center South  
402 West Washington Street, Room W064  
Indianapolis, IN 46204**

**MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 20, 2017**

Carol Hession, Ph.D., CCC-A, Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m. and declared a quorum in accordance with IC 25-35.6-2(f), pursuant to public notice posted at the principal office of the board at least forty-eight (48) hours before the time of the meeting.

Members Present: Carol Hession, Ph.D., CCC-A, Chair  
Andrea Gray, MS, CCC-A  
Patricia Wong, MA, CCC-SLP, Vice Chair  
Ann Bilodeau, MS, CCC-SLP

Staff Present: Darren Covington, J.D., Board Director  
Professional Licensing Agency  
Donald 'Ned' Hannah, J.D., Deputy Attorney General  
Office of the Attorney General

The Board voted to adopt the agenda as amended.

Gray/Wong, 4/0/0  
Motion carries

The following board members voted aye:  
Carol Hession, Andrea Gray, Patricia Wong, Ann Bilodeau  
The following board members voted nay: none  
The following board members abstained: none

The Board voted to approve the August 28, 2017 minutes.

Wong/Bilodeau, 4/0/0  
Motion carries

The following board members voted aye:  
Carol Hession, Andrea Gray, Patricia Wong, Ann Bilodeau  
The following board members voted nay: none  
The following board members abstained: none

## PERSONAL APPEARANCES

### Balaraju Chintala, SLP – Renewal – Positive Response

Balaraju Chintala, SLP appeared before the Board regarding his positive response on his renewal application. Mr. Chintala was arrested for a DUI in August 2016 and completed criminal probation in September 2017. He has no prior arrests or convictions.

After discussion, the Board voted to RENEW Mr. Chintala's license.

Wong/Gray, 4/0/0  
Motion carries

The following board members voted aye:  
Carol Hession, Andrea Gray, Patricia Wong, Ann Bilodeau  
The following board members voted nay: none  
The following board members abstained: none

## ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

### Elizabeth Cupp, SLP – Cause No. 2017 SLPA 0002 – License No. 22006035A

Elizabeth Cupp, SLP failed to appear in person or by counsel regarding a Disciplinary Hearing scheduled before the Board. The State of Indiana was represented by Paul Schilling, Deputy Attorney General and the court reporter sworn in for this matter was Deanne Hutson with Circle City Reporting.

After having considered the evidence presented and taking official notice of its file in this matter the Board moved to issue a NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEFAULT.

Bilodeau/Wong, 4/0/0  
Motion carries

The following board members voted aye:  
Carol Hession, Andrea Gray, Patricia Wong, Ann Bilodeau  
The following board members voted nay: none  
The following board members abstained: none

## DISCUSSION

The following members participated: Carol Hession, Andrea Gray, Patricia Wong, Ann Bilodeau

### Continuing Education Review:

The Board reviewed graduate courses provided by Lauren Gillenwater and voted to approve them, pending confirmation of the number of contact hours for each modules.

CONSENSUS

Motion carries

### Reinstatement Request, Terri Prindle, SLP 22002450A

The Board reviewed Ms. Prindle's request for reinstatement of her expired license. Since she doesn't have a license, she cannot currently be practicing as a SLP-assistant. The Board requested that she be set for a personal appearance at the next meeting.

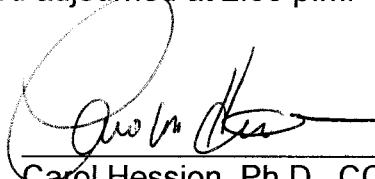
### Rule Review:

The Board under Mr. Covington's guidance continued reviewing the rules for possible changes.

### CFY Applicants in Illinois

The Board discussed a CFY applicant in Illinois who requested that the Board provide a letter to Illinois stating that if that individual were to apply in Indiana they would be granted a license. The Board's consensus was that without a pending application, the Board could not provide a prospective letter to this effect.

There being no further business the Board adjourned at 2:35 p.m.



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Carol Hession, Ph.D., CCC-A, Chair