

Mississippi Autism Board P.O. Box 20 Jackson, Mississippi 39205 (601) 359 – 6792

Special Called Meeting

January 30, 2024 Virtual Meeting via Zoom 12:15 PM

A Special Called Meeting of the Mississippi Autism Board ("Board") was called to order on Tuesday, January 30, 2024, at 12:18 p.m. by board member, Dr. Emily Johnson. The meeting took place virtually via Zoom.

Board Members Present: Emily Johnson, Ph.D. (Chair), Neelima Duncan, Ph.D., Kasee Stratton-Gadke, Krystal Thurman, Ed.D. (Secretary), and Sheila Williamson, Ph.D.

Others Present: Stacie Sharp (Board Administrator) and Alexis Morris (Special Assistant Attorney General, MS Attorney General's Office)

Motion to Enter Executive Session for the purpose of reviewing investigations:

Duncan - motioned Williamson - seconded Unanimous Vote

Motion to enter Closed Session:

Williamson - motioned Duncan - seconded Unanimous Vote

Motion to Exit Executive Session:

Duncan - motioned Williamson - seconded Unanimous Vote

Motion to approve the assignment of investigators to new complaints and actions on open investigations:

Assignment of investigators for complaints 240102 and 240103.

Johnson – motioned

Thurman - seconded Unanimous Vote

Assignment of investigators for complaint 240104.

Duncan – motioned Williamson - seconded Unanimous Vote

The Board determined the following action based on the summary of investigation reports:

202203	Remains under investigation.
240101	Remains under investigation.
240102	Complaint assigned to investigator; awaiting response from LBA.
240103	Complaint assigned to investigator.
240104	Complaint assigned to investigator.

Announcement:

Registered Behavior Technicians (RBTs) can begin registering online through the updated website.

Adjournment:

A Special Called meeting will take place virtually on March 22, 2024. Johnson adjourned the meeting at 12:45 p.m.