TENNESSEE BOARD OF PHARMACY 665 Mainstream Dr Nashville, TN 37243

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Richard Breeden, President Melissa McCall, PharmD Marlin Blane, PharmD Rebecca Leinart, PharmD Nichole Foster, RT

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT

Shanea McKinney, PharmD M. Kyle Phillips, PharmD Jake Bynum, Consumer Member

STAFF PRESENT

Lucy Shell, Executive Director Matthew Gibbs, Deputy General Counsel Sheila Bush, Administrative Director Terry Grinder, Pharmacist Investigator

STAFF ABSENT

Andrea Miller, Pharmacist Investigator Patricia Beckham, Pharmacist Investigator Rita Golden, Pharmacist Investigator Shannon Kelly, Pharmacist Investigator Rebecca Moak, Pharmacist Investigator Larry Hill, Pharmacist Investigator Derek Johnston, Pharmacist Investigator Scott Denaburg, Pharmacist Investigator

The Tennessee Board of Pharmacy convened on Thursday, February 27, 2025, in the Iris Room, 655 Mainstream Dr, Nashville, TN. A quorum of the members being present, the meeting was called to order at 9:03 a.m. with Dr. Breeden presiding.

Public Comments

Anthony Pudlo, PharmD., Executive Director for the Tennessee Pharmacy Association.

Contested Case Samantha Johnson, RT

Ms. Johnson was not present nor represented by legal counsel. Mr. Peters represented the State. Ms. Elizabeth Cambron was the Administrative Law Judge. Mr. Peters asked to proceed in default. Dr. McCall made the motion to proceed in default. Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried. Mr. Peters passed out the Notice of Charges. Ms. Johnson is charged with violating T.C.A. §63-10-309 (3) (5) and (7). After discussion, Dr. McCall made the motion to revoked Ms. Johnson's registration as a pharmacy technician and assessed case cost. Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried. Dr. Leinart and Ms. Foster voted no. Dr. Blane made the motion that the action taken was to protect, promote and improve the health and prosperity of people in Tennessee. Dr. Leinart seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Rulemaking Hearing

Mr. Gibbs presented the Economic Impact Statement and the Regulatory Flexibility Analysis to the Board. After discussion, Dr. Blane made the motion to accept the Economic Impact Statement and the Regulatory Flexibility Analysis. Dr. McCall seconded the motion. The motion carried.

During the rulemaking hearing, both written and oral comments were considered by the Board. Those comments were as follows:

Written comments

Publix Pharmacy

Publix asked the Board to consider granting registered pharmacy technicians the authority to immunize, under the supervision of a licensed pharmacist.

After discussion, Ms. Foster made a motion to deny the request. Dr. Blane seconded. Dr. Breeden and Dr. Leinart voted no. The motion carried.

Additionally, Publix requested the Board to consider allowing basic CPR training for immunizing technicians, as opposed to CPR training designed specifically for health care providers.

After discussion, Ms. Foster made a motion to accept the request. Dr. Blane seconded. The motion carried.

CVS

CVS requested the Board consider modifying the proposed language that would require a technician to hold national certification to administer vaccines or tests.

The Board did not accept this recommendation as it had already been rejected.

CVS requested the Board be open to approving employer-based training programs and remove the continuing education requirements required during each Board registration renewal cycle for administration of tests cleared by the FDA for home use or those tests approved for a waiver under the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988 ("CLIA").

The Board stated the current rule text "or Board-approved" created a pathway for employer-based training programs to be submitted to the Board for approval.

After discussion, Ms. Foster made a motion to deny the request. Dr. Leinart seconded. The motion carried.

National Association of Chain Retail Pharmacies

The National Association of Chain Retail Pharmacies ("NACRP") asked that the Board grant registered pharmacy technicians the authority to administer immunizations under the supervision of a licensed pharmacist.

The Board did not accept this recommendation as it had already been rejected.

Additionally, regarding training for registered immunizing technicians, NACRP requested that that Board consider allowing basic CPR training as opposed to CPR training designed for health care providers.

The Board has already accepted this recommendation.

National Association of Chain Drug Stores

The National Association of Chain Drug Stores ("NACDS") urged the Board to revise the proposed rule to align pharmacy technician qualifications for administering vaccines and CLIA-waived tests with what is currently required for pharmacy technicians under the federal PREP Act. This includes allowing registered pharmacy technicians to administer vaccines and tests; removing the CPR for health care providers requirement and replacing the requirement with basic CPR; removing the practical training requirement to administer CLIA-waived tests; and removing the CE training requirement for administration of CLIA-waived tests.

The Board did not accept the recommendation on registered pharmacy technicians as it had already been rejected.

The Board had already accepted the comment regarding CPR certification.

Oral Comments

Jennifer Powell, CPhT, Gibbs Pharmacy

Ms. Powell spoke in favor of the Tennessee Board of Pharmacy's ("Board") desire to allow certified pharmacy technicians to administer vaccines and tests as it's written in the Board's Notice of Rulemaking. Ms. Powell's comments did not require the Board to act as the comments were an affirmation of support for the rules.

Jim Gibbs, D.Ph, Gibbs Pharmacy

Dr. Gibbs spoke in favor of the Board's desire to allow certified pharmacy technicians to administer vaccines and tests as it's written in the Board's Notice of Rulemaking. Dr. Gibbs's comments did not require the Board to act as the comments were an affirmation of support for the rules.

Heather Hughes, D.Ph, Publix Pharmacy

Dr. Hughes asked the Board to consider allowing registered pharmacy technicians to administer a limited subset of vaccines and tests (i.e. for the flu and COVID).

After discussion, Ms. Foster made a motion to deny this request. Dr. Blane seconded. Dr. Leinart and Dr. Breeden voted no. The motion carried

Olivia Welter, D.Ph, Tennessee Pharmacist Association

Dr. Welter spoke on behalf of the Tennessee Pharmacist Association ("TPA"). Dr. Welter stated the Board's vote to strike "designed for health care providers" as it pertains to the requirement of cardiopulmonary resuscitation ("CPR") training is consistent with TPA's suggested edits to the rules. Dr. Welter spoke in support of the certification requirement for pharmacy technicians to

administer vaccines and tests. Dr. Welter noted the Board's rules are broader than what is allowed under federal law for pharmacy technicians to administer which aligns with a certification requirement. Dr. Welter's comments did not illicit Board action.

Reggie Dilliard, D.Ph, Gladstone Consultants

Dr. Dilliard asked the Board to consider allowing registered pharmacy technicians to administer vaccines and tests.

The Board did not accept this recommendation as it had already been rejected.

As amended, Dr. McCall made a motion to accept the rules. Ms. Foster seconded. The motion carried.

Chapter 1140-01

Introductory Rules

Amendments

Rule 1140-01-.07 Inactive Licenses and License Reinstatement is amended by deleting subparagraph (3)(e) in its entirety and substituting instead the following language, so that as amended, the new subparagraph shall read:

(3) (e) The board shall consider a written notice requesting reinstatement of an inactive, delinquent, suspended or revoked license within six (6) months of the notice being received by the director.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 63-10-101, 63-10-102, 63-10-204, 63-10-210, 63-10-304, 63-10-306, 63-10-404(17), and 63-10-504(b)(1).

Chapter 1140-02

Professional Conduct and Responsibilities

Amendments

Rule 1140-02-.02 Pharmacy Technicians is amended by deleting subparagraphs (1)(d), (5)(b), and (5)(c) and paragraphs (4) and (6) in their entirety and substituting instead the following language, and is further amended by adding new subparagraphs (5)(d) and (5)(e), including their parts, and (5)(f), so that as amended, the new paragraphs, subparagraphs, and parts shall read:

(1) (d) Any application submitted which lacks required information or reflects a failure to meet any of the requirements for registration will be returned to the applicant with written notification of the information that is lacking or the reason(s) the application does not meet the requirements for registration and will be held in "pending" status until satisfactorily completed within a reasonable period of time, not to exceed one (1) year from date of initial application.

- (4) A registered pharmacy technician may, under the supervision of a pharmacist, perform those tasks associated with the preparation and dispensing process except those tasks identified in Rule 1140-02-.01(13) that must be personally performed by a pharmacist or pharmacy intern under the personal supervision and in the presence of a pharmacist, or those tasks identified in 1140-02-.02(5).
- (5) (b) Receive and transfer copies of oral medical and prescription orders between pharmacy practice sites;
 - (c) Verify the contents of unit dose carts/automated dispensing systems prepared by other registered technicians when an additional verification by use of bar code technology or a licensed health care professional is performed prior to administration to the patient; and
 - (d) Under the supervision of a pharmacist licensed by the Board who has authorized the administration of a vaccine, administer United States Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") authorized or FDA-licensed vaccines to patients pursuant to a valid medical or prescription order after the following qualifications are met by the certified pharmacy technician:
 - 1. Complete a practical training program that is ACPE-approved or approved by the Board. This training program must include hands-on injection technique and the recognition and treatment of emergency reactions to vaccines;
 - 2. Posses a current certificate in cardiopulmonary resuscitation; and
 - 3. Complete a minimum of two hours of ACPE-approved or Board-approved immunization-related continuing pharmacy education during each Board registration renewal cycle; and
 - (e) Administer tests cleared by the FDA for home use or those tests approved for a waiver under the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988 ("CLIA") to patients at a pharmacy practice site and under the supervision of a pharmacist pursuant to a medical or prescription order, when required, after completion of the following qualifications by the certified pharmacy technician;
 - 1. Complete a practical training program that is ACPE-approved or approved by the Board. This training must include hands-on training in point-of-care testing, including the following types of specimen collection: oral swab, nasal swab, throat swab, and finger stick; and
 - 2. Complete a minimum of two hours of ACPE-approved or Board-approved point-of-care testing related continuing education during each Board registration renewal cycle.

- (f) The supervising pharmacist at the pharmacy practice site where the vaccination is administered shall be readily and immediately available to the certified pharmacy technician who is administering the vaccine.
- (6) No prescription drugs and devices and related materials may be released to a patient unless all of the functions performed by a pharmacy technician are verified by a pharmacist.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 63-1-116, 63-10-204, 63-10-308, and 63-10-310.

Minutes

Dr. McCall made the motion to accept the minutes from the November 14, 2024, board meeting as presented. Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Office of General Court Report

Mr. Gibbs gave the OGC report. There are currently 78 cases open for discipline within the Office of General Counsel. Of those 78 cases, 25 are eligible for a contested hearing.

The Tennessee Board of Pharmacy along with the Tennessee Department of Health has been named as 2 of the defendants contained in the master docket for the National Prescription Opiate Litigation. The Office of the Attorney General is aware of this litigation.

Rules:

There shall be ongoing discussion regarding other rulemaking projects.

- Pharmacy technician scope of practice
- Fee increases
- Compounding
- Updates from the Rules Review Committee

Legislative Update

HB0026/SB0194 - Abortion - As introduced, enacts the "Unborn Child Protection Act of 2025." -

Amends TCA Title 29; Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 2; Title 53; Title 63 and Title 68.

House – Population Subcommittee (February 25, 2025)

Senate – Passed on Second Consideration, refer to Judiciary Committee

HB0234/SB0056 - Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the board of pharmacy to June 30, 2029. -

Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 10.

House – Passed House (February 20, 2025)

Senate – Passed Senate (February 24, 2025)

HB0192/SB0282 – Health Care - As introduced, enacts the "Individualized Investigational Treatment Act." - Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 63.

House – Placed on calendar for Health Committee (February 25, 2025) Senate – Placed on Health and Welfare Committee calendar (February 26, 2025)

HB0406/SB0422 – Health Care - As introduced, lowers from every three years to every two years, the time within which the advisory committee composed of medical device industry representatives and a representative of the department of economic and community development must review rules regarding the board of pharmacy's oversight of facilities that manufacture, warehouse, and distribute medical devices in order to review the advancements of new medical device technologies. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 47; Title 56; Title 63 and Title 71.

House – Held on desk pending amendment

Senate – Passed on Second Consideration, refer to Commerce and Labor Committee

HB1208/SB0424 – Pharmacy, Pharmacists - As introduced, permits the services authorized in a collaborative pharmacy practice agreement to include weight management services. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 10 and Title 71, Chapter 5.

House – Held on desk pending amendment

Senate - Passed on Second Consideration, refer to Health and Welfare Committee

HB0693/SB0569 – Pharmacy, Pharmacists - As introduced, makes certain changes to the practice of pharmacy, including removing the present prohibition on requiring a patient to pay an administrative fee for pharmacist-provided hormonal contraceptives when the patient is insured or covered and receives a pharmacy benefit that covers the cost of the hormonal contraceptives. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10; Title 56, Chapter 32 and Title 63, Chapter 10.

House – Placed on Health Committee calendar (February 25, 2025)

Senate – Placed on Commerce and Labor Committee calendar (February 25, 2025)

HB0657/ SB0619 – Health Care - As introduced, allows a healthcare provider to petition a relevant board after completing a peer assistance or treatment program contract to remove information from public dissemination regarding the adverse action and consent order after 10 years from the probation date; authorizes the division of health-related boards to promulgate rules to effectuate such petition process. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 63 and Title 68.

House – Placed on Health Committee calendar (February 25, 2025) Senate – Placed on Health and Welfare Committee calendar (February 26, 2025)

Appearance

Casey Correll, RT

Ms. Correll answered "no" to the question that asked "Have you ever been convicted (including nolo contendere plea or guilty plea) of a felony or misdemeanor (other than a minor traffic offense) whether sentenced was imposed or suspended. Documentation submitted indicates the Ms. Correll was found guilty of bail jumping and possessing drug paraphernalia on 04/28/2022 and she was found guilty due to no contest plea of retail theft on 10/17/2016. After discussion, Ms. Foster made the motion to approve Ms. Correll's application for registration as a pharmacy technician, but

she must engage with the Tennessee Pharmacist Recovery Network. Dr. Blane seconded he motion. The motion carried.

Hitchcock Pharmacy

Robby Eskridge, PharmD., Director of Pharmacy Operations, appeared before the board ask for approval of a Secure Script Kiosk for prescription pick-up pilot program. Hitchcock Family Pharmacy is located within a medical office. After discussion, Ms. Foster made the motion to approve the pilot program with quarterly written reports for one year. Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Baptist Memorial-Memphis

Dr. Lindsay White appeared before the board to ask for approval to use robots to deliver medication to the nurse's station during late evening and overnight. The board decided that the request did not need approval as it fit within current rules, but to list the device on the list of Automated Dispensing Machines. The Board did request that Baptist Memorial -Memphis provide feedback on how the machines did in operation.

Cedar Recovery

Paul Trivette, Chief Strategy Officer, appeared before the board to amend their pilot program to include for a satellite in South Knoxville prior to the Cookeville operation. Dr. Blane made the motion to amend the original pilot program to include South Knoxville satellite upon the approval of licensure for the Cookeville central fill facility. Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Journey 2 Health

Yolanda Conners, owner of Journey 2 Health, Rx request for a waiver of lapse in pharmacist in charge. The former pharmacist in charge left unexpectedly. Ms. Conners stated that the pharmacy is not operational since the pharmacist in charge left. They have hired a new pharmacist in charge, but she cannot start for two weeks. After discussion, Dr. Blane made the motion to grant the extension for the lapse in pharmacist in charge and to have a controlled substance inventory on the 1st day that the new pharmacist in charge starts. This extension is granted until March 21, 2025. Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried.

MiKayla Conaster, PharmD.

Dr. Conaster is applying for a licensure in Tennessee by reciprocity. Her Texas Board of pharmacy license was disciplined by the TX BoP for sterile compounding. After discussion, Ms. Foster made the motion to approve Dr. Conaster's application for reciprocity. Dr. McCall seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Waiver board rule 1140-01-.13 (e)

Ms. Foster made the motion to grant the waiver NPS Pharmacy Direct for the sink located outside the pharmacy. Dr. Leinart seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Waivers

Board rule 1140-04-.15 (7)(b)(1)

Ms. Foster made the motion to approve the request from **Ballad Health** to waive the requirement for direct supervision by a pharmacist for filing/stocking of medication to the automated dispensing machines (ADMS) at Hancock County Hospital, Johnson County Community Hospital, Hawkins County Memorial Hospital and Unicoi County Memorial Hospital as PIC visits the locations monthly, cameras installed and report all errors. Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Board rule 1140-02-.02 (5)(c)

Dr. McCall made the motion to approve the request from **Ballad Health** to waive the requirement for a pharmacist checking and/or tech check tech verification of barcoding unit dose packaging. Ballad Health must report all errors. Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried. Dr. Blane voted no.

Board rule 1140-01-.07 (3)(b) 4 and 5 (i)

Ms. Foster made the motion to approve the request from **Aaron Salwan, D.Ph**. to waive the 160 pharmaceutical internship hours needed for reinstatement. Dr. Salwan will need to take and pass the MPJE. Dr. Leinart seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Consent Orders

Ms. Foster made the motion to accept **Casey Ford, D. Ph**, consent order with a \$1000.00 civil penalty. Dr. Ford violated board rule 1140-03-01 (1)(a) (b) (e). Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Dr. Blane made the motion to accept **Kroger Pharmacy #561**, lic #3565 consent order with a \$1500.00 civil penalty. Kroger Pharmacy #561 violated board rule 1140-03-.14(1). Dr. McCall seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Dr. McCall made the motion to accept **CVS Pharmacy #6398**, lic #1418 consent order with a \$1000.00 civil penalty. Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Dr. Blane made the motion to accept **Logan Lynn II**, D.Ph. consent order with a \$1000.00 civil penalty. Dr. Lynn violated board rule 1140-03-.01 (1)9a) (b) & (e). Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Ms. Foster made the motion to accept **Sycamore Shoals Pharmacy** consent order with a \$1000.00 civil penalty. Sycamore Shoals Pharmacy violated T.C.A. §63-10-309 (5) and (7) Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Dr. Blane made the motion to accept **David H Belew**, **D.Ph**. consent order with suspension waived with Tennessee Pharmacy Recovery Network (TPRN) and license then placed on a 10 -year

probation. Dr. Belew violated T.C.A. 63-10-309 (3). Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Dr. McCall made the motion to accept **Bradley's Home Health Care** consent order with a \$1100.00 civil penalty. Bradley's Home Health Care violated board rule 1140-09-.02 (1) (a) (b) & (c). Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Ms. Foster made the motion to accept **Heather Ann Johnson**, **RT** consent order with a \$100.00 civil penalty. Ms. Johnson violated board rule 1140-02-.02 (10). Dr. McCall seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Dr. Leinart made the motion to accept **Felicia Anderson**, **RT** consent order for revocation. Ms. Anderson violated T.C.A.§ 53-10-104 (a) Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Ms. Foster made the motion to accept **Ingles Market Pharmacy #397** consent order with a \$500.00 civil penalty. Ingles Market Pharmacy #397 violated board rule 1140-03-.14 (2) (a). Dr. McCall seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Ms. Foster made the motion to accept **Walgreens Pharmacy #05654**, lic **#3555** consent order with a \$500.00 civil penalty. Walgreens Pharmacy #05654, lic #3555 violated board rule 1140-03-.14 (2) (a). Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Ms. Foster made the motion to accept **Wal-Mart Pharmacy** #10-0735, lic #1826 consent order with a \$1000.00 civil penalty. Wal-Mart Pharmacy #10-0735, lic #1826 violated T.C.A. § 63-10-309 (a). Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Agreed Citations

Ms. Foster made the motion to accept **Susan Grainger**, **D.Ph.**, a greed citation with a \$250.00 civil penalty. Dr. Grainger pharmacist license was selected in the continuing education audit. Dr. Grainger failed to meet the continuing education requirement. Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Ms. Foster made the motion to accept **Julie Heisey Reese**, **D.Ph**. consent order with a \$250.00 civil penalty. Dr. Reese pharmacist license was selected in the continuing education audit. Dr. Reese failed to meet the continuing requirement. Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Director Report

Dr. Shell asked the board to authorize travel to Apha meeting in Nashville, TN, NCIT Clear Meeting and NABP Annual Meeting. Ms. Foster made the motion to authorize travel for board member, executive director and pharmacist investigators. Dr. McCall seconded the motion.

Dr. Shell asked the board to nominate someone for the Kendall Lynch Award. Dr. Leinart nominated Nancy Hooper. After discussion, Dr. Blane made the motion to nominate Nancy Hooper for the Kendall Lynch award. Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Reinstatement

Heather Atkinson, D.Ph.

Dr. Atkinson requested to have her license reinstated. Dr. Atkinson voluntarily surrendered her license on 03/19/2021. After discussion, Dr. Blane made the motion to reinstate Dr. Atkinson's license with 10 year probation to run concurrently with her TPRN contract. Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried. Dr. Atkinson license shall remain in a voluntarily surrendered (revoked) status until she completes the following:

- (a) Satisfies all past due continuing pharmaceutical education as required by the Board;
- (b) Successfully complete the Multi-State Pharmacy Jurisprudence examination (known as the MPJE exam);
- (c) Pays all cumulative license renewal fees and any applicable penalty fees for the period during which the license was revoked; and
- (d) Completes a period of period of internship of 160 hours within 180 days of the date of ratification of this Consent Order for reinstatement.
- 7. Upon the submission of the proof of completion to the Board's administrative office of the items found in paragraph 6(a) through (d), as determined by the Board's executive director, Respondent's license to engage in the practice of pharmacy shall be placed in a **PROBATION** status to run concurrent with any and all contracts and aftercare agreements entered into with the Tennessee Pharmacy Recovery Network, but in no event less than ten (10) years from September 27, 2023, subject to the following conditions:
 - (a) The Respondent shall completely abstain from the consumption of alcohol or any other drugs, except as specified in paragraph 7(b);
 - (b) Respondent shall be able to consume legend drugs or controlled substances prescribed by the Respondent's practitioner, except in the case of an emergency or upon a proper referral from the Respondent's practitioner. Upon ratification of this order, the

Respondent shall immediately notify the Board office in writing of the name of Respondent's practitioner. The Respondent shall immediately notify the Board office in writing of the name of the Respondent's practitioner each time the Respondent changes practitioners;

- (c) The Respondent shall not obtain or attempt to obtain any prescriptions in the Respondent's name for any legend drugs, controlled substances or devices containing same from a practitioner other than the Respondent's practitioner or from any other health care providers, such as a nurse practitioner, physician's assistant or psychiatrist;
- (d) The Respondent shall destroy any unused controlled substances, prescribed under the provisions of paragraph 7(b) no later than thirty (30) days following the completion of the prescribed course of treatment.
- (e) The Respondent shall report to the Board, in writing, the ingestion of any and all legend drugs or controlled substances (<u>a copy of the</u> <u>prescription will satisfy the requirement</u>);
- (f) The Respondent shall submit to random sampling of hair, urine,
 blood or bodily tissues for the presence of drugs and alcohol, at the
 Respondent's own expense, by agents of the Board, such as the
 Tennessee Pharmacists Recovery Network, for as long as required by

the Tennessee Pharmacists Recovery Network. In the event that the sampling indicates the presence of drugs for which the Respondent does not have a valid prescription or the sampling indicates the presence of alcohol, then formal disciplinary charges may be brought against the Respondent as a violation of this order of the Board which may result in the revocation of the Respondent's remaining term of probation or the suspension or revocation of the Respondent's license to engage in the practice of pharmacy. Prior to such disciplinary charges being heard by the Board, the Respondent's license may be summarily suspended;

- (g) The Respondent shall comply with all of the terms and conditions of the extended aftercare contract or monitoring agreement she entered into with the Tennessee Pharmacists Recovery Network. Any violation of terms and conditions of the extended aftercare contract or monitoring agreement Respondent entered into with the Tennessee Pharmacists Recovery shall be considered a violation of this Order.
- (h) The Respondent shall not serve as pharmacist-in-charge for a period of three (3) years from the start date of probation; however, after a period of two (2) years' probation the Respondent may petition the Board for a modification of this Consent Order to remove the restrictions upon a show of good cause. The Respondent shall not work as a floater for a period of three (3) years, meaning that the

> Respondent shall not work at more than one (1) pharmacy location at the same time without the permission of the Board.

(i) Upon notification from the Tennessee Pharmacy Recovery Network to the Board's executive director of the completion of any and all contracts and aftercare agreements entered into with the Tennessee Pharmacy Recovery Network, Respondent's license status shall be changed to an active, unencumbered status at the conclusion of ten (10) years from September 27, 2023, or later.

February 28, 2025

The Tennessee Board of Pharmacy reconvened on Friday, February 28, 2025, in the Iris Room, 665Mainstream Drive, Nashville, TN. A quorum of the members was present, the meeting was called to order at 9:09 a.m., by Dr. Breeden, President. Dr. M. Kyle Phillips was in attendance.

Contested Case Danielle Allen Sawyer, RT

Ms. Sawyer was not present nor represented by legal counsel. Mr. Peters represented the State. Ms. Elizabeth Cambron was the Administrative Law Judge. Mr. Peters asked to proceed in default. Dr. Leinart made the motion to proceed in default. Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried. Mr. Peters passed out the Notice of Charges. Ms. Sawyer is charged with violating T.C.A. §63-10-309 (3) (5) and (7). After discussion, Ms. Foster made the motion to revoked Ms. Sawyer's registration as a pharmacy technician. Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried. Ms. Foster made the motion that the action taken was to protect, promote and improve the health and prosperity of people in Tennessee. Dr. McCall seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Contested Case Carolyn Norwood, RT

Ms. Norwood was not present nor represented by legal counsel. Mr. Peters represented the State. Ms. Elizabeth Cambron was the Administrative Law Judge. Mr. Peters asked to proceed in default. Dr. McCall made the motion to proceed in default. Ms. Foster seconded the motion. The motion carried. Mr. Peters passed out the Notice of Charges. Ms. Johnson is charged with violating T.C.A. §63-10-309 (3) (5) and (7). After discussion, Ms. Foster made the motion to revoked Ms. Johnson's registration as a pharmacy technician. Dr. McCall seconded the motion. The motion carried. Ms. Foster made the motion that the action taken was to protect, promote and improve the health and prosperity of people in Tennessee. Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Pruitt's Pharmacy

Dr. Shawn Pruitt came before the Board to request reinstatement of the license of Pruitt's Pharmacy in Murfreesboro after it had expired. Upon the reinstatement inspection, there were issues identified by the pharmacist-investigator. After discussion, Ms. Foster made the motion to approve the reinstatement application. Dr. Blane seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Dr. Breeden thanked Dr. McCall for her service to the Board.

The meeting adjourned at 11:12 a.m.

The minutes were amended and approved at the July 29, 2025 board meeting.