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Health Professional Licensing Office, Conference Room 209
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REGULAR SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING MINUTES
3:30 p.m., Thursday, November 15, 2018

BOARD MEMBERS ATTENDANCE: Bernadette S. Santos, RN, MPA (RN), Member, Annamma S. Varghese, DNP, CMSRN, (UOG), Brenda Manzana, (LPN), Member and Anna Maria Cruz, Member (DPHSS)

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Meagan Bamba-Ada, (APRN), Member, Christine Tuquero, RN, MSN, Member (GMHA) and Charlotte Huntsman, Public Member

OTHER ATTENDEES: Marlene Carbullido, RN, MSN, Interim Executive Officer (DPHSS/HPLO), Rosemary Carman, Word Processing Secretary II (DPHSS/HPLO), Brandon Bayley, RN (GRMC), Margaret Hattori-Uchima (UOG), Marissa E. Apilado, CNA (SDSCH), Jenny C. Mian, CNA (Dr. Doris Lim) and Jonathan Nguyen (UOG)

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
I. Call to Order	There is no Chairperson and Vice Chairperson on the board, therefore the Interim Executive Officer called the meeting to order at 4:06 p.m. as a Regular Board Meeting.	Quorum Established.
II. Proof of Publication	Copies of the five day and at least 48 hour notices were provided.	Advertisements in the Guam Daily Post on November 7, 2018 and November 9, 2018 were confirmed.
III. Election of New Chairperson and Vice Chairperson	Member B. Santos asked to add secretary to the election.	Tabled
IV. Review and Approval of Minutes	A. October 11, 2018 Regularly Scheduled Meeting Minutes	A. A. Varghese moved to approve the October 11, 2018 minutes. B. Santos seconded. Motion carried.
V. Chairperson's Report	Nothing to report	
VI. Administrator's Report	A. Apilado, Marissa Succor E. – CNA Renewal 1. Ms. Apilado appeared today before the board. 2. Board had requested Ms. Apilado to do her CEU's by herself. 3. She stated she completed the fifteen CEU's herself this time and apologized to the board. 4. She mentioned there was a test and she had to redo the test because she failed the first time. 5. M. Carbullido informed her that she cannot do the work of a CNA and to ask her employer to let her do other types of non-related CNA work because her license has expired on September 30, 2018. 6. M. Carbullido informed her that she will be contacted on what the board has decided.	A. A. Cruz moved to approve the application of Marissa Succor E. Apilado. A. Varghese seconded. Motion carried.
	B. Bayley, Brandon – RN Endorsement request to extend temporary permit which expires on this date. 1. Mr. Bayley appeared today before the board. 2. His California license verification is still pending and is requesting to extend his temporary permit.	B. A. Varghese moved to extend Brandon Bayley's Temporary Work Permit for two weeks. A. Cruz seconded. Motion carried.

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	3. Mr. Bayley explained his reasons for requesting another extension. 4. He stated he does not have any disciplinary from California.	
	C. NCSBN Events 1. M. Carbullido sent a letter requesting for a grant from NCSBN in preparation for NLC and explained to the board the following: a. One of the concerns why it didn't go into legislation was modernizing the office. b. Grant will include Data Entry Clerk to update inactive files in Nursys. c. Guam was approved for Optimal Regulatory Board System (ORBS) which is online application and verifications which will soon be paperless. d. She requested for a site visit to Arizona because it is being implemented. e. Money was requested for a criminal background check machine (live scan with automatic fingerprinting). f. Proposed plan is 2020. 2. M. Carbullido, B. Santos and C. Tuquero will be attending the Midyear Meeting, March 26-28, 2019, San Antonio, Texas. 3. A. Cruz will be attending the APRN Round Table, April 9, 2019, Rosemont, Illinois. 4. C. Huntsman will be attending the Board of Nursing Investigative Training, May 1-3, 2019, Rosemont, Illinois; B. Santos will be a back-up. 5. A. Varghese will be attending the Discipline Case Management Conference, June 10-12, 2019, Memphis, Tennessee; B. Manzana will be a back-up. 6. M. Carbullido will be attending the 2019 Annual Meeting, August 21-23, 2019, Chicago, Illinois.	C. Informational
	D. P.L. 34-129 Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community. 1. M. Carbullido informed the board to have a work group meeting to come up with the rules and regulations to license these volunteers who are active duty nurses and will not be paid. The volunteer work will be for community events, Public Health, health fairs, immunization, etc.	D. Informational
	E. P.L. 34-133 Relative to allowing the use of video teleconferencing applications at meetings of government boards and commissions to guarantee a quorum, for convenience, and to expand the eligibility of membership	E. Informational

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	to those community members that may be homebound; and encouraging the use of video live streaming at meetings in order to increase transparency in government. 1. Procure audio.	
	F. Disciplinary Complaints 1. GBNE-CO18-001 Luther, Belinda, RN (ongoing) 2. GBNE-CO18-002 Lucas, Amy K., RN (ongoing) 3. GBNE-CO18-010 Patrick, Bradley D., CRNA (ongoing) 4. GBNE-CO18-012 Mian, Jenny C., CNA (ongoing) a. Ms. Mian appeared today before the board. b. Accused by a pharmacy of signing prescriptions for Dr. Lim c. A. Varghese and B. Manzana were assigned to investigate. d. A. Varghese informed Ms. Mian there was no response via email, calls and regular mail to Dr. Lim. e. M. Carbullido emphasized to Ms. Mian to relay the message that the Investigators need to meet with Dr. Lim before a decision can be made regarding her license. 5. GBNE-CO18-015 Claassens, Evangeline, APRN (ongoing)	F. 1. Tabled 2. Tabled 3. Tabled 4. Ongoing 5. Tabled
	G. Complaint/Discipline form 1. R. Carman prepared draft form for review/approval.	G. Tabled
	H. Next CNA Skills testing is scheduled for November 17, 2018 at Skilled Nursing Unit in Barrigada Heights.	H. Informational
	I. Program Reports 1. UOG BSN Program a. Another board member other than A. Varghese will review the report. 2. UOG Nursing Assistant Program (NA) Proposal a. M. Hattori-Uchima submitted proposal with a letter of intent on November 15, 2018, which is the first time UOG is submitting for a nursing assistant program to her knowledge. b. M. Hattori-Uchima stated the Department of Labor (DOL) had a grant for a work force investment and had additional funding for apprenticeships for healthcare. c. She discussed with the board the following: 1) Basic NA three month program (160 hours: 60 hours theory, 40 hours lab and 60 hours of clinical; to include apprenticeship if approved). GBNE only requires 100 hours. 2) Selection process will be handled by DOL and UOG.	I. 1. Tabled 2. B. Santos moved to approve the Nursing Assistant program proposal for University of Guam. B. Manzana seconded. Motion carried.

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	3) Thinking of one cohort at a time with possibly 12 students. 4) DOL will pay the tuition. 5) Similar to GMTC and GCC's NA program, except there will be more hours. 6) MOU's are outdated, but a renewal letter is attached every summer on the annual report, which is a letter to continue. 7) Plan to start in February 2019. 8) There are plans to continue. 9) A site visit is scheduled for 11/20/18 at 9:30 a.m. at UOG with M. Carbullido, A. Varghese and M. Hattori-Uchima. d. She noted that UOG's pass rate for the BSN program for the past three years is 100%.	
I. Old Business	A. Prescriptive Authority application updated for approval 1. A. Cruz will review. B. Agbahor, Eseoghene – RN C. Alcantara, Carlos A. – RN D. Fenner, Anne L. – RN E. Johnson, Derek E. – RE F. Neil, Kelly L. – RN/APRN/Prescriptive Authority G. ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS: 1. Henry, Berta E. – RN *Tabled* 2. Lloyd, Gracelyn F. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Police/Court* 3. Zantua, Arnel Jose D. – RN *Approved* H. REINSTATEMENT APPLICATIONS: 1. Springer, Chad M. – CRNA *Approved*	A. Tabled B. Tabled C. Tabled D. Tabled E. Approved F. Tabled G. *1 Endorsement Application was Approved* *1 Endorsement Application was Conditionally Approved* *1 Endorsement Application was Tabled* H. *1 Reinstatement Application was Approved*
II. New Business	A. **TEMPORARY WORK PERMIT APPLICATIONS** 1. Jackson, Jason C. – 18R119 (10/22/18-1/22/19) 2. Wratislaw, Brooke A. – 18R120 (11/5/18-2/5/19) 3. Guillen, Yasanga D. – 18R121 (10/16/18-1/16/19) 4. Bayley, Brandon – 18R03 (10/30/18-11/15/18) *Extension 5. Nisley, Clay W. – 18R122 (11/5/18-2/5/19) 6. Bekken, Andrea M. – 18R123 (11/5/18-2/5/19) 7. Fox, Kearstyn C. – 18R124 (11/5/18-2/5/19) 8. Nzui, Lena W. – 18R51 (11/2/18-2/2/19) *Extension 9. Brewer, Jared R. – 18R97 (11/8/18-2/8/19) *Extension 10. Chiu, Jamela Denice J. – 18R125 (11/6/18-2/6/19) 11. Abayon, Ma. Cherry B. – 18R126 (11/8/18-2/8/19) 12. Baptista, Ruth Anne S. – 18R127 (11/12/18-2/12/19) 13. Fiscella, Kaitlyn – 18R93 (11/14/18-2/14/19) *Extension 14. Mustaca, Raquel E. – 18R128 (11/13/18-2/13/19) 15. Johnson, Christy L. – 18R129 (11/19/18-2/19/19) B. **EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS** 1. Cabinta, Maria Melissa M. – RX *Tabled* 2. Cruz, Angelica Jubel M. – LX *Tabled*	A. *15 Temporary Work Permits were issued and effective from 10/22/18-2/19/19* B. *2 Examination Applications were Tabled*

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	3. Cruz, Jr., Glenn E. – NX *Approved* 4. Ponce, Christian R. – NX *Approved* 5. Taman, Darlice M. – RN *Approved*	*3 Examination Applications were Approved*
	C. **ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS** 1. Adalim, Gerryl Andrea N. – RN *Tabled* 2. Allauigan, Theresa G. – RN *Tabled* 3. Baptista, Ruth Anne S. – RN *Tabled* 4. Bekken, Andrea M. – RN *Tabled* 5. Cruz, Christoper Leonard J. – RN *Tabled* 6. Da Silva, Angelyn G. – RN *Tabled* 7. De Guzman, Paul John L. – RN *Tabled* 8. Contreras, Christie L. – RN *Tabled* 9. Eslava, Ferdimar N. – RN *Tabled* 10. Fox, Kearstyn C. – RN *Tabled* 11. Garcia, Lynda L.T. – RN *Tabled* 12. Gillespie, Amber L. – RN *Tabled* 13. Guillen, Yasanga D. – RN *Tabled* 14. Hartman, Mary D. – RN *Tabled* 15. Heath, Cleotilde H. – RN *Tabled* 16. Jackson, Jason C. – RN *Tabled* 17. Johnson, Christy L. – RN *Tabled* 18. Koski, Mary B. – RN *Cond. Approved pending police/court clearance* 19. Lucio, Alvin C. – RN *Cond. Approved pending social security number/ESAR form* 20. Nisley, Clay W. – RN *Cond. Approved pending license verification* 21. Nozicka, April L. – RN *Cond. Approved pending license verification* 22. Ong, Jerry C. – RN *Cond. Approved pending social security number/non-valid application* 23. Peters, Laura A. – RN *Cond. Approved pending proof of completion of drug/alcohol education* 24. Richburg, Lehra F. – RN *Cond. Approved pending photo/police/court clearance* 25. Senda, Annethelynn – CNA *Approved* 26. Tongco, Cherrielyn D.J. – RN *Cond. Approved pending license verification/social security number*	C. *1 Endorsement Application was Approved* *8 Endorsement Applications were Conditionally Approved* *17 Endorsement Application were Tabled*
	D. **APRN Applications** 1. Lomboy, Courtney N. – FNP *Tabled*	D. *1 APRN Application was Tabled*
	E. **PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY** 1. Lomboy, Courtney N. – FNP *Tabled*	E. *1 Prescriptive Authority Application was Tabled*
	F. **PENDING APPLICATIONS** 1. Please see attached list of applicants that are pending documents for board review.	F. Informational
III. Open Discussion	A. A. Varghese requested to have minutes sent a week before the meeting for review.	Informational

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	B. M. Carbullido informed the board about a photo shoot to update GBNE's website with new members. C. A. Cruz questioned about an applicant who graduated five or six years ago and had failed twice on Guam then took the test with Saipan and passed and is now trying to endorse his license to Guam. And assuming he has no clinical for the last several years, she wants the board to think about this when GBNE updates rules. D. B. Santos asked about Executive Session and M. Carbullido stated the only time to meet in an Executive Session without the public is for example during a lawsuit discussion about a board member. Minutes and recordings will still be done then after about six months, will be public.	
IV. Next Meeting	Thursday, December 13, 2018, 3:30 p.m. Health Professional Licensing Office Conference Room 209 Terlaje Building, Hagatna, Guam	Informational
V. Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 5:10 p.m.	B. Santos moved to adjourn at 5:10 p.m. A. Cruz seconded. Motion carried.

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BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: All were present

OTHER ATTENDEES: Marlene Carbullido, RN, MSN, Interim Executive Officer (DPHSS/HPLO), Rosemary Carman, Word Processing Secretary II (DPHSS/HPLO), John R.B. Bell, Attorney, Regina Cerne, Legal Assistant, Evangeline Claassens, RN-NPC Pilar Perez Williams, (GCC), Virginia Tudela (GCC), Dorothy Duenas (GCC), Flo Eay (AMC) and Mike Blaho (AMC)

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I. Call to Order	There is no Chairperson and Vice Chairperson on the board, therefore the Interim Executive Officer called the meeting to order at 3:52 p.m. as a Regular Board Meeting.	Quorum Established.
II. Proof of Publication	Copies of the five day and at least 48 hour notices were provided.	Advertisements in the Guam Daily Post on December 5, 2018 and December 11, 2018 are confirmed.
III. Election of New Chairperson and Vice Chairperson	M. Carbullido announced that Kevin Hitosis has served the board as Chairperson for two terms and thanked him for his service. There were no nominations, so M. Carbullido suggested Ms. Bernadette Santos as the new Chairperson and Ms. Christine Tuquero as the Vice Chairperson. Meeting was now turned over to Chairperson B. Santos.	All board members raised their hands to approved Ms. Bernadette Santos as the New Chairperson and Ms. Christine Tuquero as the new Vice Chairperson; no one opposed. Motion carried.
IV. Review and Approval of Minutes	A. November 15, 2018 Regularly Scheduled Meeting Minutes	A. Tabled
V. Administrator's Report	A. Program Reports 1. GCC a. Practical Nursing (PN) Program – Ms. Dorothy Duenas and Ms. Gina Tudela discussed with the board the following: 1) Concerns on curriculum decreasing clinical hours and credits. 2) Voluntary withdrawal. 3) Proposal for an Associate's Degree (AD) in Practical Nursing. 4) Certificate in Practical Nursing Program closely mirrored the credits needed for an Associate's Degree. 5) Board received copies of GCC's update for the proposal. 6) Practical Nursing Program is 75 credits which include general education credits which is what is needed for an AD.	A. 1. a. A. Varghese moved to Conditionally Approve the GCC application pending an advisory review from Dr. Hattori-Uchima and Dr. Wood and inform GCC of the final action by December 21, 2018. B. Manzana seconded. Motion carried.

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	7) These credits can be transferred to UOG if a student chooses to pursue their education. 8) Ms. Duenas worked closely with Dr. Margaret Hattori-Uchima and Dr. Kathy Wood to assist in the foundation and credits for the courses for the Associates of Science in PN. 9) A. Varghese has not reviewed the documents and explained she will have some discussion at next month's meeting. 10) Ms. Tudela and Ms. Duenas explained that in order to implement Fall 2019, they need to get approval from GBNE and then go before their creditors to present the program. They are hoping to meet the deadline of February 6, 2019 to submit. But the proposal needs to be presented to the GCC board 45 days prior which is December 21, 2018. 11) Faculty was discussed and UOG informed GCC that they will mentor their faculty. 12) M. Carbullido recommended to Conditionally Approve pending A. Varghese's recommendation (to include an Advisory like Margaret Hattori-Uchima) via teleconference. b. Nursing Assistant Program 1) Ms. Duenas updated GBNE about the past cohorts from December 2017 (4 students) with a 50% pass rate and May 2018 (7 students), no pass rate available at this time. And another cohort just finished this past week (13 students). 2) She stated they are preparing for a CNA review course once they find out when the next CNA testing is. 3) M. Carbullido stated the next scheduled CNA testing will be January 25-26, 2019.	b. Informational
	2. UOG BSN Program	2. Tabled
	B. NCSBN Events (no discussion)	B. Status Quo
	C. Disciplinary Complaints 1. GBNE-CO18-001 Luther, Belinda, RN (ongoing) a. No response from Ms. Luther. 2. GBNE-CO18-002 Lucas, Amy K., RN (ongoing) a. Travel Nurse and not currently on island. b. Guam license will expire 9/30/19. c. No response from Lucas. 3. GBNE-CO18-010 Patrick, Bradley D., CRNA (ongoing) a. Attorney R. Weinberg is aware of this case. b. May be working as an independent practitioner. 4. GBNE-CO18-012 Mian, Jenny C., CNA (ongoing) a. Still no response from Dr. Lim. 5. GBNE-CO18-015 Claassens, Evangeline, APRN (ongoing)	C. 1. Status Quo 2. Status Quo 3. Status Quo 4. Status Quo 5. C. Huntsman moved to close the case of complaint number GBNE-

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	a. Ms. Claassens appeared today before the board with her attorney Mr. John Bell. b. Attorney Bell mentioned the reasons of which there is a complaint that sounds more of a personal matter from her previous employer and had stated off the Rules and Regulations 25 GAR 6503, which he explained that if there is a complaint that points to a rule or act of the Nurse Practice Act, then the board is empowered to investigate. Therefore does not see any allegations to respond to under the Nurse Practice Act. c. M. Carbullido mentioned a case of a nurse supervisor who did not show up for work that was demoted when this case was taken to civil service. When the nurse does not show up for work, it does have an impact on the safety when her reliever is waiting for her. M. Carbullido stated that the employers have a duty to report any adverse actions/terminations. d. Attorney Bell wanted to state for the record, that due process should state what rule was violated and challenged the board to investigate. e. M. Carbullido replied that this is an informal process and just giving Ms. Claassens the benefit of notifying her there is an accusation against her. f. Chairperson stated there was a subsequent email that Mr. Gurusamy submitted which was a failure to complete nursing notes. g. Ms. Claassens stated when she just came back from South Korea from her military training, she was dehydrated and went to the ER at Naval Hospital. She called her nursing supervisor (Clinical Manager) that she will be out sick for 5 days and her supervisor approved her sick leave as long as she submitted a doctor's note. She was confused as to why HSP said she was a no call, no show when her supervisor knew she wasn't coming in. h. Ms. Claassens was feeling better by the second day and decided to get training at another clinic where she was hoping to get a second job. i. Attorney Bell stated when Ms. Claassens said she was well enough to go training but not well enough to go out in the field and do nursing, she is essentially right to do this and quoted 25 GAR 6103. j. Attorney Bell stated Ms. Claassens was terminated for 1) her deployment and 2) missing work. He hoped that the board received a copy of her termination notice that states this because the letter she received from the board did not state about her deployment. k. M. Carbullido mentioned she invited the person who made the complaint but he has passed away. l. The board stated they did not receive a copy of the termination letter. Attorney Bell provided a copy to the board.	CO18-015 Evangeline Claassens. B. Manzana seconded. Motion carried.

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	m. Vice Chairperson stated the board is here to determine if Ms. Claassens violated the Nursing Practice and not if she was wrongfully terminated. n. M. Carbullido asked if the board needs to provide a letter to her Commander and Ms. Claassens replied yes. o. Ms. Claassens stated that her nursing notes were complete. p. Chairperson stated they could not find any violations on the Nurse Practice Act. 6. GBNE-CO18-016 Tidwell, Susan M. (new) a. GRMC terminated her for abandonment. b. C. Huntsman recused herself. c. C. Tuquero and A. Cruz are assigned as investigators. 7. GBNE-CO18-017 Delgado Alazo, Marianys B., APRN (new) a. GRMC terminated her for abandonment. b. C. Huntsman and M. Bamba-Ada are recused. c. C. Tuquero and A. Cruz are assigned as investigators. 8. GBNE-CO18-018 Blackburn, Happy, RN (new) a. GRMC terminated her for multiple practice safety issues. b. C. Huntsman and M. Bamba-Ada are recused. c. C. Tuquero and A. Cruz are assigned as investigators.	6. New Assignment 7. New Assignment 8. New Assignment
VI. Old Business	Board took a small break to take a group photo to update GBNE's website. A. Complaint/Discipline form for review/approval B. Public Law 34-129 – Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community. 1. Chairperson would like to reach out to their advisors for assistance. 2. Law only allows them to practice as volunteers. 3. Incorporate into Rules and Regulations. C. EXAMINATION: 1. Cabinta, Maria Melissa M. – RX *Approved* 2. Cruz, Angelica Jubel M. – LX *Approved* D. ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS: 1. Adalim, Gerryl Andrea N. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Social Security Number* 2. Agbahor, Eseoghene – RN *Cond. Approved pending update application/photo* 3. Alcantara, Carlos A. – RN *Disapproved due to no response from several attempts*	A. A. Varghese moved to approve the Investigative Complaint/ Discipline form. B. Manzana seconded. Motion carried. B. Tabled C. *2 Examination Applications were Approved* D. *6 Endorsement Applications were Approved* *15 Endorsement Applications were Conditionally Approved*

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	4. Allauigan, Theresa G. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Social Security Number* 5. Baptista, Ruth Anne S. – RN *Approved* 6. Bekken, Andrea M. – RN *Cond. Approved pending license verification* 7. Contreras, Christie L. – RN *Approved* 8. Cruz, Christoper Leonard J. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Social Security Number* 9. Da Silva, Angelyn G. – RN *Cond. Approved pending photo/police/court/license verification* 10. De Guzman, Paul John L. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Social Security Number* 11. Eslava, Ferdimar N. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Social Security Number/Part IV* 12. Fenner, Anne L. – RN *Tabled pending correspondence/ further review* 13. Fox, Kearstyn C. – RN *Approved* 14. Garcia, Lynda L.T. – RN *Cond. Approved pending photo/police/court* 15. Gillespie, Amber L. – RN *Cond. Approved pending license verification/Part III/court* 16. Guillen, Yasanga D. – RN *Approved* 17. Hartman, Mary D. – RN *Cond. Approved pending license verification* 18. Heath, Cleotilde H. – RN *Cond. Approved pending police/court* 19. Henry, Berta E. – RN *Cond. Approved pending police/Part II/payment* 20. Jackson, Jason C. – RN *Approved* 21. Johnson, Christy L. – RN *Cond. Approved pending license verification* 22. Neil, Kelly L. – RN *Cond. Approved pending character reference letters* 23. Peters, Laura A. – RN *Approved*	*1 Endorsement Application was Disapproved* *1 Endorsement Application was Tabled*
	E. APRN APPLICATIONS: 1. Lomboy, Courtney N. – FNP *Cond. Approved pending national certification* 2. Neil, Kelly L. – FNP *Cond. Approved pending character reference letters*	E. *2 APRN Applications were Conditionally Approved*
	F. PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY APPLICATIONS: 1. Lomboy, Courtney N. – FNP *Cond. Approved pending national certification* 2. Neil, Kelly L. – FNP *Cond. Approved pending character reference letters*	F. *2 Prescriptive Authority Applications were Conditionally Approved*
VII. New Business	A. **TEMPORARY WORK PERMIT APPLICATIONS** 1. Bayley, Brandon – 18R03 (11/16/18-11/30/18) *Extension 2. Knue, Brenan J. – 18R130 (12/10/18-3/10/19) 3. Hartman, Mary D. – 18R131 (11/20/18-2/20/19) 4. O'Connell, Michael C. – 18R132 (11/27/18-2/27/19) 5. Ylanan, Astrid Mae O. – 18R133 (12/3/18-3/3/19)	A. *11 Temporary Work Permits were issued and effective from 11/16/18-4/6/19*

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	6. Bartell, Janell A. – 18R134 (1/6/19-4/6/19) 7. Reynolds, John R. – 18R135 (12/3/18-3/3/19) 8. Alfonso, Jasmin S. – 18R136 (12/11/18-3/11/19) 9. Walker, Courtney B. – 18R137 (12/12/18-3/12/19) 10. Pajarilla, Jr., Jesus C. – 18R138 (12/17/18-3/17/19) 11. Alexander, Diane H. – 18R139 (12/17/18-3/17/19)	
	B. **EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS** 1. Sampayan, Justine Yuri M. – RN *Approved* 2. Sual, Mary Rose J. – RN *Cond. Approved pending completion certificate of refresher course*	B. *1 Examination Application was Conditionally Approved* *1 Examination Application was Approved*
	C. **ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS** 1. Alfonso, Jasmin S. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Nursys correction of middle name* 2. Bartell, Janell A. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Part V/license verification* 3. Carpenter, Catherine M. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Part III/V/license verification* 4. Guanlao, Maria Corzaon S. – RN *Approved* 5. Isidro, Aiza A. – RN *Cond. Approved pending social security number* 6. Knue, Brenan J. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Part V/license verification* 7. Lagrimas, Anelyn M. – NA *Approved* 8. Lehrer, Kelly M. – RN *Cond. Approved pending character reference letter* 9. Pajarilla, Jr., Jesus C. – RN *Cond. Approved pending license verification* 10. Reynolds, John R. – RN *Cond. Approved pending license verification* 11. Sproul, Anne C. – RN *Cond. Approved pending Part III* 12. Walker, Courtney B. – RN *Cond. Approved pending police clearance*	C. *2 Endorsement Applications were Approved* *10 Endorsement Applications were Conditionally Approved*
	D. **APRN Applications** 1. Santos, Elizabeth – NP *Approved*	D. *1 APRN Application was Approved*
	E. **PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY** 1. Santos, Elizabeth – NP *Approved*	E. *1 Prescriptive Authority Application was Approved*
	F. **PENDING APPLICATIONS** 1. Please see attached list of applicants that are pending documents for board review.	F. Informational
VIII. Open Discussion	A. Ms. Flo Eay from American Medical Center was present to follow up on Ms. Kelly Neil's application, which she has authorization because Ms. Neil is not currently on island. Ms. Eay was accompanied by Mr. Mike Blaho who is known to Ms. Neil. Board discuss Ms. Neil's disciplinary action in California. And Mr. Win vouched for Ms. Neil's character as a nurse.	A. Board will sign off on the checklist in folder as Conditionally Approved, pending character reference letters.

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	B. Chairperson asked for support and if there are any improvements, she asked they talk about it. She also recommended to write any questions regarding forms, practices or decisions, write it down and create a guideline for their successors. She also recommended to have a section on APRN's. A. Cruz stated she can do a brief presentation at the next meeting on APRN's. C. Vice Chairperson wanted to clarify to the board when reviewing a file and it only requires a document, it is okay to Conditionally Approve, but if it requires further review due to a legal matter, then Table it.	B. Informational C. Informational
IX. Next Meeting	Thursday, January 10, 2019, 3:30 p.m. Health Professional Licensing Office Conference Room 209 Terlaje Building, Hagatna, Guam	Informational
X. Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 5:19 p.m.	C. Huntsman moved to adjourn at 5:19 p.m. C. Tuquero seconded. Motion carried.

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AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PROOF OF PUBLICATION

III. MINUTES FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL
- A. November 15, 2018 Regularly Scheduled Meeting
- B. December 13, 2018 Regularly Scheduled Meeting

IV. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

V. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT
- A. Velasquez, Nixan was requested to attend to explain why she applied to take NCLEX-RN and not Endorsement from California.
- B. Harles, Amber L., LPN Endorsement - requested to attend to explain discipline history.
- C. PROGRAM REPORTS (A. Varghese)
  1. GCC
     a. Practical Nursing Program – GCC will appear before board
        1) New Program Proposal/Letter of Intent received 12/31/18
        2) CNA Testing Scheduled for 1/25-26/19 cancelled; no applications received
  2. UOG BSN Program
     a. It was recommended that another board member other than A. Varghese review UOG's annual report for approval which was received on 7/30/18
- D. NCSBN
  1. Midyear Meeting, 3/26/19-3/28/19, San Antonio, TX
  2. APRN Round Table, 4/9/19, Rosemont, IL
  3. Board of Nursing Investigative Training, 5/1-3/19, Rosemont, IL
  4. Discipline Case Management Conference, 6/10-12/19, Memphis, TN
  5. 2019 Annual Meeting, 8/21-23/19, Chicago, IL
- E. Disciplinary Reports
  1. GBNE-CO18-001
  2. GBNE-CO18-002
  3. GBNE-CO18-010
  4. GBNE-CO18-012
  5. GBNE-CO18-015
  6. GBNE-CO18-016
  7. GBNE-CO18-017
  8. GBNE-CO18-018

VI. OLD BUSINESS
- A. Public Law 34-129 - Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community

- B. ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS:

1. Fenner, Anne L. – RN *For Discussion

VII. NEW BUSINESS

A. TEMPORARY WORK PERMIT APPLICATIONS

1. Sexton, Marc J. – 18NA01 (12/17/18-3/17/19)
2. Sopczneski, Sophia R. – 18R140 (12/17/18-3/17/19)
3. Pakingan, Estrelita A. – 18R141 (12/17/18-3/17/19)
4. Kosowicz, Lauren B. – 18R142 (12/17/18-3/17/19)
5. Adams, Jennifer M. – 18R143 (12/18/18-3/18/19)
6. Martin, Christina M. – 18R144 (12/18/18-3/18/19)
7. Carpenter, Catherine M. – 18R145 (12/21/18-3/21/19)
8. Adoptante, Errylane B. – 18R146 (12/21/18-3/21/19)
9. Moussa, Amel K. – 18R147 (12/27/18-3/27/19)
10. Aquino, May Anne S. – 18R148 (12/31/18-3/31/19)
11. Mac Donald, Lauren G. – 19R01 (1/28/19-4/28/19)
12. Stack, Robert L. – 19R02 (1/28/19-4/28/19)
13. Wright, Heather L. – 19R03 (1/21/19-4/21/19)
14. Wright, Jeffrey S. – 19R04 (1/21/19-4/21/19)

B. EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS

1. Mamaligsa, Nichole Monique Q. – NX
2. Pernot, Theresa N. – RX

C. ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS

1. Abayon, Ma. Cherry B. – RN
2. Adams, Jennifer M. – RN
3. Adoptante, Errylane B. – RN
4. Alexander, Diane H. – RN
5. Aquino, May Anne S. – RN
6. Au Yeung, Chi Ming – RN
7. Balajadia, Januaria M. – RN
8. Burns, Brittnei M. – RN
9. Chiu, Jamela Denice J. – RN
10. Curtis, Amanda C. – RN
11. Darr, Teresa M. – RN
12. Demaisip, Kathleen Rose J. – RN
13. Ege, Dannit'z F. – RN
14. Garcia, Jayson A. – RN
15. Heighter, Kesha L. – RN
16. Kosowicz, Lauren B. – RN
17. Jones, Maura J. – RN
18. Mac Donald, Lauren G. – RN
19. Martin, Christina M. – RN
20. Miller, Michelle – RN
21. Moussa, Amel K. – RN
22. Mustaca, Raquel E. – RN
23. Ortiz, Rachel M. – RN
24. Paraso, Chime S. – RN
25. Pesik, Michele A. – RN
26. Sciacchitano, Virginia M. – RN
27. Smith, Christine T. – RN
28. Sopczneski, Sophia R. – RN
29. Stack, Robert L. – RN
30. Weymer, Shannon E. – RN

31. Wright, Heather L. – RN
32. Wright, Jeffrey S. – RN
33. Ylanan, Astrid Mae O. – RN

D. APRN
1. Frudge, Carolyn L.M. – NP
2. Pesik, Michele A. – CRNA

E. REINSTATEMENT
1. Datu, Aleia Gabrielle A. – CNA
2. Leon Guerrero, Christopher C. – CNA

F. PENDING APPLICANTS *See attached list

VIII. OPEN DISCUSSION

IX. NEXT MEETING

A. Thursday, February 14, 2019, 3:30 PM
Health Professional Licensing Office, Conference Room 209, Terlaje Building, Hagatna, Guam

X. ADJOURNMENT

Where to dispose of live Christmas trees

By Lannie Walker
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It's that time of year again: Time to trash your live Christmas tree.

Trash collectors will not pick up trees left by trash bins, but there are other options for disposing of holiday trees.

The Northern Hardfill in Yigo is accepting Christmas trees for disposal. A fee of $12 for trees brought via car, $17 in a pick-up or $25 for a full-size truck is charged for drop-off at their site along Route 15 in Yigo. They will also accept other green waste in your load for the cost of the fee. Hours of operation at the Northern Hardfill are Monday through Saturday from 6 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Pacific Unlimited also is accepting live Christmas trees for disposal at two locations. In Ordot across from the landfill, trees can be discarded for a $9 tipping fee at Pacific Top Soil and Compost. The site is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Trees can also be dropped off in Yigo at 150 Chalan Bada from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday. A $9 tipping free will be charged.

Both the Ordot and Yigo locations are closed for lunch from 11 a.m. to noon.

John Borja from the Department of Agriculture said the department has not offered tree-mulching services for more than five years. He said they do not have the necessary personnel or equipment.



DECORATED: *A Christmas tree decorated by students from P.C. Lujan Elementary School stands at the T Galleria by DFS in Tumon in this January 2018 file photo. With the holiday season now over, residents have a few options for properly disposing of their live trees. Post file photo*

Guard to hold mobilization ceremony today

The Guam National Guard will hold a mobilization ceremony today at 2:30 p.m. to transition soldiers to active-duty status. The ceremony will be held at the Guard Readiness Center in Barrigada.

In August 2018, the Guard received an activation order from the Department of the Army to provide security forces, or SECFOR, to Task Force Talon on Andersen Air Force Base in Yigo, stated a release from the Guard.

Task Force Talon is responsible for operating the Terminal High Altitude Area Defense, or THAAD, anti-ballistic missile defense system on Guam. THAAD is designed to shoot down short-, medium- and intermediate-range ballistic missiles in their terminal phase (during descent or re-entry) by intercepting with a hit-to-kill approach.

While these Guam Guard soldiers, or Task Force Guahan, will not be leaving the island, they will be transitioned and assigned to Task Force Talon leadership during the one-year mission.

"This active-duty status will result in a positive economic impact for their families and the island," the Guard stated in the release.

The Guard asked the public for their continued support, as this mobilization will also have a significant impact on the Guam National Guard, the release added.

"We want to thank the people of Guam, especially the employers, for their continued support of our members and their families," said Maj. Gen. Roderick Leon Guerrero, the adjutant general of the Guam National Guard. "We still have airmen who are currently deployed or will be departing for deployments in the coming weeks. Please keep all our members in your thoughts and prayers now and for the duration of their missions."

For more information, call Maj. Josephine Blas at 735-0409.

(Daily Post Staff)

NWS: Hazardous surf through tomorrow

Rough seas and large swells are expected through Friday morning, making for dangerous swimming conditions.

The National Weather Service Guam office issued a high-surf and small-craft advisory, and warned of a high risk of rip currents for Guam, Rota, Tinian and Saipan.

Surf has become hazardous at 7 to 9 feet on north-facing reefs producing localized beach erosion and dangerous swimming conditions, according to NWS.

The community is reminded to heed the advice of lifeguards, beach patrol flags and signs regarding the high risk of rip currents – powerful channels of water flowing quickly away from the shore.

Rip currents

If caught in a rip current, you are advised to yell for help, remain calm and stay afloat while waiting for help. If swimming out of a rip current, you should swim parallel to shore and back toward the beach when possible.

Rip currents are life threatening and one should never swim directly against one, the NWS warned.

The small-craft advisory remains in effect until 7 a.m. Friday.

(Daily Post Staff)



ADVISORY: *A fisherman gathers his fishing net while waves pound the reefline on the western side of the island on Aug. 20, 2018. The National Weather Service Guam office has issued a high-surf and small-craft advisory, and warned of a high risk of rip currents for Guam, Rota, Tinian and Saipan. Post file photo*

GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

NOTICE OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING

The Guam Economic Development Authority (GEDA), a public corporation, will be holding its Regular Board of Directors meeting on **Thursday, January 10, 2018 at 1:30 p.m.** in the GEDA conference room located in Suite 511, 5th Floor, International Trade Center (ITC) Building, 590 South Marine Corps Drive, Tamuning, Guam.

Persons requiring special accommodations should contact GEDA's ADA coordinator, Mrs. Maria Silva Taijeron, at 647-4332 or mstaijeron@investguam.com.

/s/ JAY ROJAS
Chief Executive Officer/Administrator
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GUAM BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK

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Legislation could mandate immunization program

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>
> – Sen. Louise Muna

By John O'Connor
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The Guam Department of Education and Department of Public Health and Social Services might be mandated soon to maintain an ongoing immunization program within public schools.

Sen. Louise Muna is developing such legislation.

"There is currently a memorandum of understanding between Public Health and GDOE, but of course the biggest issue is the funding and staffing for the nurses, which is tough when you have 30,000 students to immunize," Muna said.

At this point, Muna could not disclose how the program might be funded but said there may be "opportunities" forthcoming.

"I don't want to push it without the confirmation," Muna said. "We're trying to work it where it won't cost us too much. That's why we're aligning both Public Health and GDOE. And then even coordinating with the nursing program at (the University of Guam)."



MUNA: *Sen. Louise Muna takes part in a women's senatorial candidate forum hosted by Soroptimist International of the Marianas at Three Squares restaurant in Tamuning on Aug. 23, 2016. Post file photo*

Vaccinations for human papillomavirus, responsible for cervical cancer and other diseases, will be made part of the immunization program.

However, the bill does not force parents to vaccinate against HPV, Muna said, only provide an opportunity for vaccination.

Muna met with stakeholders on Jan. 3 to discuss the initiative.

Sorely needed

Terry Cuabo, the executive director at Guam Cancer Care, said a legislative mandate is sorely needed.

He said the effectiveness of the current program is sporadic and its implementation would be better achieved if it were mandated by law.

"The community is not really supportive of it because it's not structured to get the max output," Cuabo said.

Dr. Samuel Friedman, an oncology specialist, said cervical cancer was more prominent on Guam than in the states.

He said it was "totally insane" not to vaccinate Guam's entire population against HPV when Australia, which dwarfs Guam in size, could be on track to eliminate cervical cancer from the country within a generation. This is according to a study published in early October 2018.

Cathedral-basilica to start weekly Mass devoted to cancer patients

The Archdiocese of Agana on Sunday announced the Dulce Nombre de Maria Cathedral-Basilica will offer weekly devotion Mass to St. Peregrine for cancer patients, their families and all who would like to participate in celebration of the Eucharist and prayers. The Mass will be held on Wednesdays at 6 p.m. starting Jan. 9.

The inaugural Mass will include the unveiling, blessing and enthronement of the statue of St. Peregrine in a special niche inside the cathedral-basilica. Comfort crosses made from olive wood from the Holy Land and St. Peregrine prayer cards with pendants will be presented to inaugural Mass attendees.

Monsignor James Benavente, pastor of the cathedral-basilica, stated in a press release that confession will be offered before each Mass, as well as an anointing of the sick.

For more information, call the Pastoral Center at 472-6201.

(Daily Post Staff)

State funeral for former Piti mayor Saturday

The Legislature will hold session at 7 a.m. Saturday in the Guam Congress Building for state memorial services for former Piti Mayor Vicente "Ben" Gumataotao, who died Dec. 28, 2018, at the age of 91.

Then-Gov. Eddie Calvo declared a state of mourning Dec. 29 and ordered flags flown at half-staff in honor of Gumataotao.

Gumataotao survived the atrocities of World War II, was a Navy sailor and served in the Calvo-Tenorio administration.

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BOARD MEMBERS ATTENDANCE: Bernadette S. Santos, RN, MPA, Chairperson (Community RN), Christine Tuquero, RN, MSN, Vice Chairperson (Hospital-GMHA), Anna Varghese, DNP, CMSRN, Member (Education-UOG), Anna Maria Cruz, Member (DPHSS) Meagan Bamba-Ada, Member (APRN), and Charlotte Huntsman, Member (Public)

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Brenda Manzana, Member (LPN)

OTHER ATTENDEES: Marlene Carbullido, RN, MSN, Interim Executive Officer (DPHSS/HPLO), Rosemary Carman, Word Processing Secretary II (DPHSS/HPLO), Robert Weinberg, Assistant Attorney General (OAG), Evangeline Phillips, Maggie Greenwood, MC Velasquez, Nixan C. Velasquez, Amber Harles, Dorothy Duenas and Pilar Perez Williams (GCC).

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
I. Call to Order	Chairperson called the meeting to order at 3:34 p.m. as a Regular Board Meeting.	Quorum Established.
II. Proof of Publication	Copies of the five day and at least 48 hour notices were provided.	Advertisements in the Guam Daily Post on January 3, 2019 and January 8, 2019 are confirmed.
III. Review and Approval of Minutes	A. November 15, 2018 Regularly Scheduled Meeting Minutes B. December 13, 2018 Regularly Scheduled Meeting Minutes	A. A. Varghese moved to approve the November 15, 2018 minutes. A. Cruz seconded. Motion carried. B. C. Tuquero moved to approve the December 13, 2018 minutes. A. Cruz seconded. Motion carried.
IV. Chairperson's Report	A. Chairperson B. Santos encouraged the board to continue noting concerns about the review or processing of applicants, which will be addressed. She asked to keep the Rules and Regulations on hand. She requested for guidance from Attorney R. Weinberg regarding the establishment of committees for GBNE. The board members voted to establish the following committees. 1. Disciplinary Matrix Guidance – A. Cruz and C. Tuquero 2. Rules and Regulations – A. Varghese and B. Manzana 3. Application Tool (Ad Hoc) – C. Huntsman and M. Bamba-Ada	A. Informational
V. Administrator's Report	M. Carbullido shared that The Guam Daily Post has requested for a FOIA (Freedom Of Information Act) on complaints for all the boards. A. Nixan Velasquez appeared before the board and discussed why she initially applied for licensure by Examination instead of Endorsement from California.	Informational A. GBNE approved for Ms. Nixan Velasquez to apply her initial fee for Examination to Endorsement, change the application form and provide a license verification from California.

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B. Amber L. Harles appeared before the board and explained her disciplinary history. Ms. Harles explained she never had her license taken away, but she was reprimanded and had to pay fees. She was also terminated while working as a nurse due to attendance and there was never any negligence nor any practice issue on any of her disciplines. Board informed Ms. Harles they will review file and notify her.	B. Board approved Amber Harles' LPN Endorsement application with a letter reminding her of the importance of knowing each jurisdiction's licensure requirements.
C. Program Reports (A. Varghese) 1. GCC a. Practical Nursing (PN) Program – Ms. Dorothy Duenas and Ms. Gina Tudela were present for discussion: 1) A. Varghese expressed she needs more time to review their packet and plans to have a response at the next meeting. 2) M. Carbullido recommended to do a site visit. b. Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA) Program 1) Vice Chairperson informed GCC that we haven't received any CNA applications, therefore cancelled the January scheduled testing.	C. 1. Tabled for further review.
2. UOG BSN Program a. Pending review and approval of program. b. M. Carbullido recommended that A. Cruz will work with A. Varghese on the Program Reports.	2. M. Bamba-Ada moved to approved UOG's BSN Program Annual Report. C. Huntsman seconded. Motion carried.
D. NCSBN Events 1. Midyear Meeting, 3/26/19-3/28/19, San Antonio, TX a. B. Manzana, C. Tuquero and M. Carbullido will be attending. 2. APRN Round Table, 4/9/19, Rosemont, IL a. A. Cruz and M. Carbullido will be attending. 3. Board of Nursing Investigative Training, 5/1-3/19, Rosemont, IL a. B. Santos and C. Huntsman will be attending. 4. Discipline Case Management Conference, 6/10-12/19, Memphis, TN a. A. Varghese will be attending. 5. 2019 Annual Meeting, 8/21-23/19, Chicago, IL a. B. Manzana will be attending; need two more attendees.	D. Informational
E. Disciplinary Complaints 1. GBNE-CO18-001 Luther, Belinda, RN (status quo) 2. GBNE-CO18-002 Lucas, Amy K., RN (status quo) 3. GBNE-CO18-010 Patrick, Bradley D., CRNA (ongoing) a. Administrator stated GBNE has not officially communicated with Mr. Patrick. b. Vice Chairperson C. Tuquero stated that she spoke with CRNA informally at their workplace and she informed him that GBNE has forwarded his case for legal review. CRNA informed Vice Chairperson that he self-reported to the board.	E. 1. Tabled 2. Tabled 3. Ongoing

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	c. Mr. Patrick's GBNE Renewal application did not indicate that he even held a California license. d. There was further discussion with Attorney Weinberg. e. Vice Chairperson and M. Bamba-Ada will investigate and work with legal counsel. 4. GBNE-CO18-012 Mian, Jenny C., CNA (ongoing) a. A. Varghese and B. Manzana have completed their investigation. b. A. Varghese reported after several attempts, they finally met with Dr. Lim. c. A. Varghese reported that during their investigation, Dr. Lim admitted to A. Varghese and B. Manzana, that her standard of practice is signing prescriptions for refill medications when she goes off-island for Ms. Mian to write in the medication. A. Varghese stated that Ms. Mian also agreed and made this same statement. The signature on the prescription was Dr. Lim but the transcription of the medication was done by Ms. Mian. d. A. Varghese reported that she and B. Manzana have found that Ms. Jenny Mian performed duties beyond her scope of practice as a nurse assistant. e. Ms. Philipps and Ms. Greenwood approached the board to discuss further on this incident. Ms. Philipps stated that she noticed the signature was different. Ms. Philipps stated she called the Police and has a recording of her admission that she "signed" the prescription. Ms. Philipps is surprised to hear that the story today is a little different. f. Ms. Greenwood stated she reported this to the Medical Board but no follow up was ever corresponded back to her. g. Board discussed with Attorney Weinberg on the action to take. h. Attorney Weinberg requested from the investigators a chronology of what was done by dates and he will put together what the packet is supposed to look like. i. The board at this time did not vote, however they did discuss that they are considering the following: 1. Revocation 2. Fine 3. Letter to employer 4. Report to Nursys Data Bank 5. Report to the Medical Board 5. GBNE-CO18-016 Tidwell, Susan M. (status quo) 6. GBNE-CO18-017 Delgado Alazo, Marianys B., APRN (status quo) 7. GBNE-CO18-018 Blackburn, Happy, RN (status quo) F. Member A. Cruz prepared a power point presentation on the updated APRN Nurse Practice Act Rules and Regulations enacted February 2018.	4. Ongoing 5. Tabled 6. Tabled 7. Tabled F. Informational

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	G. Chairperson asked Attorney Weinberger to give guidance to the board (since there are new members) about topics to discuss and files to reviews but limited during a two-hour board meeting. Attorney Weinberger mentioned the board should have a new board member training and discusses about Open Government law.	G. Informational
VI. Old Business	A. Public Law 34-129 – Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community. B. ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS: 1. Fenner, Anne L. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending correspondence no later than 3/20/19*	A. Tabled B. *1 Endorsement Application was Conditionally Approved*
VII. New Business	A. **TEMPORARY WORK PERMIT APPLICATIONS** 1. Sexton, Marc J. – 18NA01 (12/17/18-3/17/19) 2. Sopczneski, Sophia R. – 18R140 (12/17/18-3/17/19) 3. Pakingan, Estrelita A. – 18R141 (12/17/18-3/17/19) 4. Kosowicz, Lauren B. – 18R142 (12/17/18-3/17/19) 5. Adams, Jennifer M. – 18R143 (12/18/18-3/18/19) 6. Martin, Christina M. – 18R144 (12/18/18-3/18/19) 7. Carpenter, Catherine M. – 18R145 (12/21/18-3/21/19) 8. Adoptante, Errylane B. – 18R146 (12/21/18-3/21/19) 9. Moussa, Amel K. – 18R147 (12/27/18-3/27/19) 10. Aquino, May Anne S. – 18R148 (12/31/18-3/31/19) 11. Mac Donald, Lauren G. – 19R01 (1/28/19-4/28/19) 12. Stack, Robert L. – 19R02 (1/28/19-4/28/19) 13. Wright, Heather L. – 19R03 (1/21/19-4/21/19) 14. Wright, Jeffrey S. – 19R04 (1/21/19-4/21/19) B. **EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS** 1. Mamaligsa, Nichole Monique Q. – NA *Approved* 2. Pernot, Theresa N. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending police/court/payment* C. **ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS** 1. Abayon, Ma. Cherry B. – RN *Approved* 2. Adams, Jennifer M. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part I/III/official police/court clearances* 3. Adoptante, Errylane B. – RN *Approved* 4. Alexander, Diane H. – RN *Approved* 5. Aquino, May Anne S. – RN *Approved* 6. Au Yeung, Chi Ming – RN *Approved* 7. Balajadia, Januaria M. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending photo/police/court clearance* 8. Burns, Brittnei M. – RN *Approved* 9. Chiu, Jamela Denice J. – RN *Approved* 10. Curtis, Amanda C. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending police/court from previous residence*	A. *14 Temporary Work Permits were issued and effective from 12/17/18-4/28/19* B. *1 Examination Application was Approved* *1 Examination Application was Conditionally Approved* C. *21 Endorsement Applications were Approved* *12 Endorsement Applications were Conditionally Approved*

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	11. Darr, Teresa M. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part VI/license verification* 12. Demaisip, Kathleen Rose J. – RN *Approved* 13. Ege, Dannit'z F. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending SSN* 14. Garcia, Jayson A. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending license verification* 15. Heighter, Kesha L. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part I/V/license verification* 16. Kosowicz, Lauren B. – RN *Approved* 17. Jones, Maura J. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending photo/signature/license verification* 18. MacDonald, Lauren G. – RN *Approved* 19. Martin, Christina M. – RN *Approved* 20. Miller, Michelle – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part I* 21. Moussa, Amel K. – RN *Approved* 22. Mustaca, Raquel E. – RN *Approved* 23. Ortiz, Rachel M. – RN *Approved* 24. Paraso, Chime S. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending SSN* 25. Pesik, Michele A. – RN *Approved* 26. Sciacchitano, Virginia M. – RN *Approved* 27. Smith, Christine T. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part I/photo* 28. Sopczneski, Sophia R. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part V* 29. Stack, Robert L. – RN *Approved* 30. Weymer, Shannon E. – RN *Approved* 31. Wright, Heather L. – RN *Approved* 32. Wright, Jeffrey S. – RN *Approved* 33. Ylanan, Astrid Mae O. – RN *Approved* D. **APRN Applications** 1. Fruge, Carolyn L.M. – NP *Approved* 2. Pesik, Michele A. – CRNA *Approved* E. **REINSTATEMENT** 1. Datu, Aleia Gabrielle A. – CNA *Approved* 2. Leon Guerero, Christopher C. – CNA *Conditionally Approved pending Part V/ESAR* F. **PENDING APPLICATIONS** 1. Please see attached list of applicants that are pending documents for board review.	D. *2 APRN Applications were Approved* E. *1 Prescriptive Authority Application was Approved* *1 Prescriptive Authority Application was Conditionally Approved* F. Informational
VIII. Open Discussion	A. M. Carbullido suggested to the board to move the meetings up due to security reasons. B. M. Carbullido discussed briefly about board stipends.	A. Board agreed to reschedule the Regular Board meetings to 3:00 p.m. instead of 3:30 p.m. B. Informational

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	C. A. Varghese requested to the board that there should be a cut-off time if an applicant has not responded after being tabled several times. D. A. Varghese discussed with the board about an applicant who was unable to obtain a court clearance.	C. Board agreed that an applicant must respond within three months after being notified. D. Informational
IX. Next Meeting	Thursday, February 14, 2019, 3:00 p.m. Health Professional Licensing Office Conference Room 209 Terlaje Building, Hagatna, Guam	Informational
X. Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 6:06 p.m.	A. Varghese moved to adjourn at 6:06 p.m. A. Cruz seconded. Motion carried.

GBNE PENDING APPLICANTS as of: 1/9/19

	NAME	TYPE
1	Amadasun, Osayomore	RE
2	Antonio, Sarah Jane N.	LX
3	Bergantin, Bella Mae Ann B.	RX
4	Brewer, Jared R.	RE
5	Carleton, Dorothy C.	RE
6	Chan, Wing Ying	Reinstate
7	Creighton, Pamela M.	Reinstate/ APRN
8	Galon, Mildred D.	RX
9	Gamit, Kristel Ann T.	NX
10	Koa, Mark Anthony C.	RX
11	Lopp, Roddie M.	RE
12	Mamo, Hanna T.	LX
13	Martinez, Lilian P.	RX
14	Miller, Thomas S.	RE
15	Miranda, Cristine Shane J.	RX
16	O'Connell, Michael C.	RE
17	Padiernos, Carmelito J.	RE
18	Pakingan, Estrelita A.	RE
19	Paulo, Melita F.	LX
20	Pesik, Michele A.	APRN
21	Quebada, Billy F.	RX
22	Sampayan, Jarvis Bernie M.	RX
23	Sanchez, Honey Vi A.	LX
24	Sexton, Marc	NE
25	Todd, Niccole L.	RE
26	Wilson, Timothy R.	Reinstate.
27	Zurczak, Laura	RE

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Terlaje Professional Bldg., 194 Hernan Cortez Avenue, Hagåtña, Guam

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BOARD MEMBERS ATTENDANCE: Bernadette S. Santos, RN, MPA, Chairperson (Community RN), Christine Tuquero, RN, MSN, Vice Chairperson (Hospital-GMHA), Anna Varghese, DNP, CMSRN, Member (Education-UOG), Anna Maria Cruz, DNP, FNP-BC, Member (DPHSS), Brenda Manzana, Member (LPN) and Charlotte Huntsman, Member (Public)

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Meagan Bamba-Ada, Member (APRN)

OTHER ATTENDEES: Rosemary Carman, Word Processing Secretary II (DPHSS/HPLO), Robert Weinberg, Assistant Attorney General (OAG), Kathryn M. Wood (UOG CNA Program), Danilo Bilong (UOG CNA Program), UOG Nursing Students: Bernadette Llegado, Cynthia Celeste, Hazel Belga, Faesha Manibusan, Elijel Dorion, Rachelle Bumagat, Jenesis Vita, Ariane Sagun, Ha'ani Limtiaco, Shanna Mendoza, Patrick Callang, Stephanie Chadwick, Demi Pomare, Kristina Pasian, Lakeisha Espina, Athea B. Salas, John Raymond B. Sablan, Chloe Mortes, Rheana Molinos, Pilar P. Williams (GCC), Gina Tudela (GCC), and Dorothy Duenas (GCC)

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
I. Call to Order	Chairperson called the meeting to order at 3:04 p.m. as a Regular Board Meeting.	Quorum Established.
II. Proof of Publication	Copies of the five day and at least 48 hour notices were provided.	Advertisements in the Guam Daily Post on February 7, 2019 and February 12, 2019 are confirmed.
III. Review and Approval of Minutes	A. January 10, 2019 Regularly Scheduled Meeting Minutes	A. A. Cruz moved to approve the January 10, 2019 minutes. C. Tuquero seconded. Motion carried.
IV. Chairperson's Report	A. Election of Secretary 1. Chairperson requested for any nominations but there were none at this time. B. NLC Update 1. Chairperson would like to keep on agenda. 2. Chairperson mentioned there are 31 participants now.	A. Tabled B. Informational
V. Administrator's Report	Chairperson skipped the Administrator's Report to allow some time for M. Carbullido to arrive. A. Program Reports (A. Varghese) 1. GCC a. Practical Nursing (PN) Program – Ms. Dorothy Duenas was present for discussion: 1) A. Varghese discussed her findings: a) Articulate plans of addressing number of faculty to include the intent of recruitment for the students (6.4 F in the GBNE Rules and Regulations). b) Pathophysiology and Pharmacology 1. D. Duenas explained this was discussed with their advisory committee and removed Pathophysiology as a separate course since it will be discussed in other courses. Only Pharmacology will be a separate course (not combining as it was noted in program).	A. 1. GBNE informed GCC to make changes as discussed and resubmit at least two weeks prior to the next board meeting so the board will have time to review the changes.

2. A. Varghese would like to see a report or minutes stating Pathophysiology and Pharmacology will be separated as D. Duenas mentioned. C. Tuquero suggested to change page 12 of the curriculum because Pathophysiology is mentioned as the name of the class.

c) A. Varghese requested for a course syllabi and would like to see a program evaluation plan (6.5 J in the Rules and Regulations). And would like to see the methods of evaluation and objectives are articulated.

d) A. Varghese also requested for a policy on promotion or retention (6.4 J in the Rules and Regulations).

e) A. Varghese asked what was the credit requirement from ACEN (Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing) for the Associates Program. D. Duenas replied there was nothing specified and will print this specific document. A. Varghese would also like to see this articulated.

b. Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA) Program

1) D. Duenas asked when is next scheduled date for CNA testing. R. Carman replied the applications must first be approved and will notify the individuals in their approval letters, but stating they are looking at March.

2. University of Guam (UOG) CNA Program

a. Kathryn Wood and Danilo Bilong were present.
b. K. Wood stated UOG is getting ready to launch its CNA program after being asked by Department of Labor (DOL) to develop as an apprenticeship program which is new for healthcare.
c. K. Wood mentioned UOG is collaborating with DOL.
d. This will be a three-month apprenticeship which starts in February then eligible to test by mid-April explained K. Wood.
e. She additionally explained the following:
   1) Does not take quite three months to get the didactic and clinical portion completed under UOG.
   2) The student is employed by the agency (Guam Regional Medical City (GRMC) or Health Services of the Pacific (HSP) and work as an apprentice to a journeyman who is a CNA.
   3) First group is small; only 10 students.
f. Vice Chair would like the preceptor (journeyman) to sign a contract acknowledging responsibility.
g. C. Huntsman elaborated more on this discussion.
h. Chairperson asked if UOG plans to always partner with DOL or to be free standing at some point. K. Wood

2. An approval will be drafted and sent to UOG.

	stated this is a one-year (one time) program but renewable. i. K. Wood stated there is a theory part. D. Banilo stated 60 hours of theory, 40 hours of skills and 60 hours of clinical. DOL's requirement is 90 days, at 8 hours/day; 40 hours/week. 8 weeks with UOG, however UOG still maintains the liability of the remainder of the apprentice. j. D. Banilo mentioned that the CNA will only have 1 apprentice (one to one). k. K. Wood assured Vice Chair that everyone will be screened on their background. l. K. Wood is requesting for an approval in a letter format for the CNA independence for the last month and has provided a letter for this request.	
	B. NCSBN Events 1. Midyear Meeting, 3/26/19-3/28/19, San Antonio, TX a. B. Manzana and M. Carbullido will be attending. b. C. Tuquero is unable to attend. 2. APRN Round Table, 4/9/19, Rosemont, IL a. M. Carbullido and possibly M. Bamba-Ada will be attending. 3. Board of Nursing Investigative Training, 5/1-3/19, Rosemont, IL a. B. Santos and/or C. Huntsman will be attending. 4. Discipline Case Management Conference, 6/10-12/19, Memphis, TN a. A. Varghese will be attending. 5. 2019 Annual Meeting, 8/21-23/19, Chicago, IL a. B. Manzana will be attending. b. C. Tuquero and possibly C. Huntsman will attend.	B. Informational
	C. Disciplinary Complaints (In the absence of the M. Carbullido, the Vice Chair updated the disciplinary complaints) 1. GBNE-CO18-001 a. RN travel nurse working at GRMC. b. Possible drug diversion and termination. c. Phenergan or Promethazine was found in her pouch. d. GBNE received a statement from this RN stating she left her pouch behind and days later the pouch was found with the drug found in her pouch. C. Tuquero stated the Chief Nursing Officer acknowledged the RN's statement was consistence with the findings and the reason for termination. e. There was a drug screening on this RN which the results were negative. f. Board stated this will be difficult to prove because she left the pouch behind. g. Chairperson stated as a federal worker, she had concerns because this RN can use this license anywhere and her Guam license does not expire until September 2019.	C. 1. Ongoing, pending legal's advice.

	h. Assigned as the investigator of this case, Vice Chairperson asked the board to vote on whether to discipline this RN but because this case will be hard to prove, the board asked to have legal advisement from Attorney Weinberg who was not present at this time. i. Former Chairperson, Kevin Hitosis was also assigned to this case but since he no longer a member, the current Chairperson, Bernadette Santos has volunteered to assist the Vice Chair on this investigation. 2. GBNE-CO18-002 a. B. Manzana is the assigned investigator (the former Chairperson was also assigned). b. B. Manzana stated this person is no longer on island and there were several attempts to contact her. c. Chairperson mentioned there was a complaint from Texas about an infant that fell (in her care). d. Vice Chair stated this individual was reprimanded with stipulations. e. Vice Chair noted from her file that this individual applied in February 9, 2017, legal document was issued October 2017 and the incident occurred in 2016. Vice Chair also noted that our application asks if there are any pending cases, she did not disclose this information. f. Vice Chair recommended to discipline her for omitting this case or fraudulent application. g. Vice Chair stated we (the investigators) should submit a timeline of correspondence for R. Weinberg. h. A. Varghese agreed to be the second investigator to replace Kevin Hitosis. i. Chairperson will notify R. Weinberg. 3. GBNE-CO18-010 a. Vice Chairperson C. Tuquero stated she and M. Bamba-Ada are the assigned investigator. b. This is a CRNA that had his RN and CRNA license revoked in California. c. Vice Chair mentioned that R. Weinberg had requested for a timeline which she has prepared and will email it to him. d. Vice Chair stated this CRNA submitted his application on June 15, 2015 for Endorsement which did not indicate his California license nor did he answer yes that he has anything pending. e. This CRNA's Guam license will be expiring on September 2019. f. This individual was fined $5000 for fees from California. g. This individual's privileges at GMHA are suspended and this individual also omitted license information. h. So far, the only violation the Vice Chair found in her investigation is the omission of information on the licensure application.	2. Ongoing pending a timeline for Legal Counsel to review. 3. Ongoing pending a timeline for Legal Counsel to review.

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	4. GBNE-CO18-012 a. A. Varghese and B. Manzana are the assigned investigators. b. A. Varghese stated Legal Counsel, R. Weinberg requested for a timeline which was provided to him. c. Chairperson mentioned that R. Weinberg prepared a draft (revocation). d. Chair stated she would like more time to go over this draft and has some questions she would like to ask R. Weinberg.	4. Ongoing pending questions that the Chairperson would like to discuss with Legal Counsel.
	5. GBNE-CO18-016 a. A. Cruz and C. Tuquero are the assigned investigators. b. A. Cruz reported that this nurse reported to work at GRMC on November 18, 2018 and within an hour of this nurse's shift, left the hospital without informing her supervisor. She was terminated for abandonment. c. This nurse no longer lives on Guam and is a Travel Nurse. d. R. Carman will draft a letter for this nurse to respond with her statement; Board will review and would like advisement from Legal Counsel.	5. R. Carman will draft a letter; reviewed by the Board and Legal.
	6. GBNE-CO18-017 a. A. Cruz and C. Tuquero are the assigned investigators. b. Vice Chair stated this individual was an APRN at GRMC who was terminated for abandonment. c. A. Cruz reported this nurse did not show up to work as scheduled on October 29, 2018. Her work was unsuccessful in contacting her and after a week they called the police and later realized she returned back home. This person never resigned from GRMC. d. A. Cruz will ask Legal for advisement if there are any legal grounds from the Nurse Practice Act to procede or just an HR issue of job abandonment.	6. A. Cruz will seek Legal's opinion on this matter.
	7. GBNE-CO18-018 a. A. Cruz and C. Tuquero are the assigned investigators. b. Vice Chair reported this Travel Nurse may have used a large catheter instead of a standard size which caused some trauma which led to other staff making a complaint and therefore was terminated. c. The board would like to hear from this nurse; a letter will be sent out.	7. R. Carman will draft a letter, reviewed by the Board and Legal.
	D. Harles, Amber L. 1. R. Carman explained this was the individual who came to the January 10, 2019 board meeting to explain her discipline history, whereas the board approved her LPN licensure by Endorsement. R. Carman stated while processing her license, there was a discrepancy on her education. M. Carbullido requested for her to provide a copy of her transcript but Ms. Harles sent an email rescinding her Endorsement licensure due to she is leaving the island that weekend.	D. Board agreed to approve Ms. Harles' request to rescind her Endorsement license.

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	4:20 p.m. R. Weinberg arrived. R. Weinberg discussed in detail the process of the board member investigating a case and requesting his legal advice. Kathryn Wood was present regarding the CNA Program from UOG (please see Program Reports above for discussion).	Informational
VI. Committee Reports	A. Disciplinary Matrix Guidance – A. Cruz and C. Tuquero 1. A. Cruz stated nothing to report at this time. 2. Chairperson asked if a disciplinary nurse had some stipulations, should it fall under this committee? a. Vice Chair replied that we should seek advice from legal counsel. B. Rules and Regulations – A. Varghese and B. Manzana 1. A. Varghese stated they have not yet met to discuss, however she looked over the Rules and Regulations and noted that it needs to be updated. 3:11 p.m. C. Huntsman arrived. C. Application Tool (Ad Hoc) – C. Huntsman and M. Bamba-Ada 1. C. Huntsman has not met with M. Bamba-Ada, however she had discussed Part VI on the application and will ask legal counsel's advice. 2. R. Carman would like to send suggested notes to C. Huntsman regarding the application.	A. Tabled B. Tabled C. Tabled
VII. Old Business	A. Public Law 34-129 – Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community. 1. Chairperson would like to ask R. Weinberg legal advice on this matter. B. ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS: 1. Fenner, Anne L. – RN a. Having met the board's conditional approval, a statement was provided by Ms. Fenner regarding Part V on her discipline. b. The board approved her RN license by Endorsement.	A. Tabled pending Legal Counsel's advisement. B. *1 Endorsement Application was Approved*
VIII. New Business	A. **TEMPORARY WORK PERMIT APPLICATIONS** 1. Gloston, Lou Ann L.G. – 19R05 (1/28/19-4/28/19) 2. Valenzuela, Lacy E. – 19R06 (1/28/19-4/28/19) 3. Alcantara, Julie Anne Marie D. – 19R07 (1/22/19-4/22/19) 4. Velasquez, Nixan C. – 19R08 (1/23/19-4/23/19) 5. Devore-Freeman, TaCora S. – 19R09 (1/25/19-4/25/19) 6. Crittenden, Amy E. – 19R10 (1/30/19-4/30/19) 7. Medina, Apple S. – 19R11 (2/7/19-5/7/19) 8. Cogdill, Ryan M. – 19R12 (2/8/19-5/8/19) B. **EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS** 1. Aglubat, Rosita Annette G. – CNA *Approved* 2. Angoco, Anastacia I. – CNA *Approved* 3. Astillero, Irene Rose Madeline F. – CNA *Approved*	A. *8 Temporary Work Permits were issued and effective from 1/28/19 - 5/8/19* B. *24 Examination Applications were Approved*

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	4. Ayson, Christine G. – CNA *Approved* 5. Bacani, Marie Jane B. – LPN *Approved* 6. Bergantin, Bella Mae Ann B. – RN *Approved* 7. Cala, Lourdes J. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending CEU's/NCLEX planning* 8. Calibuyot, Jerick Jerome T. – CNA *Approved* 9. Camacho, Quinn Ernest Q. – LPN *Conditionally Approved pending Certificate of Education/Transcript* 10. Caver, Pia Abegail H. – CNA *Approved* 11. Chargualaf, Alisha N. – CNA *Approved* 12. De Joya, Casey Nicole O. – CNA *Approved* 13. De Veas, Glenah Mae – CNA *Approved* 14. Flores, Marife M. – CNA *Conditionally Approved pending signature/date on photo* 15. Gogue, Sefanie J.T. – CNA *Approved* 16. Imagawa, Nida S. – CNA *Approved* 17. Lacap, John Jericho B. – CNA *Tabled pending statement for Part V/Photo* 18. Lee, Christin C. – CNA *Approved* 19. Lizama, Jennifer L. – RN *Approved* 20. Molleno, Beatriz Joyce C. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending police/court clearance* 21. Moreno, Myrna Allison G. – CNA *Approved* 22. Pastrana-Savares, Kathleen Kay B. – CNA *Approved* 23. Pillsbury, Pricilla C. – CNA *Approved* 24. San Agustin, Cyrene J. – CNA *Approved* 25. Sapp, Maria Faye L. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part I* 26. Shirai, Shantahann M.C. – CNA *Approved* 27. Soriano, Crystal T. – CNA *Approved* 28. Surla, Sue-Ann A. – CNA *Approved* 29. Zapanta, Paulo D. – CNA *Approved* 30. Zheng, Lili – CNA *Approved*	*5 Examination Applications were Conditionally Approved* *1 Examination Application was Tabled*
	C. **ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS** 1. Alcantara, Julie Anne Marie D. – RN *Approved* 2. Brewer, Jared R. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending explanation of misdemeanor* 3. Chambers, Alyssa M. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part VI* 4. Crittenden, Amy E. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending police/court clearances from previous residence* 5. Devore-Freeman, TaCora S. – RN *Approved* 6. Gloston, Lou Ann L.G. – RN *Approved* 7. Harbuck, Brandy E. – RN *Approved* 8. Hennen, Brenda L. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending updated police/court clearances/photo* 9. Jao, Alea E. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending license verification/police/court clearances from residence if not in Philippines* 10. Madriaga, Analyn D. – RN *Approved* 11. Medina, Apple S. – RN *Approved*	C. *10 Endorsement Applications were Approved* *11 Endorsement Applications were Conditionally Approved*

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	12. Miller, Thomas S. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending police/court clearances/sign and date photo* 13. Murphy, Cindy L. – RN *Approved* 14. O'Connell, Michael C. – RN *Approved* 15. Pakingan, Estrelita A. – RN *Approved* 16. Stanley, Rachel D. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part I/updated police/court clearances* 17. Taylor, Misty M. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending license verification* 18. Valenzuela, Lacy E. – RN *Approved* 19. Weaver, Jacob B. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending license verification* 20. Weaver, Sarah E. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending license verification* 21. Woo, Hyeji – RN *Conditionally Approved pending photo* D. **APRN Applications** 1. Creighton, Pamela M. – CRNA *Approved* 2. Helm, Melissa C. – NP *Approved* E. **PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY** 1. Helm, Melissa C. – NP *Approved* F. **REINSTATEMENT** 1. Acevedo Rodriguez, May A. – CNA *Conditionally Approved pending license verification/Part V* 2. Castro, Shaneerae S. – LPN *Approved* 3. Creighton, Pamela M. – RN *Approved* 4. Cruz, Christian L. – CNA *Approved* G. **PENDING APPLICATIONS** 1. Please see attached list of applicants that are pending documents for board review.	D. *2 APRN Applications were Approved* E. *1 Prescriptive Authority Application was Approved* F. *3 Reinstatement Applications were Approved* *1 Reinstatement Application was Conditionally Approved* G. Informational
IX. Open Discussion	None	
X. Next Meeting	Thursday, March 14, 2019, 3:00 p.m. Health Professional Licensing Office Conference Room 209 Terlaje Building, Hagatna, Guam	Informational
XI. Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 5:15 p.m.	C. Huntsman moved to adjourn at 5:15 p.m. A. Cruz seconded. Motion carried.

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GUAM BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS
Health Professional Licensing Office, Conference Room 209
Terlaje Professional Bldg., 194 Hernan Cortez Avenue, Hagatna, Guam

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AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PROOF OF PUBLICATION

III. MINUTES FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL
A. January 10, 2019 Regularly Scheduled Meeting

IV. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT
A. Election of Secretary
B. NLC Update

V. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT
A. PROGRAM REPORTS (A. Varghese)
   1. GCC
      a. Practical Nursing Program – GCC will appear before board
         1) New Program Proposal/Letter of Intent received 12/31/18
B. NCSBN
   1. Midyear Meeting, 3/26/19-3/28/19, San Antonio, TX
   2. APRN Round Table, 4/9/19, Rosemont, IL
   3. Board of Nursing Investigative Training, 5/1-3/19, Rosemont, IL
   4. Discipline Case Management Conference, 6/10-12/19, Memphis, TN
   5. 2019 Annual Meeting, 8/21-23/19, Chicago, IL; B. Manzana is attending; need 2 more attendees
C. Disciplinary Reports
   1. GBNE-CO18-001
   2. GBNE-CO18-002
   3. GBNE-CO18-010
   4. GBNE-CO18-012
   5. GBNE-CO18-016
   6. GBNE-CO18-017
   7. GBNE-CO18-018
D. Harles, Amber L. – LPN Endorsement Approved on 1/10/19
E. PL 34-129 Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community.

VI. COMMITTEE REPORTS
A. Disciplinary Matrix Guidance – A. Cruz and C. Tuquero
B. Rules and Regulations – A. Varghese and B. Manzana
C. Application Tool (Ad Hoc) – C. Huntsman and M. Bamba-Ada

VII. OLD BUSINESS

A. PL 34-129 - Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community.

B. Fenner, Anne L. – RN Endorsement Conditionally Approved on 1/10/19; received statement regarding Part V (discipline)

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

A. TEMPORARY WORK PERMIT APPLICATIONS

1. Gloston, Lou Ann L.G. – 19R05 (1/28/19-4/28/19)
2. Valenzuela, Lacy E. – 19R06 (1/28/19-4/28/19)
3. Alcantara, Julie Anne Marie D. – 19R07 (1/22/19-4/22/19)
4. Velasquez, Nixan C. – 19R08 (1/23/19-4/23/19)
5. Devore-Freeman, TaCora S. – 19R09 (1/25/19-4/25/19)
6. Crittenden, Amy E. – 19R10 (1/30/19-4/30/19)
7. Medina, Apple S. – 19R11 (2/7/19-5/7/19)
8. Cogdill, Ryan M. – 19R12 (2/8/19-5/8/19)

B. EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS

1. Aglubat, Rosita Annette G. – CNA
2. Angoco, Anastacia I. – CNA
3. Astillero, Irene Rose Madeline F. – CNA
4. Ayson, Christine G. – CNA
5. Bacani, Marie Jane B. – LPN
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E. PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY
1. Helm, Melissa C. – NP

F. REINSTATEMENT
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2. Castro, Shaneerae S. – LPN
3. Creighton, Pamela M. – RN
4. Cruz, Christian L. – CNA

G. PENDING APPLICANTS *See attached list

IX. OPEN DISCUSSION

X. NEXT MEETING

A. Thursday, March 14, 2019, 3:00 PM
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XI. ADJOURNMENT

GBNE PENDING APPLICANTS as of: 2/14/19

	NAME	TYPE
1	Antonio, Sarah Jane N.	LX
2	Campbell, Kelly Y.	RE
3	Chan, Wing Ying	Reinstate
4	Cogdill, Ryan M.	RE
5	Galon, Mildred D.	RX
6	Gamit, Kristel Ann T.	NX
7	Grass, Louis H.	RE/APRN
8	Koa, Mark Anthony C.	RX
9	Lopp, Roddie M.	RE
10	Martinez, Lilian P.	RX
11	Miranda, Cristine Shane J.	RX
12	Padiernos, Carmelito J.	RE
13	Pagulayan, Marvie Margarett	Reinstate
14	Sampayan, Jarvis Bernie M.	RX
15	Samson, Rowee Lord E.	RX
16	Sanchez, Honey Vi A.	LX
17	Sexton, Marc	NE
18	Todd, Niccole L.	RE
19	Wilson, Timothy R.	Reinstate
20	Zurczak, Laura	RE

Opposition lawmaker: Venezuela funds transfer blocked



GUAIDO: *Venezuelan opposition leader Juan Guaido talks to the media before a session of the National Assembly in Caracas, Venezuela, on Feb. 5.*
Manaure Quintero/Reuters

CARACAS (Reuters) - A bank in Portugal has blocked Venezuela's attempt to transfer $1.2 billion to Uruguay, a lawmaker said on Tuesday as the opposition to President Nicolas Maduro warned of the theft of public funds, while the United States sent food and medical aid to the Venezuelan-Colombian border.

Pressure is building on Maduro, a socialist, to resign amid an economic crisis marked by widespread shortages and hyperinflation, with the United States and a growing number of other nations recognizing opposition leader Juan Guaido as Venezuela's legitimate president.

Pope Francis on Tuesday expressed willingness for the Vatican to mediate Venezuela's mounting crisis if both sides seek it. Russia, which along with China has backed Maduro in the crisis, underscored its view that the crisis can be resolved only with negotiations between the government and opposition.

Guaido, who declared himself interim president last month, is scheduled to meet later on Tuesday with business leaders at Venezuela's main business group, Fedecamaras, to discuss an economic recovery plan under a future transition government in the OPEC-member South American country.

Maduro's adversaries have warned that Venezuelan officials are seeking to drain state coffers ahead of a potential change of government.

Portugal-based Novo Banco halted the $1.2 billion transfer of Venezuelan government financial assets to Uruguayan banks, legislator Carlos Paparoni said during a congressional session, a day after Guaido said authorities were trying to move funds.

"I'm pleased to inform the Venezuelan people that this transaction has until now been halted, protecting the resources of all Venezuelans," Paparoni said.

Venezuela's Information Ministry, which handles all media inquiries, did not immediately respond to a request to comment.

Lisbon-based Novo Banco, which is 75 percent-owned by U.S. private equity firm Lone Star Funds, did not immediately respond to a request for comment.

60K data breaches reported under new EU rules

LONDON (Thomson Reuters Foundation) - Almost 60,000 personal data breaches have been reported to Europe's regulators since the EU adopted a landmark privacy law, according to figures published on Tuesday that campaigners said should ...ur people to think twice about what ...y share online.

The EU's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) requires organizations holding personal information, such as a person's name, address and religion, to notify authorities when they suffer a breach – or face a hefty fine.

Leaks reported since the law was adopted in May 2018 included anything from major hacks to minor incidents such as an email sent to the wrong address or lost USB stick, according to a study by global law firm DLA Piper. "The GDPR is driving personal data breach out into the open," said Ross McKean, a partner at the firm specializing in cyber and data protection.

Of the 26 countries analyzed, the Netherlands, Germany and Britain reported the most breaches, while Italy, Greece and Romania had the lowest per capita rate of reporting – something that suggested varying levels of compliance, said McKean.

Francisco Vera, an advocacy officer at campaign group Privacy International, said it was hard to tell whether the total number of breaches was unusually high, as it was the first time such figures were available.

"That alone shows how important breach notifications are," he said. "They reinforce accountability of those who are processing our personal data and make consumers aware of the risks they might be facing."

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at the Terlaje Professional Building, 194 Hernan Cortez Avenue, 2nd Floor, Suite 209 Health Professional Licensing Office Board Conference Room, Hagatna, Guam.

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THE GUAM BOARD OF BARBERING & COSMETOLOGY

Regular Board Meeting

on **Monday, February 11, 2019, 9:00 AM** at the Health Professional Licensing Office Board Conference Room, Terlaje Professional Bldg, 2nd Floor Suite 209 Hagatna.

...more information contact Board office at 735-7410 thru 12, Persons with disabilities needing special accommodations may call Jimmy Sian at 735-7102 or the Telecommunication Device for the Hearing/Speech Impaired (TDD) at 649-1801.

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Invitation For Bid

Renovation of Seven Public Housing Units at Various AMP's

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Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority (GHURA) will receive sealed proposals to renovate seven vacant GHURA units in AMP2-Yona, AMP3-Agat and AMP4-Toto and Dededo until ***2:00 pm on February 13, 2019***, in the Board Room located at Main Offie in Sinajana.

On ***January 29, 2019*** at ***10:00 am***, GHURA will conduct a prebid conference at GHURA office in Sinajana. Site and unit review will be arranged by GHURA staff after the prebid conference to anyone who desires an onsite visit. A non-refundable deposit of $50.00 is required for each set of bidding documents. Copies of the bidding documents will be on file and available for inspection beginning on ***January 16, 2019*** between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. and between 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday except on holidays at GHURA Main Office.

A Bid Guarantee in the amount of 5% of the total base bid must accompany each bid, which exceeds $100,000.00. Bid guarantee shall be a Bid Bond secured by a surety company authorized to do business in Guam and listed in the latest Department of Treasury Circular 570 published in the Federal Register; or as permitted by state law, a certified check, bank draft, or U.S. Government Bond at par value. All Bid Guarantees must be made payable to GHURA. **Personal checks will *not* be accepted.** GHURA reserves the right to waive irregularities and to reject any or all bids. Failure to submit a bid properly shall result in rejection of the bid.

For all contracts, which exceed $100,000, the successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory Performance and Payment bonding for 100% of the contract price. The Contractor must not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, age, disability, or national origin in employment or the provision of services. Restriction Against Contractors Employing Convicted Sex Offenders from Working at Government of Guam Venues. (§5253 of Title 5 Guam Code Annotated).

The successful bidder will be required to the best possible and greatest extent feasible accomplish the following:

1. A goal of awarding at least 50 percent of the dollar value of construction contracts to Minority and/or Women Business Enterprises (MBE/WBE) or General Contractors with MBE/WBE participation.
2. In accordance with Section 3 of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, all construction contractors, to the maximum extent feasible, shall provide training, contracting, and employment opportunities to low income residents residing in GHURA.

GHURA intends to award a contract on the basis of the lowest and most responsible bid for the work described in the bid documents. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the prior written consent of GHURA.

GHURA is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Ray S. Topasna
Executive Director

GHURA does not discriminate against persons with disabilities.
The Chief Planner has been designated as Section 504 Coordinator.
The Coordinator can be contacted at the above address and telephone numbers.

Poll: Climate change a top threat, but US a growing worry

BERLIN (Reuters) – Climate change is the top security concern in a poll conducted by the Washington-based Pew Research Center, followed by Islamist terrorism and cyber attacks while respondents in a growing number of countries worried about the power and influence of the United States.

In 13 of 26 countries, people listed climate change as the top global threat, with the Islamic State militant group topping the list in eight and cyber attacks in four, the nonprofit, nonpartisan Pew Research Center said in its report.

Worries about climate change have increased sharply since 2013, with double-digit percentage point increases seen in countries including the United States, Mexico, France, Britain, South Africa and Kenya, according to the poll of 27,612 people conducted between May and August 2018.

North Korea's nuclear program and the global economy were also significant concerns, while respondents in Poland named Russian power and influence as the top threat.

Concerns over US power

The largest shift in sentiment centered on the United States, it said, with a median of 45 percent of people naming U.S. power and influence as a threat in 2018, up from 25 percent in 2013, when Barack Obama was U.S. president.

In 10 countries, including Germany, Japan and South Korea, roughly half of respondents or more saw U.S. power and influence as a major threat to their nation, up from eight in 2017 and three in 2013, the poll showed.

In Mexico, where those concerns have spiked since the election of President Donald Trump, the percentage jumped to 64 percent, the poll showed.

Withdrawal of US forces in Syria likely to start in 'weeks'

ABOARD A U.S. MILITARY AIRCRAFT (Reuters) – The United States is likely just weeks away from starting the withdrawal of ground troops from Syria ordered by President Donald Trump, the top U.S. commander overseeing American forces in the Middle East said on Sunday.

U.S. Army Gen. Joseph Votel, head of the U.S. Central Command, cautioned that the exact timing would depend on the situation in Syria, where U.S.-backed fighters have launched a final assault against Islamic State enclaves near the Iraqi border.

The U.S. military has already started withdrawing equipment from Syria. Asked whether the withdrawal of America's more than 2,000 troops would begin in days or weeks, Votel said: "Probably weeks. But again, it will all be driven by the situation on the ground."

Turkey rebukes China for mass detention of Muslim Uighurs

BEIJING (The Washington Post) – The Turkish government has called on China to close its indoctrination centers holding ethnic Uighurs, marking a rare instance of a major Muslim country joining a mounting international chorus condemning the detention of up to 1 million Muslims in the far western region of Xinjiang.

The statement marks a turnaround for Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan's ruling party, which has been notably silent about China's treatment of Uighurs despite growing international media coverage and pressure from Turkish opposition parties since 2017.

In a statement Saturday, Turkish Foreign Ministry spokesman Hami Aksoy said that the reintroduction of internment camps in the present day and the systematic assimilation of Uighur Turks represent "a great shame for humanity."

Thousands flee New Zealand wildfires

SYDNEY (Reuters) – Strong winds on Sunday are expected to fan forest fires that have been burning for a week through New Zealand's South Island, forcing thousands of people from their homes, with more residents expected to flee, officials said.

The Pigeon Valley fire covers 5,700 acres with a 15-mile perimeter, NZ Civil Defence said in a statement on its website.

No deaths have been reported and only one home destroyed.

Early on Sunday, 155 firefighters were battling the blaze on the ground with air support from 23 helicopters and 3 fixed wing planes, the agency said, making it the largest aerial firefight on record in New Zealand.

US destroyers sail in disputed South China Sea amid trade tensions

WASHINGTON (Reuters) – Two U.S. warships sailed near islands claimed by China in the South China Sea on Monday, a U.S. official told Reuters, a move likely to anger Beijing at a time of tense relations between the world's two biggest economies.

Beijing and Washington are locked in a trade war and the two sides are trying to hammer out a deal ahead of a March 1 deadline when U.S. tariffs on $200 billion worth of Chinese imports are scheduled to increase to 25 percent from 10 percent.

The official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the two guided-missile destroyers traveled within 12 nautical miles of Mischief Reef in the disputed Spratly Islands.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM
HAGÅTÑA, GUAM

IN THE INTEREST OF
S.J.B. (DOB: 08/15/2011)
A.R.B. (DOB: 11/21/2012)
D.C.B. (DOB: 12/19/2015), and
Z.J.B. (DOB: 08/05/2017),
Minors.

J.S.P CASE NO. JP0330-17
SUMMONS

TO: MR. WELSIN ARON, Biological Father
(For the minors, D.C.B., DOB: 12/19/2015, and Z.J.B., DOB: 08/05/2017)

You are hereby summoned to appear before the **HONORABLE LINDA L. INGLES**, Judge, Guam Judicial Center • Superior Court of Guam • 120 West O'Brien Drive • Hagåtña, Guam on **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH, 2019 AT 10:00 A.M.** for a **Progress Hearing**. The Judge, will, at this time of this hearing, inform you as to the status of the above-named minors.

YOUR PARENTAL AND CUSTODIAL DUTIES AND RIGHTS CONCERNING THE CHILDREN WHO ARE THE SUBJECT OF THE ATTACHED PETITION MAY BE TERMINATED BY AWARD OF PERMANENT CUSTODY IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR ON THE DATE SET FORTH IN THIS SUMMONS.

Dated: December 26, 2018

Clerk, Superior Court of Guam
By: /s/ Ciera J. Williams
Deputy Clerk

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IN THE INTEREST OF
S.J.B. (DOB: 08/15/2011), A.R.B. (DOB: 11/21/2012), D.C.B. (DOB: 12/19/2015), and Z.J.B. (DOB: 08/05/2017),
Minors.

S.C. JUVENILE CASE NO. JP0330-17

SUMMONS

TO: MS. ASHLEY MICHOLE BELEN, Biological Mother

You are hereby summoned to appear before the **HONORABLE LINDA L. INGLES**, Judge, Guam Judicial Center • Superior Court of Guam • 120 West O'Brien Drive • Hagåtña, Guam on **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH, 2019 AT 10:00 A.M.** for a **Progress Hearing**. The Judge, will, at this time of this hearing, inform you as to the status of the above-named minors.

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DATED: December 26, 2018

Clerk, Superior Court of Guam
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IN THE INTEREST OF
A.J.,
(DOB: 06/23/2007),
Minor.

J.S.P. CASE NO. JP0305-18

SUMMONS

TO: MS. SHALIN JOHN, Biological Mother
Resides in Chuuk

You are hereby summoned to appear before the **HONORABLE LINDA L. INGLES**, Judge, Guam Judicial Center • Superior Court of Guam • 120 West O'Brien Drive • Hagåtña, Guam on **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH, 2019 AT 10:00 A.M.** for an Answering Hearing. A copy of a Person in Need of Services (PINS) petition is attached hereto regarding the above-named minor. The Judge, will, at this time of this hearing, inform you as to the status of the above-named minor and will appoint an attorney for you, if you need.

YOUR PARENTAL AND CUSTODIAL DUTIES AND RIGHT CONCERING THE CHILD WHO IS THE SUBJECT OF THE ATTACHED PETITION MAY BE TERMINATED BY AWARD OF PERMANENT CUSTODY IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR ON THE DATE SET FORTH IN THIS SUMMONS.

DATED: January 11, 2019

CLERK, SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM
CIERA J. WILLIAMS
Deputy Clerk

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III. MINUTES FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL
A. February 14, 2019 Regularly Scheduled Meeting

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B. Rules and Regulations – A. Varghese and B. Manzana
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VII. OLD BUSINESS
A. PL 34-129 - Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community.
B. EXAMINATION APPLICATION

1. Lacap, John Jericho B., CNA

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

A. TEMPORARY WORK PERMIT APPLICATIONS
   1. Woo, Hyeji – 19R13 (2/20/19-5/20/19)
   2. Roscoe, Renae D. – 19R14 (2/25/19-5/25/19)
   3. Bruce, Sheri L. – 19R15 (2/25/19-5/25/19)
   4. Norris, Jeanie D. – 19R16 (2/25/19-5/25/19)
   5. Taylor, Misty M. – 19R17 (2/25/19-5/25/19)
   6. Weaver, Jacob B. – 19R18 (2/25/19-5/25/19)
   7. Weaver, Sarah E. – 19R19 (2/25/19-5/25/19)
   8. Pace, Ellen E. – 19R20 (3/11/19-6/11/19)
   9. Knue, Brenan J. – 18R130 (3/11/19-6/11/19) *Extension

B. EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS
   1. Aguon, Torie Matilde G. – CNA
   2. Banico, Aaron D. – CNA
   3. Brown, Alexia – CNA
   4. Danieli, John E. – CNA
   5. Dunmire-Burgess, Benjamin J. – CNA
   6. Fejarang, Desiree R. – CNA
   7. Gamit, Kristel Ann T. – CNA
   8. Jones, Asia N. – CNA
   9. Miranda, Cristine Shane J. – RN
   10. Phan, Thanh T. – CNA
   11. Rosario, Tyrone Nathaniel A. – CNA
   12. Sampayan, Justine Yuri M. – RN
   13. Samson, Rowee Lord E. – RN
   14. Susuico, Zoie M. – CNA
   15. Terbio, Albert M. – RN
   16. Tisdale, Jose S. – CNA

C. ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS
   1. Bruce, Sheri L. – RN
   2. Carr, Terri A. – RN *Plans on attending meeting.
   3. Casey, Mary E. – RN
   4. Del Rosario, Dianne G. – RN
   5. Dewitt, Laarni C. – RN
   6. Green, Jessica L. – RN
   7. Hooten, April D. – RN
   8. Nelson, Heather C. – RN
   9. Norris, Jeanie D. – RN
   10. Pace, Ellen E. – RN
   11. Roscoe, Renae D. – RN

D. PENDING APPLICANTS *See attached list

IX. OPEN DISCUSSION

X. NEXT MEETING

A. Thursday, April 11, 2019, 3:00 PM
   Health Professional Licensing Office, Conference Room 209, Terlaje Building, Hagatna, Guam

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Survivors support reparations resolution

By Lannie Walker
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War survivor Jose Garrido was just a baby during the Japanese occupation of Guam in World War II, but the memories of the harm it brought to him and his family left him choked up and tearful as he testified before Guam senators during a public hearing Wednesday. The hearing was held to receive testimony on a resolution in support of the payment of war claims.

"Maybe silence is my testimony," Garrido said after taking a moment to compose himself.

The resolution also backs a bill introduced by Guam Del. Michael San Nicolas to appropriate funds for payment of war reparations, and Gov. Lou Leon Guerrero's efforts to find a solution to authorize the U.S. Department of Treasury to begin issuing war reparations.

The resolution was introduced by Sens. Amanda Shelton and Régine Biscoe Lee, and Speaker Tina Muña Barnes.

"We are celebrating the 75th anniversary of liberation and our manåmko' have been waiting and fighting for war claims all this time," said Shelton, who led the hearing as chairwoman of the Committee on Higher Education and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens.



LEGISLATURE: *World War II survivor Jose Garrido tears up while giving his testimony at the Guam Congress Building on Wednesday in Hagåtña. A public hearing was held to discuss war reparations owed to Guam's World War II survivors. Haruo Simion/The Guam Daily Post*

Garrido told senators that while he supports the resolution, he would like to find a solution to "include those that have passed away."

"My entire family has passed away before 2016. ... They were disqualified before the settlement was settled," said Garrido, referring to the claims approved by Congress under the 2016 National Defense Authorization Act.

Garrido said he wanted to represent those who "cannot speak for themselves," and urged government officials to "do whatever it takes to find resolution of this war reparation."

Viqui Gayer, whose father, Arthur Herbert Gayer, fought in World War II, also testified before the panel composed of Sens. James Moylan, Kelly Marsh, Biscoe Lee and Shelton.

"I don't think a day went by that he didn't remember the horrors of what he experienced here fighting the war," Gayer told the senators. She said her father had scars from shrapnel wounds and suffered from post-traumatic stress disorder after the war.

"This war was hell," she said.

Shelton acknowledged that the topic "evokes a lot of emotion in our people."

Shelton also said senators look forward to passing the resolution during an upcoming session.

Marines begin 12-day training in Barrigada

The 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit will conduct training at the former Admiral Nimitz Golf Course in Barrigada beginning today through March 18.

The daily training will run from 6 a.m. to 11:55 p.m.

The public is advised that routine training often accompanied with the use of blanks can occur during training to enhance the readiness of military personnel. Residents should not be alarmed if they see or hear increased activity associated with the training. ***(Daily Post Staff)***

GMH board nominees go before senators

The Guam Memorial Hospital Authority board of trustees may soon have two new board members.

Byron Evaristo and Glynis Almonte went before the Guam Legislature on Wednesday for their confirmation hearing.

Evaristo, a George Washington High School and University of Guam graduate, has a financial background that includes a diploma from Pacific Coast Banking School, and currently works at BankPacific as senior vice president of credit administration.

Almonte is a graduate of Mangaldan National High School and the University of Santo Tomas College of Nursing. A veteran nurse with more than 30 years of experience at Guam Memorial Hospital and the Guam Visiting Nurses Home Care Agency, Almonte now holds education positions at Guam Regional Medical City and Guam Marianas Training Center. She also is a quality improvement coordinator at Mountain Pacific Quality Health.

Sen. Amanda Shelton asked the duo a set of questions, primarily focused on finances and transparency. Both of the governor's nominees said they are keen to support the island's only public hospital and noted that transparency and finances were key components to ensuring GMH can continue to provide care for island residents.

"I want to show (the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services) that we're involved in the administration ... not micromanaging the administration but providing our assistance," Almonte said. She said that with CMS's eye focused on GMH, it is critical that the hospital is transparent with information to ensure appropriate help can be provided.

Shelton also noted a recent audit that was critical of GMH's collections, particularly of self-pay patients.

"Audits serve a purpose and that's usually to improve," Evaristo said. "I'd like to review the hospital's collection policies and procedures, identify potential weaknesses and improve upon them."

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GUAM BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS

Regular Board Meeting
Thursday, March 14, 2019 at 3:00 PM
at the Health Professional Licensing Office Board Conference Room, Terlaje Professional Bldg, 2nd Floor Suite 209 Hagatna.

Persons with disabilities needing special accommodations may call Jimmy Sian at 735-7172.

New sheriff: Office won't share info with ICE

(Los Angeles Times) - The Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office has changed rapidly since it got a new sheriff, including a policy to stop the sharing of information with federal immigration agents that would help them determine whether inmates were eligible to be deported.

Sheriff Earnell Lucas said his decision to not provide information to U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement agents unless a judge issues a warrant was meant to help regain trust in the immigrant community and avoid costly litigation.

"It's not politics. It's the right thing to do," Lucas said last week. "We don't want to place a chilling effect on any one community of not wanting to communicate with law enforcement."

After the announcement, ICE representatives said they would "continue to conduct at-large arrests in local neighborhoods and at work sites, which will inevitably result in additional collateral arrests."

Such tactics by federal authorities have become common during the Trump administration when local law enforcement agencies have decided to stop collaborating with immigration agents.

In February, ICE announced that about 200 people across North Carolina had been arrested after several counties stopped participating in the federal program.

The policy was signed into law in 1996 to bridge a path for state or local law enforcement agencies that wanted to collaborate with federal immigration enforcement efforts. The program is voluntary, and participation, which is subject to federal approval, can later be canceled.

Cheney: Dems tried to 'protect' Omar with anti-hate resolution

By Felicia Sonmez
The Washington Post



OMAR: *Minnesota Democratic Rep. Ilhan Omar attends a news conference at the Capitol on Jan. 4, the day after she was sworn in. Salwan Georges/The Washington Post*

Wyoming Republican Rep. Liz Cheney said Sunday that House Democrats were trying to protect Minnesota Democratic Rep. Ilhan Omar with last week's resolution broadly denouncing hate, as a Democratic co-author of the measure pushed back, arguing that "history is going to judge" those who voted against it.

Cheney was one of 23 lawmakers, all Republicans, who opposed the resolution, which condemned anti-Semitism and discrimination against Muslims in equal measure and overwhelmingly passed the House on Thursday. Democrats had introduced the resolution in an effort to move past alleged anti-Semitic comments by Omar, a freshman Muslim congresswoman.

In an interview on NBC News' "Meet the Press," Cheney described the House resolution as "clearly an effort to actually protect Ilhan Omar, to cover up her bigotry and anti-Semitism by refusing to name her."

"They are protecting her by failing to put a resolution on the floor that names her and strips her of her committee assignment. Instead, they put a resolution on the floor which she then went out and said, 'This is a tremendous victory for me,'" Cheney said.

'History is going to judge them'

Maryland Democratic Rep. Jamie Raskin, one of the resolution's lead sponsors, pushed back in an interview on MSNBC on Sunday afternoon. He called the measure the most powerful anti-Semitism resolution "in the history of the United States Congress" and argued that those who opposed it were wrong to do so.

"History is going to judge them very harshly for that," Raskin said.

He went on to take aim at President Donald Trump for his campaign's closing TV ad during the 2016 race. The ad - which featured images of billionaire philanthropist George Soros, Goldman Sachs CEO Lloyd Blankfein and then-Federal Reserve Chair Janet Yellen, all of whom are Jewish - was "the most anti-Semitic TV ad in American history," Raskin said.

After last week's vote, Omar issued a statement with fellow Muslim Democratic Reps. Andre Carson, of Indiana, and Rashida Tlaib, of Michigan, calling the vote "historic on many fronts" for denouncing "all forms of bigotry."

"Our nation is having a difficult conversation and we believe this is great progress," they wrote.

Jaguar attacks during woman's selfie attempt

(The Washington Post) - A woman was attacked by a jaguar as she was apparently trying to get a photo outside the big cat's enclosure at Wildlife World Zoo in Arizona, authorities said.

Shawn Gilleland, a spokesman for the Rural Metro Fire Department, told The Washington Post on Sunday that fire crews said the woman, who is in her 30s, climbed over a barrier at the zoo Saturday to get closer to the jaguar's enclosure so that she could get a selfie with the animal. The jaguar reached out and grabbed her arm with its paw, leaving lacerations, Gilleland said.

Gilleland said the woman, who was not publicly identified, was taken to a hospital with injuries that were not life-threatening.

Officials with Wildlife World Zoo said in a statement that a guest was injured by a female jaguar at the zoo in Litchfield Park, not far from Phoenix. Officials said the attack is under investigation but noted that the animal was not outside her enclosure at any time. "Please understand why barriers are put in place," officials tweeted. "Sending prayers to the family tonight."

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PUBLIC NOTICE ANNOUNCEMENT

The Guam Visitors Bureau will hold a Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors on Thursday, March 14, 2019 at 3:30 p.m. in GVB's Main Conference Room. Any individuals needing special accommodations are requested to contact GVB at 646-5278 for assistance.

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(DOB: 08/02/2009),
Minor.

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SUMMONS

TO: MR. MARC ANTHONY COLLAZO, Biological Father

You are hereby summoned to appear before the HONORABLE LINDA L. INGLES, Judge, Guam Judicial Center • Superior Court of Guam • 120 West O'Brien Drive • Hagåtña, Guam on TUESDAY, MARCH 26TH, 2019 AT 10:00 A.M. for a continued answering hearing. A copy of a Person in Need of Services (PINS) petition is attached hereto regarding the above-named minor.

YOUR PARENTAL AND CUSTODIAL DUTIES AND RIGHT CONCERNING THE CHILD WHO IS THE SUBJECT OF THE ATTACHED PETITION MAY BE TERMINATED BY AWARD OF PERMANENT CUSTODY IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR ON THE DATE SET FORTH IN THIS SUMMONS.

Dated: February 19, 2019

Clerk, Superior Court of Guam
By: /s/ AMY COLLEEN K. ARCEO
Deputy Clerk

Department of Public Health & Social Services
GUAM BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS
Health Professional Licensing Office, Conference Room 209
Terlaje Professional Bldg., 194 Hernan Cortez Avenue, Hagåtña, Guam

REGULAR SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING MINUTES
3:00 p.m., Thursday, March 14, 2019

BOARD MEMBERS ATTENDANCE: Bernadette S. Santos, RN, MPA, Chairperson (Community RN), Christine Tuquero, RN, MSN, Vice Chairperson (Hospital-GMHA), Annamma S. Varghese, DNP, CMSRN, Member (Education-UOG), Anna Maria Cruz, DNP, FNP-BC, Member (DPHSS), Brenda Manzana, Member (LPN) and Charlotte Huntsman, Member (Public)

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Meagan Bamba-Ada, Member (APRN)

OTHER ATTENDEES: Robert Weinberg, Assistant Attorney General (OAG), Marlene Carbullido, RN, MSN, Interim Executive Officer (DPHSS/HPLO), Rosemary Carman, Word Processing Secretary II (DPHSS/HPLO), Robert Weinberg, Assistant Attorney General (OAG), Kevin Hitosis, Guest (Former GBNE Chairperson), Pilar Perez Williams, GCC Associate Dean, Dorothy Duenas, GCC Nursing and Allied Health Administrator, Terri Carr, Guest (RN Endorsement Applicant), Emma Reyes, HPLO Administrative Assistant, UOG Nursing Students: Kristina Pasion, Lakeisha Espina, Hazzel Belga, Ashley Sigaoat, Rachelle Bumagat, Jenesis Vita, Morgan Acfalle, Anna Perez, Elijel Dorion, Ariane Sagun, Maria G. Procalla, and Roma Basa, (HPLO/EMS)

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
I. Call to Order	Chairperson called the meeting to order at 3:15 p.m. as a Regular Board Meeting.	Quorum Established.
II. Proof of Publication	Copies of the five day and at least 48 hour notices were provided.	Advertisements in the Guam Daily Post on March 7, 2019 and March 12, 2019 are confirmed the Chairperson.
III. Review and Approval of Minutes	A. February 14, 2019 Regularly Scheduled Meeting Minutes	A. A. Varghese moved to approve the February 14, 2019 minutes. C. Tuquero seconded. All were in favor. Motion carried.
IV. Chairperson's Report	A. Election of Secretary	A. C. Huntsman nominated LPN Board Member, Brenda Manzana as Secretary of the Guam Board of Nurse Examiners; B. Manzana accepted; all were in favor.
	B. NLC (Nurse Licensure Compact) Update 1. Chairperson asked M. Carbullido to give an update on the NLC. a. A law must be in place for GBNE to be a part of the NLC. This allows the nurses in the United States that are already a part of NLC to come to Guam and practice without coming into the licensing office to reapply. b. M. Carbullido elaborated more. 2. Ms. Roma Basa from HPLO discussed the NLC's Data Integrity project and ORBS (Optimal Regulatory Board System). 3. R. Basa stated the goal for ORBS is 2020. 4. There have been teleconferences with NCSBN as they will be funding a new system (ORBS). HPLO is providing NCSBN information about timeframe for data entry of nurse files into NURSYS. Roma will provide a budget for employees to enter information.	B. Informational

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	5. M. Carbullido, R. Basa and Guam Office of Technology representative, Jerry Calvo met with Arizona Board of Nursing regarding implementation of ORBS for Guam. 6. J. Puente of NLC will be coming to Guam in May to host conferences on NLC. At this time the GBNE recognized Ms. Marlene Carbullido's retirement of 31 years to the Government of Guam. A gift and a cake were offered to her in appreciation of her outstanding service to GBNE. R. Basa was asked about previous Executive Officers (EO) and she stated the last time an Administrator retired was in 1999, whereas the Chairperson of GBNE then became the Interim EO. Vice Chair read GBNE Rules and Regulations Section 2.7a regarding the EO.	Vice Chairperson Tuquero made a motion to employ Marlene Carbullido as GBNE Executive Officer for at least six (6) months for succession planning. C. Huntsman seconded. M. Carbullido accepted (pro bono). All were in favor; no one opposed. Motion carried.
V. Administrator's Report	A. Program Reports (A. Varghese) 1. University of Guam (UOG) CNA Program a. Chairperson brought up that at the last GBNE meeting, there was not an official vote and wanted to do so now. b. GBNE is officially providing a letter to UOG with Member A. Varghese. 2. GCC a. Practical Nursing (PN) Program – Ms. Dorothy Duenas was present. 1) A. Varghese noted 6.5a Initial Approval #1, 2, 3 and 4 of the GBNE Rules and Regulations have been completed and proceeded by making a motion. 2) Additionally, A. Varghese stated that #5 will begin with the site visit. 3) A letter will be forthcoming. B. Tentative CNA Skills Testing on April 20, 2019 1. Chairperson Santos confirmed the Written test that will be tomorrow on March 15, 2019 and the Skills will be this	A. 1. Member A. Cruz made a motion to affirm that the graduates of the UOG CNA Program will work with the Journeymen CNA pending successful passage of GBNE Nursing Assistant certification testing provided the graduate will not be working independently but working under the direct supervision of the journeyman CNA. Member A. Varghese seconded. All were in favor and no one opposed. Motion carried. 2. Member A. Varghese made a motion for an Initial Approval of GCC's PN Program per Rules and Regulations 6.5 Initial Approval a, 1 through 4. Member B. Manzana seconded. No further discussion. All were in favor; no one opposed. Motion carried. B. Informational

	Saturday, March 16, 2019 for 22 students at SNU. Six will be assisting this Saturday's Skills testing: a. Member A. Varghese b. Former Chair Kevin Hitosis c. Secretary B. Manzana (8-10am) d. Member A. Cruz (8-10:30am) e. Chair B. Santos (8-10am) f. Vice Chair C. Tuquero 2. The UOG students that were present were asked to assist to voluntarily assist as patients this Saturday. Chair and Vice Chair discussed that as long as they're not in CNA Program. M. Carbullido wanted to also clarify, but as long as they're not CNA students. 3. Chairperson also noted another Skills on April 20, 2019 and the board agreed on that date.	
	C. NCSBN Events 1. Midyear Meeting, 3/26/19-3/28/19, San Antonio, TX a. B. Manzana will be attending. 2. APRN Round Table, 4/9/19, Rosemont, IL a. M. Bamba-Ada and A. Cruz are not able to attend. 3. Board of Nursing Investigative Training, 5/1-3/19, Rosemont, IL a. C. Huntsman will be attending and Chair B. Santos would like to attend the next one in October. 4. Discipline Case Management Conference, 6/10-12/19, Memphis, TN a. A. Varghese and Atty. R. Weinberg will be attending. At this time (3:50 p.m.), the UOG students left. 5. 2019 Annual Meeting, 8/21-23/19, Chicago, IL a. B. Manzana will be attending. b. C. Tuquero and possibly C. Huntsman will attend. Ms. Terri Carr, RN was present and was asked at this time to come forward by the Chairperson. (See below under Endorsement Applications on New Business for Discussion/Action.)	C. Informational
	D. Disciplinary Complaints (Vice Chair updated the disciplinary complaints) 1. GBNE-CO-18-001 a. Chair and Vice Chair assigned to investigate. b. After investigating this case, Vice Chair C. Tuquero recommended to close this case due to no evidence to prove this nurse was diverting. 2. GBNE-CO-18-002 a. B. Manzana and A. Varghese are the assigned investigators. b. A. Varghese mentioned she and B. Manzana are meeting next week regarding this case. 3. GBNE-CO-18-010	D. 1. C. Huntsman made a motion to accept the report from C. Tuquero and B. Santos to dismiss/close case number GNBE-CO-18-001. A. Cruz seconded. All were in favor. Motion carried. 2. Tabled; ongoing 3. Tabled; ongoing

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	a. Vice Chairperson stated she and M. Bamba-Ada are the assigned investigators. b. R. Weinberg is drafting legal documents as a priority.	
	4. GBNE-CO-18-012 a. A. Varghese and B. Manzana are the assigned investigators. b. A. Varghese stated she met with Legal Counsel, R. Weinberg; he had advised her on the process. A. Varghese asked B. Manzana to call this individual so they can meet with her to issue her a preliminary settlement. c. B. Manzana called this individual last week Friday on the phone stating she was "Brenda" and this individual had mistaken her for another Brenda and informed B. Manzana that she was writing prescriptions. B. Manzana told her she must have the wrong "Brenda" and explained she was Ms. Brenda Manzana, one of the investigators from the board. B. Manzana stated she and A. Varghese then met her at Port of Mocha and issued the settlement to her. d. R. Weinberg asked if this is an additional charge and A. Varghese said yes. e. Both investigators stated their investigation is done. f. B. Manzana said this individual was given an option to look at the proposed settlement and get back to Ms. Rosemary Carman but there has not been any feedback.	4. Tabled; ongoing pending Legal Counsel's feedback.
	At this time (4:35 p.m.), Member A. Cruz had left the meeting, but there is still quorum. g. Chair asked R. Weinberg if he can call this individual. R. Weinberg will continue to work with the investigators on this case.	
	5. GBNE-CO-18-016 a. A letter was signed today for this nurse to respond with her statement within three weeks of receipt and will be mailed out tomorrow.	5. Tabled; ongoing pending reply from this nurse.
	6. GBNE-CO-18-017 a. A. Cruz and C. Tuquero are the assigned investigators. b. May be an HR issue of job abandonment; no patients were assigned. c. R. Weinberg recommended for consistency to send her a letter of response to hear her side of the story.	6. Tabled; ongoing pending sending a letter for this person's response.
	7. GBNE-CO-18-018 a. A letter was signed today for this nurse to respond with his statement within three weeks of receipt and will be mailed out tomorrow.	7. Tabled; ongoing pending reply from this nurse.
	8. GBNE-CO-19-001 (new)	8. Tabled; pending investigation.

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	a. Vice Chair stated this case is a CNA; no call no show. b. Dismissed from work (GMHA) on November 29, 2018 due to failure to renew her CNA certificate. c. Assigned to C. Huntsman and B. Santos. 9. GBNE-CO-19-002 (new) a. Vice Chair stated this is an APRN Nurse Midwife who wrote a prescription (Adderall) for a male patient. b. A pharmacy made the report. c. M. Bamba-Ada and A. Cruz are assigned as investigators This case was discussed in old business but R. Weinberg suggested to move this the Disciplinary Complaints. 10. GBNE-CO-18-009 (old) a. Chairperson read this is an administrative complaint from October 28, 2017 and not a disciplinary action but a charging document. b. R. Weinberg reviewed file and stated he did an accusation of reciprocal discipline and the former Chairperson Kevin Hitosis signed it in May 2018 with a certified receipt that looks like she signed for it in June 2018 from her residence in Florida. c. R. Carman stated she contacted the Florida Board of Nursing to find out if there was any additional discipline on this nurse and they referred Ms. Carman to their website for any disciplines. d. R. Weinberg recommended to R. Carman to find out where she is at and let him know. On another note, Chair asked whose responsibility is it to follow up on a discipline case; is it HPLO or the Board. R. Weinberg replied it is not HPLO and stated how some jurisdictions have a centralized system that is on top of these things. Vice Chair stated this should be part of their Disciplinary Matrix that they are building. Chairperson mentioned a prior discipline case that was supposed to have random drug screening, but it is over a year already. R. Weinberg recommended to pull file out for him to review.	9. Tabled; pending investigation. 10. Tabled Informational
VI. Committee Reports	A. Disciplinary Matrix Guidance – A. Cruz and C. Tuquero 1. Chairperson stated that A. Cruz is looking at some material to share with the board at the next meeting. B. Rules and Regulations – A. Varghese and B. Manzana 1. A. Varghese stated they will be meeting and should have something to report at the next meeting. C. Application Tool (Ad Hoc) – C. Huntsman and M. Bamba-Ada 1. C. Huntsman stated the following major changes: a. Residence address for the last five years. At this time (4:56 p.m.) M. Carbullido has left the meeting.	A. Tabled B. Tabled C. Informational

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	b. Part VI: Moved number three to number 1. 2. R. Weinberg may have some editorials on Part V. 3. Chair wanted R. Carman to make the revised one a larger font. 4. R. Carman stated she removed the Renewal questions above Part VI.	
VII. Old Business	A. Public Law 34-129 – Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community. 1. R. Weinberg asked R. Carman to check with the other boards (Medical, Dental and Allied) if they already got a head start on this. B. EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS: 1. Lacap, John Jericho B. – CNA C. Ginjauma, Jeni (moved to Disciplinary Complaints) At this time (5:05 p.m.) C. Huntsman left the meeting but there is still quorum.	A. Tabled pending response from R. Carman if other boards had started this. B. *1 Examination Application was Conditionally Approved pending a statement from Part V and sign/date photo.*
VIII. New Business	A. **TEMPORARY WORK PERMIT APPLICATIONS** 1. Woo, Hyeji – 19R13 (2/20/19-5/20/19) 2. Roscoe, Renae D. – 19R14 (2/25/19-5/25/19) 3. Bruce, Sheri L. – 19R15 (2/25/19-5/25/19) 4. Norris, Jeanie D. – 19R16 (2/25/19-5/25/19) 5. Taylor, Misty M. – 19R17 (2/25/19-5/25/19) 6. Weaver, Jacob B. – 19R18 (2/25/19-5/25/19) 7. Weaver, Sarah E. – 19R19 (2/25/19-5/25/19) 8. Pace, Ellen E. – 19R20 (3/11/19-6/11/19) 9. Knue, Brenan J. – 18R130 (3/11/19-6/11/19) *Extension B. **EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS** 1. Aguon, Torie Matilde G. – CNA *Approved* 2. Banico, Aaron D. – CNA *Approved* 3. Brown, Alexia – CNA *Approved* 4. Danieli, John E. – CNA *Approved* 5. Dunmire-Burgess, Benjamin J. – CNA *Approved* 6. Fejarang, Desiree R. – CNA *Approved* 7. Gamit, Kristel Ann T. – CNA *Approved* 8. Jones, Asia N. – CNA *Approved* 9. De Leon, Cristine Shane M. – RN *Approved* 10. Phan, Thanh T. – CNA *Approved* 11. Rosario, Tyrone Nathaniel A. – CNA *Approved* 12. Sampayan, Justine Yuri M. – RN *Approved* 13. Samson, Rowee Lord E. – RN *Approved* 14. Susuico, Zoie M. – CNA *Approved* 15. Terbio, Albert M. – RN *Approved* 16. Tisdale, Jose S. – CNA *Approved* C. **ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS** 1. Bruce, Sheri L. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending license verification*	A. *9 Temporary Work Permits were issued and effective from 2/20/19 - 6/11/19* B. *16 Examination Applications were Approved* C. *5 Endorsement Applications were Approved*

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	2. Carr, Terri A. – RN *Attended meeting. *Conditionally Approved* Ms. Terri Carr, RN was present and is on the agenda under New Business on Endorsement Applications, she was asked to come forward by the Chairperson. a) She is a military spouse and came before the board to discuss her reprimand. b) C. Huntsman asked if she completed her CEU's (Continuing Education Units) and she replied that she did but failed to submit them. She explained her personal experiences she was going through at the time and admitted to her neglect. c) C. Huntsman about her North Carolina license and Ms. Carr stated her husband was only stationed there for two years. d) Mississippi is her original state of licensure, which she reinstated (a couple of months ago) because she would like to go back to work now that her child is six years old. e) She has not worked in 11 years, but has kept up with her CEU's. f) Chairperson asked what her stipulations were and Ms. Carr replied to complete CEU's and pay the reinstatement fee. No clinical practice or refresher courses were required. g) She has been shadowing a nurse at Guam Nursing Services (GNS) part time. h) Board will notify Ms. Carr of their decision. 3. Casey, Mary E. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending sign/date photo/Part III* 4. Del Rosario, Dianne G. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending sign/date ESAR* 5. Dewitt, Laarni C. – RN *Approved* 6. Green, Jessica L. – RN *Approved* 7. Hooten, April D. – RN *Approved* 8. Nelson, Heather C. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending police clearance* 9. Norris, Jeanie D. – RN *Approved* 10. Pace, Ellen E. – RN *Approved* 11. Roscoe, Renae D. – RN *Conditionally Approved pending Part III/license verification* D. **PENDING APPLICATIONS** 1. Please see attached list of applicants that are pending documents for board review.	*6 Endorsement Applications were Conditionally Approved* After further discussion, the board Conditionally Approved Ms. Terri Carr's RN Endorsement pending the following: 1. A temporary work permit will be issued for 90 days. 2. A refresher course must be completed within the 90 days. 3. A skills competency is required. D. Informational
IX. Open Discussion	None	
X. Next Meeting	Thursday, April 11, 2019, 3:00 p.m. Health Professional Licensing Office Conference Room 209 Terlaje Building, Hagatna, Guam	Informational
XI. Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 5:25 p.m.	C. Tuquero moved to adjourn at 5:25 p.m. B. Manzana seconded. Motion carried.

GBNE PENDING APPLICANTS as of: 3/13/19

	NAME	TYPE
1	Antonio, Sarah Jane N.	LX
2	Campbell, Kelly Y.	RE
3	Celeste, Jobelle P.	RX
4	Chan, Wing Ying	Reinstate
5	Cogdill, Ryan M.	RE
6	Galon, Mildred D.	RX
7	Grass, Louis H.	RE/APRN
8	Hattis, Erica M.	RE
9	Koa, Mark Anthony C.	RX
10	Lopp, Roddie M.	RE
11	Loveless, Latishia S.	RE
12	Martinez, Lilian P.	RX
13	Padiernos, Carmelito J.	RE
14	Pagulayan, Marvie Margarett	Reinstate
15	Sampayan, Jarvis Bernie M.	RX
16	San Lorenzo, Liana Monique P.	RX
17	Sanchez, Honey Vi A.	LX
18	Sexton, Marc	NE
19	Todd, Niccole L.	RE
20	Wilson, Timothy R.	Reinstate.
21	Zurczak, Laura	RE

Department of Public Health & Social Services
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Health Professional Licensing Office, Conference Room 209
Terlaje Professional Bldg., 194 Hernan Cortez Avenue, Hagatna, Guam

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AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PROOF OF PUBLICATION

III. MINUTES FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL
A. March 14, 2019 Regularly Scheduled Meeting

IV. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT
A. Executive Officer
B. NLC Update
C. Public Member Appointment Letter

V. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT
A. Program Reports (A. Varghese)
   1. GCC letter drafted for approval
B. CNA Written/Skills Testing 4/19-20/19 changed to 4/26-27/19
C. NCSBN
   1. Basic Board of Nursing Investigative Training, 5/1-3/19, Rosemont, IL
   2. Discipline Case Management Conference, 6/10-12/19, Memphis, TN
   3. 2019 Annual Meeting, 8/21-23/19, Chicago, IL
   4. 2019 NCLEX Conference, 9/9/19, Phoenix, AZ
D. Disciplinary Reports
   1. GBNE-CO-16-005
   2. GBNE-CO-18-009
   3. GBNE-CO-18-002
   4. GBNE-CO-18-010
   5. GBNE-CO-18-012
   6. GBNE-CO-18-016
   7. GBNE-CO-18-017
   8. GBNE-CO-18-018
   9. GBNE-CO-19-001
   10. GBNE-CO-19-002
   11. GBNE-CO-19-003 (new)

VI. COMMITTEE REPORTS
A. Disciplinary Matrix Guidance – A. Cruz and C. Tuquero
B. Rules and Regulations – A. Varghese and B. Manzana
C. Application Tool (Ad Hoc) – C. Huntsman and M. Bamba-Ada

VII. OLD BUSINESS
A. PL 34-129 - Relative to the establishment of a military limited volunteer nursing license for nurses (RN, APRN, LPN) licensed with the Guam based military credentialing office to enable them to volunteer in the civilian community.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

A. TEMPORARY WORK PERMIT APPLICATIONS
   1. Hattis, Erica M. – 19R21 (3/11/19-6/11/19)
   2. Loveless, Latishia S. – 19R22 (3/11/19-6/11/19)
   3. Carr, Terri A. – 19R23 (3/20/19-6/20/19)
   4. Zantua, Mayette M. – 19R24 (3/21/19-6/21/19)
   5. Sibal, James P. – 19R25 (4/8/19-7/8/19)
   6. Oftana, Joevie T. – 19R26 (3/28/19-6/28/19)
   7. Bartell, Janell A. – 18R134 (4/7/19-7/7/19) *Extension

B. EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS
   1. Callos, Francis Ryan T. – CNA
   2. Celeste, Jobelle P. – RN
   3. De Guzman, Neil Anne B. – RN
   4. Sampayan, Jarvis Bernie M. – RN
   5. Tria, Juris Ezra F. – RN

C. ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS
   1. Alberti, Samantha E. – RN
   2. Cogdill, Ryan M. – RN
   3. Cothern, Devin C. – RN
   4. Davis, Chelsea E. – RN
   5. Davis, Misty M. – RN
   6. Grass, Louis H. – RN
   7. Hattis, Erica M. – RN
   8. Loveless, Latishia S. – RN
   9. McLendon, Molly M. – RN
   10. Oftana, Joevie T. – RN
   11. Reed, Heather N. – RN
   12. Runburg, Jamie L. – RN
   13. Stengel, Lynda A. – RN
   14. Troyer, Ashley M. – RN
   15. Vannoy Carol A. – RN
   16. Zantua, Mayette M. – RN

D. REINSTATEMENT APPLICATIONS
   1. Buenaventura, Catherine E. – RN
   2. Burns, Mayvel T. – RN

E. APRN APPLICATIONS
   1. Grass, Louis H. – CRNA

F. RENEWALS *See attached list

G. PENDING APPLICANTS *See attached list

IX. OPEN DISCUSSION

A. UOG Student, Shanna Mendoza's Presentation on Medication Technician Program Proposal

X. NEXT MEETING

A. Thursday, May 9, 2019, 3:00 PM
   Health Professional Licensing Office, Conference Room 209, Terlaje Building, Hagatna, Guam

XI. ADJOURNMENT

GBNE PENDING APPLICANTS as of: 4/11/19

	NAME	TYPE
1	Antonio, Sarah Jane N.	LX
2	Branson, Vicky L.	RE
3	Campbell, Kelly Y.	RE
4	Chan, Wing Ying	Reinstate
5	Galon, Mildred D.	RX
6	Huegel, Carlene	LE
7	Jochim, Jacque M.	RE
8	Koa, Mark Anthony C.	RX
9	Lopp, Roddie M.	RE
10	Martinez, Lilian P.	RX
11	Padiernos, Carmelito J.	RE
12	Pagulayan, Marvie Margarett	Reinstate
13	San Lorenzo, Liana Monique P.	RX
14	Sanchez, Honey Vi A.	LX
15	Sarga, Melanie S.	RX
16	Sexton, Marc	NE
17	Sibal, James P.	RE
18	Todd, Niccole L.	RE
19	Wilson, Timothy R.	Reinstate.
20	Zurczak, Laura	RE

$2.5M sale triples lands commission revenue

By Gaynor D. Daleno
editor@postguam.com

The Guam Ancestral Lands Commission's decision to sell land to the Guam Waterworks Authority more than tripled its revenues from $1 million to $3.3 million in the 2018 budget year.

In September 2018, the commission received $2.5 million as proceeds of the sale of land to GWA, states an audit report released by the Guam Office of Public Accountability on Wednesday. Auditors from Deloitte and Touche conducted the audit.

Public Law 33-198 authorized the commission to sell 70,000 square meters of land in Dededo for GWA's expansion of the Northern District Wastewater Treatment Plant. That's about $38 per square meter.



PROJECT: *The Northern District Wastewater Treatment Plant is expected to undergo an expansion previously estimated to cost $100 million. The expansion plan led to the Guam Waterworks Authority's purchase of Guam Ancestral Lands Commission property for $2.5 million. Photo courtesy of the Guam Waterworks Authority*

The Department of Defense is helping pay for the expansion to increase the treatment plant's capacity for the Marine Corps base being built off Route 3.

With the land sale, the commission's net income posted an increase of $3.1 million in fiscal 2018 from $862,000 in fiscal 2017.

The commission's total expenditures decreased slightly from $198,000 in fiscal 2017 to $195,000 a year later.

Expenditures mainly included personnel costs of $58,000, management fees of $106,000 paid to the Guam Economic Development Authority, and contractual services of $27,000.

GEDA manages rents received from the leases of trust lands but retains a certain percentage of rent collected as payment for its services.

GALC's land inventory is valued at $6.7 million, while the Chamorro Land Trust Commission's land inventory is at $452 million, the audit report states. ***(Daily Post Staff)***

'Stop neglecting the territories,' San Nicolas says in DC

During a hearing before the Finance Committee of the U.S. House of Representatives on Tuesday, Guam Del. Michael San Nicolas called attention to the neglect he said American businesses and national organizations have demonstrated toward the territories.

San Nicolas is a member of the committee and during testimony on ways to eliminate discrimination and promote opportunity in public housing, he said, "This country is blind" to the fact that "our territories are grossly red-lined." Red lining refers to the practice by some lenders and insurance providers to deny loans to those living in areas deemed to be a financial risk.

Among those testifying at the hearing were representatives from the Zillow real estate company. The congressman pointed out that all the territories are excluded from Zillow's drop-down list of areas where mortgage loans are available and no properties on Guam are listed on its web site.

San Nicolas also told members of the National Fair Housing Alliance and the National LGBTQ Task Force that none of the national data they collect and disseminate "includes territory statistics."

"The time has come for this country to stop neglecting the territories," San Nicolas said. ***(Daily Post Staff)***



Michael San Nicolas

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Businesses cut ties with Brunei over gay sex death penalty

By Rachel Savage
Thomson Reuters Foundation



SULTAN: *Brunei's Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah walks towards his car after arriving at Air Force Station Palam in New Delhi, India, on Jan. 24, 2018. Adnan Abidi/Reuters*

LONDON – Travel agents, London's transport network and finance houses were among a rising number of companies on Friday to cut ties with businesses owned by Brunei to protest over the sultanate's introduction of the death penalty for gay sex and adultery.

The small Muslim-majority former British protectorate on April 3 rolled out further Islamic Sharia laws that punish sodomy, adultery and rape with death, including by stoning, and theft with amputation, sparking a global outcry.

The move prompted a corporate backlash after actor George Clooney and singer Elton John called for a boycott of hotels owned by the Southeast Asian country, including the Dorchester in London and the Beverley Hills Hotel in Los Angeles.

STA Travel, a global travel agency owned by privately-held Swiss conglomerate Diethelm Keller Group, said it would no longer sell flights on national carrier Royal Brunei Airlines.

"We've taken this stance to add our voice to the calls on Brunei to reverse this change in the law and in support of LGBTQI people everywhere," the company said in a statement.

Virgin Australia Airlines, the second biggest airline in Australia after Qantas, ended an agreement that offered discounted tickets on Royal Brunei Airlines for staff.

Royal Brunei did not respond to requests for comment.

Transport For London, which is responsible for London's transport system, said it was removing adverts promoting Brunei as a tourism destination from the city's public transport network due to "great public sensitivity."

Deutsche Bank banned its staff from staying in the nine luxury hotels of the Dorchester Collection, which is owned by Brunei's state-owned Brunei Investment Agency.

BIA did not respond to a request for comment. The UK-based Sovereign Wealth Centre estimates the BIA has $39 billion of assets under management.

The Dorchester Collection made a public appeal, saying its values were "far removed from the politics of ownership."

"We understand people's anger and frustration but this is a political and religious issue that we don't believe should be played out in our hotels and amongst our 3,630 employees," the Dorchester Collection said in a statement on its website.

American tourist kidnapped in Ugandan park rescued

By Elias Biryabarema
Reuters

KAMPALA – An American tourist and her driver have been rescued unharmed after being kidnapped in a national park in southwestern Uganda last week, the Ugandan authorities said on Sunday.

Kimberley Sue Endecott, 35, was abducted by gunmen in Queen Elizabeth National Park, near the border with Democratic Republic of Congo, on April 4. The kidnappers later demanded a ransom of $500,000 for her release.

"She has been located and rescued unharmed," Uganda military spokesman Brigadier Richard Karemire told Reuters, referring to the tourist.

Ugandan government spokesman Ofwono Opondo said in a tweet that driver Jean Paul had also been rescued from Congo and that the kidnappers had escaped.

The gunmen's identity is unclear but the area where the abduction took place was once roamed by fighters belonging to an anti-Kampala rebel group, the Allied Democratic Forces, which is now mostly dormant. The group is still believed to have camps in eastern Congo.

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Then, an American couple, four Britons and two New Zealanders were killed along with four Ugandan guides after being ambushed by gunmen in the Bwindi Impenetrable National Park, a few kilometers south of the Queen Elizabeth park. Survivors said the killers appeared to be Congo-based Hutu rebels.

Queen Elizabeth National Park is one of most visited in the East African country, with tourists flocking there to see lions, hippos, crocodiles and various types of antelope.

PM: Same-sex marriage will never happen in Fiji

FIJI (PacNews) – As long as we are in government, Fiji will not allow same-sex marriage, said Fijian Prime Minister Frank Bainimarama.



Frank Bainimarama

Bainimarama on Sunday said there has been a lot of talk on social media regarding the issue and rumors are speculating that some churches are supporting the idea of same-sex marriage.

He said it must be clear to everyone that Fiji is a God fearing country and same-sex marriage will never happen there.

Despite an increased awareness on human rights on same-sex marriage, Bainimarama said it will never happen under the FijiFirst government.

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THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES
Commission Meeting
on **Tuesday, April 16, 2019, 9:00 AM** at the Health Professional Licensing Board Conference Room, Terlaje Professional Bldg, 2nd Floor Suite 209 Hagåtña.
For more information contact Board office at 735-7405/11, Persons with disabilities needing special accommodations may call 735-7102 or the Telecommunication Device for the Hearing/Speech Impaired (TDD) at 649-1801.

GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
NOTICE OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING
The Guam Economic Development Authority (GEDA), a public corporation, will be holding its Regular Board of Directors meeting on **Tuesday, April 16, 2019** at **9:30 a.m.** in the GEDA conference room located in Suite 511, 5th Floor, International Trade Center (ITC) Building, 590 South Marine Corps Drive, Tamuning, Guam.
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