Alabama Medical Cannabis Commission Meeting

Minutes

June 16, 2023

The Alabama Medical Cannabis Commission met virtually on June 16, 2023. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Steven Stokes at 1:01 P.M.

Mr. Dwight Gamble led the Commission's invocation. The roll was taken with a quorum present. Commission members present for the meeting were Dr. Steven Stokes, Mr. Rex Vaughn, Dr. Sam Blakemore, Mr. Dwight Gamble, Dr. Eric Jensen, Ms. Loree Skelton, Judge Charles Price, Ms. Taylor Hatchett, Mr. James Harwell, Dr. Jerzy P. Szaflarski, and Mr. Dion Robinson. Dr. Angela Martin was absent from the meeting.

Chairman Stokes stated that the Commission was meeting to discuss one decision item. He then presented a vote to stay all proceedings related to the current offering of medical cannabis business licenses. He explained that the stay is recommended due to the discovery of potential inconsistencies in the tabulation of score data. Chairman Stokes noted that during the pause in proceedings the Commission will seek an independent review of all scoring data. He also reviewed the impacts that the stay, if issued, would have on the procedural requirements of the program. A motion to issue the stay was made by Dr. Blakemore, seconded by Mr. Harwell and received unanimous approval by the Commission.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Ms. Skelton, seconded by Ms. Hatchett, and unanimously approved by the Commission. The meeting adjourned at 1:06 P.M.