

**Mississippi State Board of Cosmetology
Special Called Telephonic Board Meeting Minutes
March 19, 2024**

Location for Public Access:

Robert E. Lee Building, 239 N Lamar Street, Suite 301, Jackson, MS 39201

I. Welcome and Call to Order

Warren Rossi, Chairman of the Mississippi State Board of Cosmetology called the meeting to order at 6:15 p.m. on March 19, 2024. Jewel Stewart performed the roll call. May the record reflect that there was a quorum present for voting purposes.

Members present telephonically:

Warren Rossi, Chairman
Debbie Coker, Vice-Chairman
Jewel Stewart, Secretary
Hilda Bills, Member

Also present telephonically:

Catherine Bell, Special Assistant Attorney General / Counsel for the Board

Also present at the public access location:

Ruby Lowery, Deputy Director
Sharon Clark, Executive Director

There were no members of the public present.

II. Agenda Approval

Jewel Stewart moved to accept the amended agenda. Debbie Coker provided a second. The motion carried by unanimous approval.

Debbie Coker made a motion for the need for Executive Session. Jewel Stewart seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous approval.

Hilda Bills made a motion to enter Executive Session. Jewel Stewart seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous approval.

The Board entered Executive Session at 6:20 p.m.

III. New Business

A. Plumlee (Ruby Nails) Hearing

Debbie Coker made motion to authorize Catherine Bell to offer a consent order to Plumlee/Ruby Nails for a 4-month suspension of personal license and a \$2000 fine. Hilda Bills seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous approval.

Debbie Coker moved to authorize Catherine Bell to offer a consent order to Ms. Plumlee/Ruby Nails. Hilda Bills seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous approval.

B. Blue Cliff College

Debbie Coker moved to deny Blue Cliff College's request for continuance of the hearing and for the hearing date of April 1, 2024 to stand. Warren Rossi seconded the motion. The vote was as follows:

Warren Rossi - aye
Debbie Coker - aye
Hilda Bills - aye
Jewel Stewart - abstention
The motion passed.

C. Central MS Correctional Facility

Hilda Bills moved to authorize Catherine Bell to offer a consent order to Central Mississippi Correctional Facility. Warren Rossi provided a second. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

Hilda Bills moved to exit the Executive Session. Jewel Stewart provided a second. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

The Board exited Executive Session at 6:40 p.m.

Catherine Bell announced the actions that were taken during the Executive Session.

IV. Adjournment

Debbie Coker moved to adjourn at 6:41 p.m. A second was provided by Jewel Stewart. The motion carried by unanimous approval.

APPROVED:



Warren Rossi, Chairman



Jewel Stewart, Secretary