

# MINUTES

## FLORIDA BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY TELECONFERENCE MEETING

**Tuesday, December 2, 2025**

The Board of Cosmetology meeting was called to order at approximately 11:30 a.m., by Ms. Robyn Tabano, Chair.

### **Board Members Present**

Robin Tabano, Chair  
Adrienne Harvey, Vice Chair  
Jennifer Macku  
Michele Brauman  
Mayra Bonyngne

### **Board Members Absent**

### **Other Persons Present**

Ruthanne Christie, Interim Executive Director, Department of Business and Professional Regulation (DBPR)  
Julie Duckworth, Government Analyst, DBPR  
Andrea Osorio, Assistant General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel, DBPR  
Larry Harris, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General  
Debra Alff, Court Reporter  
Ashley Kennedy  
Raquel Leon, Esq.  
Brenda Arias Fernandez  
Diane Head, Gadsden Corrections  
Heather Lee  
Jayla Patton  
Angela Grant  
Liubov Bezghinova

The meeting was opened with a roll call and a quorum was established.

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Chair Tabano moved to approve the minutes of the November 12, 2025, Board meeting. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

## **DISCIPLINARY MATTERS**

Ms. Andrea Osorio, Assistant General Counsel, requested that the board admit into evidence the investigative file and supporting documentation for the cases below.

### **Informal Hearing**

Xuan Cam Linh Nguyen; Huntsville, Alabama; Case No. 2025023965

Ms. Osorio presented the case for consideration by the Board. Ms. Macku moved that the Respondent was properly served with the Administrative Complaint, the Respondent failed to respond within 21 days thereby waiving their right to elect a hearing in this matter, that the Board accept the allegations stated in the Administrative Complaint and adopt them as the findings of fact and conclusions of law of the Board and impose costs of \$24.08 to be paid within 30 days, and revocation of license FV9657915. Chair Tabano seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

56 Dara Rose Yeager; Cocoa; Case No. 2024027170

57 Ms. Osorio presented the case for consideration by the Board. Ms. Macku moved that the Respondent  
58 was properly served with the Administrative Complaint, the Respondent failed to respond within 21 days  
59 thereby waiving their right to elect a hearing in this matter, that the Board accept the allegations stated  
60 in the Administrative Complaint and adopt them as the findings of fact and conclusions of law of the  
61 Board and impose a fine of \$400 and costs of \$229.73 to be paid within six months. Chair Tabano  
62 seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.  
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64 **Election of Waiver of Rights and Final Order**

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66 Ashley Nicole Kennedy; Lake Wales; Case No. 2024069390

67 Ms. Kennedy was present for the meeting. Ms. Osorio presented the case for consideration by the  
68 Board. Ms. Macku found that the Respondent was properly served with the Administrative Complaint  
69 and have elected to waive their rights to a hearing in this matter. The Board moved to accept the  
70 allegations stated in the Administrative Complaints and adopt them as the findings of fact and  
71 conclusions of law of the Board and impose a fine of \$250 and costs of \$60.81 to be paid within six  
72 months. Ms. Brauman seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.  
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74 **Motion for Waiver of Rights and Final Order**

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76 Ms. Osorio presented the following cases for consideration by the Board. Ms. Macku found that the  
77 Respondents were properly served with the Administrative Complaint, the Respondents failed to  
78 respond within 21 days thereby waiving their right to elect a hearing in this matter, that the Board accept  
79 the allegations stated in the Administrative Complaints and adopt them as the findings of fact and  
80 conclusions of law of the Board. Vice Chair Harvey seconded the motion, and the motion passed  
81 unanimously.  
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83 Nails by Nicole Ferro; New Port Richey; Case No. 2024070838

84 Ms. Macku moved to impose a fine of \$500 and costs of \$198.65 to be paid within six months. Vice  
85 Chair Harvey seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.  
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87 Kristin Brooks; Sarasota; Case No. 2024052055

88 Ms. Macku moved to impose a fine of \$300 and costs of \$74.27 to be paid within six months. Vice Chair  
89 Harvey seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.  
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91 Thainane Queiroz; Coconut Creek; Case No. 2024001973

92 Chair Tabano moved to impose a fine of \$1,500 and costs of \$210.28 to be paid within 30 days, and  
93 revocation of license CL1293335. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.  
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95 **Voluntary Relinquishment**

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97 Ms. Osorio presented the following cases for consideration by the Board. Ms. Macku moved to adopt the  
98 Stipulations of the parties as the Board's final action in these matters and incorporate them and all of its  
99 terms into a Final Order and imposed the penalties shown below. Vice Chair Harvey seconded the motion,  
100 and the motion passed unanimously.  
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- 102 • Kim Tan Hoang; Tuscaloosa, Alabama; Case No. 2025023723  
103 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9655515  
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- 105 • Thi Gai Tan; Miramar; Case No. 2025024068  
106 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9646507  
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- 108 • Nam Dinh Phan; Madison, Alabama; Case No. 2025024001  
109 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9654084  
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- Nicole Figueroa Guzman; Loxley, Alabama; Case No. 2025023690  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652344
- Thi Hang Le; Lauderdale Lakes; Case No. 2025024238  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV933344
- Quyen Anh Ho; Cooper City; Case No. 2025023707  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9648253
- Brodrick Raysharn Colvin Jr.; Tuscaloosa, Alabama; Case No. 2025023648  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652942
- Nhi Thi Yen Nguyen; Miami; Case No. 2025024290  
\$8.03 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FS938218
- Anh Thu Pham; Chelsea, Alabama; Case No. 2025023971  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9649100
- Ho Ly Na Ngo; Cooper City; Case No. 2025024254  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FS934272
- Phuong Thi Nguyen; Davie; Case No. 2025024292  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FS934817
- Si Tuyen Mai; Trussville, Alabama; Case No. 2025023811  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9656940
- Huynh Nguyen; Madison, Alabama; Case No. 2025023861  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9655522
- Hue Nguyen; Fultondale, Alabama; Case No. 2025024266  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FS935351
- Ainsley Chaviano Ventura; Orlando; Case No. 2025023646  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652231
- Duy Dang Tran; Davie; Case No. 2025024045  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9648888
- Phuoc Clark; Elecata, Alabama; Case No. 2025023647  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9651798
- Tuan Nhat Phan; Cooper City; Case No. 2025024006  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9646997
- Diana Xuan-Nhi Chau; Baytown, Texas; Case No. 2025023645  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9650330
- Rachel Leyanis Acuna Ramirez; Pembroke Pines; Case No. 2025023629  
\$32.10 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9651051
- Leyanis Alfaro Benitez; Hialeah; Case No. 2025023630  
\$32.10 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9650533

- Vanessa Guadalupe Berrios Sequeira; Miami; Case No. 2025023636  
\$32.10 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652819
- Maria Camila Calle Moreno; N. Miami; Case No. 2025023639  
\$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652106

### **Settlement Stipulation**

#### **Classy Nails & Spa; Bradenton; Case No. 2025008554**

Ms. Osorio presented the case for consideration by the Board. Chair Tabano moved to adopt the Stipulations of the parties as the Board's final action in these matters and incorporate them and all of its terms into a Final Order and impose a fine of \$500 and costs of \$130.55 to be paid within six months. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

### **Department Attorney Report**

Ms. Osorio informed the Board that there were 904 open cosmetology cases in the legal section.

## **APPLICATIONS**

### **Continuing Education Courses**

#### **Initial Review**

##### **Futura Career Institute – Florida Cosmetology Continuing Education 10 Hour Internet**

After review, Chair Tabano moved to approve the course with the following contingencies: strike "MSDS" and replace with "SDS", strike product names, update references, and strike out of scope pictures, and add a sentence that MMA is illegal in Florida. The corrections must be submitted to the Executive Director within 30 days of the date of the order for approval. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

### **Licensure Applications**

#### **Informal Hearing**

##### **Violette Larione**

After discussion, Chair Tabano moved to uphold the denial. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

##### **Brenda Arias Fernandez**

Ms. Fernandez and Ms. Raquel Leon, Esq. were present for the meeting. After discussion, Chair Tabano moved to overturn the denial and approve the application. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

#### **Initial Review**

##### **Heather Lee**

Ms. Lee and Ms. Head were present for the meeting. After review, Ms. Macku moved to approve the application and imposed probation on the license to run concurrent with her criminal probation. The applicant shall provide annually an FDLE criminal background check, and a compliance letter from the authority who is supervising the terms and conditions of the criminal release and/or probation. Chair Tabano seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Jayla Patton

Ms. Patton and Ms. Head were present for the meeting. After review, Chair Tabano moved to approve the application and imposed probation on the license to run concurrent with her criminal probation. The applicant shall provide annually an FDLE criminal background check, and a compliance letter from the authority who is supervising the terms and conditions of the criminal release and/or probation. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Angellica Grant

Ms. Grant and Ms. Head were present for the meeting. After review, Chair Tabano moved to approve the application and imposed probation on the license to run concurrent with her criminal probation. The applicant shall provide annually an FDLE criminal background check, and a compliance letter from the authority who is supervising the terms and conditions of the criminal release and/or probation. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Kateryna Shvartsman / Illinois

After review, Ms. Macku moved to deny the application based on failure to demonstrate that the applicant meets the endorsement requirements of Rule 61G5-29.011, F.A.C. Chair Tabano seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Oanh Thi Kim Nguyen / Georgia

After review, Ms. Macku moved to deny the application based on failure to demonstrate that the applicant meets the endorsement requirements of Rule 61G5-29.011, F.A.C. Chair Tabano seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Anna Turlak / New York

After review, Ms. Macku moved to deny the application based on failure to demonstrate that the applicant meets the endorsement requirements of Rule 61G5-29.011, F.A.C. Chair Tabano seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Liubov Bezghinova / New York

Ms. Bezghinova was present for the meeting. After review, Chair Tabano moved to approve the application. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Lillia Shulzhenko / New York

After review, Ms. Macku moved to deny the application based on failure to demonstrate that the applicant meets the endorsement requirements of Rule 61G5-29.011, F.A.C. Chair Tabano seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

Uyen Hoang Thao Bui / Washington

After review, Chair Tabano moved to deny the application based on failure to demonstrate that the applicant meets the endorsement requirements of Rule 61G5-29.011, F.A.C. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

**OTHER BUSINESS**

**Executive Director Report**

Financial Report for Period Ending June 30, 2025

Ms. Christie reported that the balance in the Board's operating account was over \$4.6 million, and the balance in the unlicensed activity account was over \$2.8 million for the same period.

275 **Correspondence**

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277 **Complaints and Investigative Statistics**

278 Ms. Christie informed the Board that the Complaints and Investigative Statistics Report was included in the  
279 agenda for informational purposes.

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281 **Cosmo Examination Summary**

282 Ms. Christie informed the Board that the Barber Examination Summary was included in the agenda for  
283 informational purposes.

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285 **Licensure Application Ratification Report**

286 Chair Tabano moved to approve the application report as provided. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and  
287 the motion passed unanimously.

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289 **Dates and Locations of Future Meetings**

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291 January 26, 2026 – Orlando (DBPR Building)  
292 February 23, 2026 – Via GoToMeeting (11:30am)  
293 April 6, 2026 – Via GoToMeeting (1pm)  
294 May 18, 2026 – Via GoToMeeting (11:30am)  
295 June 29, 2026 – Orlando (DBPR Building)  
296 August 10, 2026 – Via GoToMeeting (11:30am)  
297 September 28, 2026 – Via GoToMeeting (1pm)  
298 November 9, 2026 – Via GoToMeeting (11:30am)  
299 December 14, 2026 – Via GoToMeeting (11:30am)

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301 **ADJOURNMENT**

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303 There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 1:15 p.m.  
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