

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 Bonyngé

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.

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57 **Dara Rose Yeager; Cocoa; Case No. 2024027170**

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

64 **Election of Waiver of Rights and Final Order**

65 **Ashley Nicole Kennedy; Lake Wales; Case No. 2024069390**

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

72 **Motion for Waiver of Rights and Final Order**

73 Ms. Osorio presented the following cases for consideration by the Board. Ms. Macku found that the
74 Respondents were properly served with the Administrative Complaint, the Respondents failed to
75 respond within 21 days thereby waiving their right to elect a hearing in this matter, that the Board accept
76 the allegations stated in the Administrative Complaints and adopt them as the findings of fact and
77 conclusions of law of the Board. Vice Chair Harvey seconded the motion, and the motion passed
78 unanimously.

79 **Nails by Nicole Ferro; New Port Richey; Case No. 2024070838**

80 Ms. Macku moved to impose a fine of \$500 and costs of \$198.65 to be paid within six months. Vice
81 Chair Harvey seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

82 **Kristin Brooks; Sarasota; Case No. 2024052055**

83 Ms. Macku moved to impose a fine of \$300 and costs of \$74.27 to be paid within six months. Vice Chair
84 Harvey seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.

85 **Thainane Queiroz; Coconut Creek; Case No. 2024001973**

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

88 **Voluntary Relinquishment**

89 Ms. Osorio presented the following cases for consideration by the Board. Ms. Macku moved to adopt the
90 Stipulations of the parties as the Board's final action in these matters and incorporate them and all of its
91 terms into a Final Order and imposed the penalties shown below. Vice Chair Harvey seconded the motion,
92 and the motion passed unanimously.

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- 94 • Kim Tan Hoang; Tuscaloosa, Alabama; Case No. 2025023723
95 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9655515
- 96 • Thi Gai Tan; Miramar; Case No. 2025024068
97 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9646507
- 98 • Nam Dinh Phan; Madison, Alabama; Case No. 2025024001
99 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9654084

111 • Nicole Figueroa Guzman; Loxley, Alabama; Case No. 2025023690
112 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652344
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114 • Thi Hang Le; Lauderdale Lakes; Case No. 2025024238
115 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV933344
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117 • Quyen Anh Ho; Cooper City; Case No. 2025023707
118 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9648253
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120 • Brodrick Raysharn Colvin Jr.; Tuscaloosa, Alabama; Case No. 2025023648
121 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652942
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123 • Nhi Thi Yen Nguyen; Miami; Case No. 2025024290
124 \$8.03 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FS938218
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126 • Anh Thu Pham; Chelsea, Alabama; Case No. 2025023971
127 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9649100
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129 • Ho Ly Na Ngo; Cooper City; Case No. 2025024254
130 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FS934272
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132 • Phuong Thi Nguyen; Davie; Case No. 2025024292
133 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FS934817
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135 • Si Tuyen Mai; Trussville, Alabama; Case No. 2025023811
136 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9656940
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138 • Huynh Nguyen; Madison, Alabama; Case No. 2025023861
139 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9655522
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141 • Hue Nguyen; Fultondale, Alabama; Case No. 2025024266
142 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FS935351
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144 • Ainsley Chaviano Ventura; Orlando; Case No. 2025023646
145 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652231
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147 • Duy Dang Tran; Davie; Case No. 2025024045
148 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9648888
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150 • Phuoc Clark; Elecata, Alabama; Case No. 2025023647
151 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9651798
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153 • Tuan Nhat Phan; Cooper City; Case No. 2025024006
154 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9646997
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156 • Diana Xuan-Nhi Chau; Baytown, Texas; Case No. 2025023645
157 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9650330
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159 • Rachel Leyanis Acuna Ramirez; Pembroke Pines; Case No. 2025023629
160 \$32.10 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9651051
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162 • Leyanis Alfaro Benitez; Hialeah; Case No. 2025023630
163 \$32.10 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9650533
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165 • Vanessa Guadalupe Berrios Sequeira; Miami; Case No. 2025023636
166 \$32.10 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652819
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168 • Maria Camila Calle Moreno; N. Miami; Case No. 2025023639
169 \$24.08 costs only; Voluntary Relinquishment of license FV9652106
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171 **Settlement Stipulation**
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173 **Classy Nails & Spa; Bradenton; Case No. 2025008554**

174 Ms. Osorio presented the case for consideration by the Board. Chair Tabano moved to adopt the
175 Stipulations of the parties as the Board's final action in these matters and incorporate them and all of its
176 terms into a Final Order and impose a fine of \$500 and costs of \$130.55 to be paid within six months. Ms.
177 Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously.
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179 **Department Attorney Report**
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181 Ms. Osorio informed the Board that there were 904 open cosmetology cases in the legal section.
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183 **APPLICATIONS**
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185 **Continuing Education Courses**
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187 **Initial Review**
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189 **Futura Career Institute – Florida Cosmetology Continuing Education 10 Hour Internet**

190 After review, Chair Tabano moved to approve the course with the following contingencies: strike "MSDS"
191 and replace with "SDS", strike product names, update references, and strike out of scope pictures, and add
192 a sentence that MMA is illegal in Florida. The corrections must be submitted to the Executive Director within
193 30 days of the date of the order for approval. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion passed
194 unanimously.
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196 **Licensure Applications**
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198 **Informal Hearing**
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200 **Violette Larione**

201 After discussion, Chair Tabano moved to uphold the denial. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the
202 motion passed unanimously.
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204 **Brenda Arias Fernandez**

205 Ms. Fernandez and Ms. Raquel Leon, Esq. were present for the meeting. After discussion, Chair Tabano
206 moved to overturn the denial and approve the application. Ms. Macku seconded the motion, and the motion
207 passed unanimously.
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209 **Initial Review**
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211 **Heather Lee**

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

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

226 Angellica Grant

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

232 Kateryna Shvartsman / Illinois

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

236 Oanh Thi Kim Nguyen / Georgia

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

240 Anna Turlak / New York

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

244 Liubov Bezghinova / New York

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

247 Lillia Shulzhenko / New York

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

251 Uyen Hoang Thao Bui / Washington

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

255 **OTHER BUSINESS**

256 Executive Director Report

257 Financial Report for Period Ending June 30, 2025

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

275 **Correspondence**

276 **Complaints and Investigative Statistics**

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

280 **Cosmo Examination Summary**

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

284 **Licensure Application Ratification Report**

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

288 **Dates and Locations of Future Meetings**

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)

300 **ADJOURNMENT**

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