

Investigations Committee

Chad Pore – Chair

AGENDA

January 31, 2019

Landon State Office Building
Room 509 3:00 pm

1. Consent Agenda

1.1 Case # 2018-037

The Kansas Board of EMS received an application for certification. The applicant indicated they are a convicted felon.

Investigation determined the applicant withdrew from the course.

Staff recommendation is to close the application for certification.

1.2 Case # 2018-040

The Kansas Board of EMS received an application for certification. The applicant indicated they are a convicted felon.

Investigation determined the applicant provided all available documentation requested.

Staff recommendation is to allow the further processing of the application for certification pending the successful completion of all other requirements.

1.3 Case # 2018-050

The Kansas Board of EMS received a self report an attendant violated protocol.

Investigation determined the Service, who is identified as Respondent #2 in this case, did not violate Kansas Administrative Regulation or Statute. The attendant's potential violation as listed as Respondent #1 in this case is addressed later under item #2.1.

Staff recommendation is to close and dismiss the case against Service, Respondent #2.

1.4 Case # 2018-053

The Kansas Board of EMS received an application for certification. The applicant indicated they are a convicted felon.

Investigation determined the applicant dropped the course.

Staff recommendation is to close the application for certification.

2. Other Cases

2.1 Case 2017-063

The Kansas Board of EMS received notification of a narcotic diversion case.

Investigation determined the Respondent pled guilty to a felony to obtain a controlled substance by deception.

Staff recommendation is to consider the graduated sanctions.

2.2 Case 2018-050

The Kansas Board of EMS received a self report an attendant violated protocol.

Investigation determined the Service who is identified as Respondent #2 in this case did not violate Kansas Administrative Regulation or Statute. Respondent #2, the Service portion of this case was addressed within the Consent Agenda under item 1.3.

Investigation determined the protocol violation occurred as reported.

Staff does not have a recommendation in this case.

2.3 Case 2018-062

The Kansas Board of EMS was notified when an ambulance got stuck in the snow after a blizzard they were unable to respond. So, the partner in their personal four-wheel drive responded direct to the scene.

Investigation determined because the ambulance was unable to respond the partner by themselves transported the patient to a hospital located two blocks away. And, the Service failed to notify the Board of EMS a vehicle other than an ambulance was pressed into service with 72 hours as required.

Staff recommendation is the consideration of the graduated sanctions for the attendant and the Operator.

2.4 Case 2019-001

The Kansas Board of EMS received a self report an attendant practiced beyond their scope.

Investigation determined the attendant was provided an order to administer the medications by a physician and was supervised by an RN. However, the medication was beyond those authorized.

Staff recommendation is the consideration of the graduated sanctions.

3. Investigator Updates

4. Adjournment

******Denotes items requiring Board action**

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