



State of Utah

GARY R. HERBERT
Governor

GREG BELL
Lieutenant Governor

NEAL T. GOOCH
Aptd. Insurance Commissioner

Insurance Department

Bail Bond Oversight Board Meeting

Date: July 13, 2010

Time: 2:30pm

Place: Teleconference

#1-866-899-5399

Room #*5383803*

Board Members

(Attendees = x)

xMichael Weddington (Chair)

xBrad Jenkins (Vice Chair)

xGordon Wright

Megan I. Corrent

Clayton A. Simms, LLC

xCamille L. Neider

xCraig Crawford

Department Staff

xSuzette Green-Wright

xBrad Tibbitts

xPerri Babalis

xRobert Herrera

xTracy Klausmeier

xJilene Whitby

MINUTES

General Session (Open to the Public) Meeting began at 2:35am.

- **Adoption of Previous Meeting Minutes / Chair**
Camille moved to adopt the minutes, Brad seconded it and the vote was unanimous.
- **Applications / Robert**
 - **All Area Bail Bonds**
All Area filed a complete application and met the financial criteria. They have not filed their bail bond forms. Once they do a license will be issued. Brad **moved** to approve the application, Craig seconded it and the vote was unanimous.
- **Old Business**
 - **Draft Changes to Rule R590-186-8 / Suzette & Robert**
 - Section 8 of the rule requires the department to give the respondent a copy of complaints against him/her before interviewing them.
 - This is the only line of insurance with this requirement.
 - The requirement takes away the element of surprise and provides time to destroy evidence and pressure people to confirm their story.
 - Perri noted that subsection 8.(1)(c) requires every case to be presented to the Board.
 - Camille did not see a big concern when dealing with administrative actions.
 - Robert noted that information about complaints is normally given to the respondent's attorney during the discovery phase of the case.
 - Board asked that they be sent instructions about getting on Twitter and the Monitor This Page options so they can be notified of rule changes.
 - Brad made a **motion** to make the changes proposed by the Department, Gordon seconded it and all but Camille voted for the changes.
 - Camille expressed concern about changing a rule based on the worst case scenario. She would like to see what other agencies are doing.

- Perri noted that Suzette was going to make further changes to this rule and it would be best to make them all at once. Suzette said her changes would be ready by the 22nd of July.
- Other Business
 - **Unprofessional Conduct** / Gordon
Gordon reported a bail bondsman soliciting at a jail. He asked if this was a Class B Misdemeanor? Suzette thought it was eliminated from the code. Perri said that seldom are such cases prosecuted when they are sent to the county attorney's office.
- **Adjourned:** Brad made the **motion** to adjourn, Craig seconded it. The meeting ended at 3:15pm.
- **Next Meeting:** September 8, 2010, **Copper** Room, East Building

2010 Meetings (Copper Room)

Sept 8	Oct 13
Nov 10	Dec 8