



TO: The Honorable Members of the Board of Regents
FROM: Sarah S. Benson *Sarah A. Benson*
SUBJECT: Report of the Committee on the Professions Regarding
Licensing Petitions and Degree Conferrals
DATE: May 4, 2023

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SUMMARY

Issue for Decision (Consent)

Should the Regents approve the recommendations of the Committee on the Professions pertaining to licensing petitions and degree conferrals as listed on the attachment?

Reason(s) for Consideration

Required by State Statute.

Proposed Handling

This question will come before the Full Board at its May 2023 meeting where it will be voted on and action taken.

Procedural History

Section 6506(5) of the Education Law and Section 24.7 of the Rules of the Board of Regents authorize the Regents to waive education, experience and examination requirements for a professional license as well as to confer the degree Doctor of Medicine.

Background Information

There is one licensing petition and eleven requests for the conferral of the degree of Doctor of Medicine for review and determination.

Related Regents Items

Not Applicable.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Regents approve the recommendations of the Committee on the Professions regarding the licensing petition and degree conferrals.

Timetable for Implementation

Approval of the Committee on the Professions' recommendations will be effective, May 16, 2023.

Cases Presented to Board of Regents on May 16, 2023

SUMMARY REPORT

PROFESSION	EDUCATION			EXAMINATION		Experience	Confer Degree Doctor of Medicine
	Pre-Professional	Professional	Post-Graduate	Proficiency	Licensing		
Medicine					23-31-60		23-26-60C To 23-36-60C
OTHER:						Total for fiscal year to date:	24
						Total for calendar year to date:	41

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MEDICINE

23-31-60

Sandra Stoll
Neuss, Germany

(Heinrich Heine University, Duesseldorf, Germany, Arztliche Prufung, June 2004)

Petition for: Endorsement of her medical license from Germany.

Statement of Problem: Commissioner's Regulations allow endorsement of an applicant's license from another jurisdiction if appropriate requirements are met, and the applicant has not failed any part of New York State's licensing examination. A license granted in a foreign country can be endorsed if licensure in that country is regulated by an organization designated as responsible for quality assurance and acceptable to the Board of Regents. Additionally, the applicant must satisfactorily demonstrate completion of an acceptable proficiency examination, clinical competency examination, three years of American Council on Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) accredited postgraduate training or the equivalent, and five years of satisfactory professional experience.

The Executive Secretary of the State Board for Medicine has reviewed the documentation submitted in support of Dr. Stoll's application. He recommends that Dr. Stoll's training from Germany, New Zealand, and Australia be accepted as the equivalent of the three years of ACGME-accredited postgraduate training required for licensure.

Commissioner's Regulations allow the Board of Regents to accept appropriate foreign medical licenses and diplomate certificates to fulfill the license, proficiency, and clinical competency requirements for New York State licensure by endorsement. Dr. Stoll obtained her medical license in Germany in 2004. Her German license is active and in good standing. Additionally, Dr. Stoll holds a specialty certification in Anesthesiology and was awarded European Diplomas in Intensive Care Medicine, Advanced Intensive Care Echocardiography, and Anesthesiology and Intensive Care.

The Executive Secretary of the State Board for Medicine recommends that Dr. Stoll's German license be endorsed, and her specialty certification and European Diplomas be accepted to fulfill the proficiency examination and the clinical competency requirements for endorsement.

APPLICABLE REQUIREMENTS:	QUALIFICATIONS:
Sections 60.1, 60.3, and 60.5 of the Commissioner's Regulations require:	
(1) Six years of postsecondary education, including at least 32 months of medical education.	(1) Heinrich Heine University, Duesseldorf, Germany, Arztliche Prufung, June 2004.
(2) Proficiency examination.	(2) (a) European Diploma in Advanced Intensive Care Echocardiography issues by the European Society of Intensive Care Medicine

	(b) European Diploma in Anesthesiology and Intensive Care issued by the European Society of Anesthesiology, October 2012
(3) Three years of approved postgraduate hospital training.	(3) (a) Training in Anesthesiology and Intensive Care Medicine at University of Essen in Essen, Germany from 2004 to 2010. (b) Training in Intensive Care Medicine for Anesthesiologists at University of Essen in Essen, Germany from 2011 to 2013. (c) Senior Fellow in Cardiovascular Intensive Care at Auckland City Hospital in Auckland, New Zealand from February 2015 to August 2015. (d) Senior Registrar and Echocardiography Fellow at the Alfred Hospital in Victoria, Australia from February 2018 to May 2019.
(4) Appropriate medical license or certificate.	(4) German license, October 2004
(5) Acceptable scores on a clinical competency examination acceptable to the Department.	(5) (a) Anesthesiology specialty certification issued by the Medical Association North Rhine, Germany, September 2010 (b) European Diploma in Intensive Care Medicine issued by the European Society of Intensive Care Medicine, November 2014
(6) Not less than five years of satisfactory professional experience.	(6) Over five years of satisfactory professional experience.
(7) United States citizen or alien lawfully admitted for permanent resident status in the United States.	(7)
(8) Evidence of good moral character.	(8)
(9) Course in the identification of child abuse and maltreatment.	(9)

RECOMMENDATION: The Committee on the Professions, in concurrence with the Executive Secretary of the State Board for Medicine, recommends that the applicant's qualifications be accepted to fulfill the requirements for licensure by endorsement.

MEDICINE

Petition for: Conferral of the degree Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) pursuant to Section 6529 of the Education Law.

Summary Statement: The petitioners listed below are all graduates of foreign medical schools who have been licensed in New York.

The applicable requirements of Section 3.57 of the Rules of the Board of Regents require completion of a medical education program in a foreign medical school satisfactory to the Department which does not grant the degree Doctor of Medicine (M.D.), and in which the philosophy and curriculum were equivalent, as determined by the Department in accordance with the policy of the Board of Regents, to those in programs leading to the degree Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) at medical schools in the United States satisfactory to, or registered by, the Board of Regents and the Department. Secondly, petitioners must have licensure to practice medicine in New York State in accordance with provisions of Section 6524 or 6528 of the Education Law or their equivalent as determined by the Board of Regents pursuant to their authority under Section 6506 of the Education Law.

NAME OF PETITIONER	QUALIFICATIONS
<u>23-26-60C</u> Samuel Adeyemo Brooklyn, NY 11233	(1) Obafemi-Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 10/05/2011 (2) License # 317629, Issued 06/09/2022
<u>23-27-60C</u> Ei Ei Cho Brooklyn, NY 11220	(1) University of Medicine 1, Yangon, Myanmar, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 02/25/2012 (2) License # 318013, Issued 06/23/2022
<u>23-28-60C</u> Paulomi Dave New York, NY 10016	(1) Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Mumbai, India, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 05/31/2014 (2) License # 312125, Issued 07/20/2021
<u>23-29-60C</u> Shakir Hussein Charleston, WV 25301	(1) University of Khartoum Faculty of Health, Khartoum, Sudan, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 04/29/1998 (2) License # 245191, Issued 07/16/2007
<u>23-30-60C</u> Mazin Khalid Brooklyn, NY 11238	(1) University of Gezira, Wad Madani, Sudan, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 09/21/2008 (2) License # 290820, Issued 08/09/2017
<u>23-31-60C</u> Laila Noor White Plains, NY 10607	(1) Dhaka University Sir Salimullah Medical College, Dhaka, Bangladesh, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 05/25/2014 (2) License # 319530, Issued 09/22/2022
<u>23-32-60C</u>	(1) Obafemi-Awolowo University, Ile-Ife,

Oluwaseun Ogunsakin Commack, NY 11725	Nigeria, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 05/10/2006 (2) License # 311982, Issued 07/13/2021
<u>23-33-60C</u> Rubin Pradhan Buffalo, NY 14221	(1) Kathmandu University, Kathmandu, Nepal, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 12/11/2011 (2) License # 320934, Issued 01/10/2023
<u>23-34-60C</u> Asish Regmi Williamsville, NY 14221	(1) Kathmandu University, Kathmandu, Nepal, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 12/11/2011 (2) License # 300372, Issued 07/25/2019
<u>23-35-60C</u> Thinzar Wai Williamsville, NY 14221	(1) University of Medicine 2, Yangon, Myanmar, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 04/03/2010 (2) License # 321010, Issued 01/17/2023
<u>23-36-60C</u> Afrina Zaman Albertson, NY 11507	(1) Sir Salimullah Medical College, Dhaka, Bangladesh, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, 08/07/1997 (2) License # 318345, Issued 07/12/2022

RECOMMENDATION: The Committee on the Professions recommends that the petitioners be awarded the degree Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) in accordance with provisions of Section 6529 of the Education Law