



Dr. Ron Oberstein <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: from Dr. Steven Silk...re: Minutes of Special Meeting Executive Session - 03/27/24

1 message

Legal Team <[REDACTED]> Wed, May 8, 2024 at 9:33 AM
To: [REDACTED], Joel Siegal <[REDACTED]>, Legal Team <[REDACTED]>
Bcc: [REDACTED]

David Hello- This is correspondence from Scott, If you feel it necessary to weave into the letter, fine. I am told that Ron Returns to the Bay Area from India on Monday. I have written to him today and asked whether he wants to wait until his return home to send the letter. I shall advise upon learning what he wants to do

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From: **Scott C. Turner, CPA** <[REDACTED]>
Date: Fri, Apr 26, 2024 at 9:59 AM
Subject: RE: from Dr. Steven Silk...re: Minutes of Special Meeting Executive Session - 03/27/24
To: Legal Team <[REDACTED]>

There are several occasions where minutes or motions were slightly altered or re-worded. These are two of the most egregious and which I caught – 1 is for the email below regarding March 27 I already sent you.

The second is regarding regents being reimbursed for family members travel expenses.

For your continued success,

Scott C Turner, CPA

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From: Scott C. Turner, CPA <[REDACTED]>**Sent:** Tuesday, April 23, 2024 11:09 AM

To: 'Legal Team' <[REDACTED]>

Subject: FW: from Dr. Steven Silk...re: Minutes of Special Meeting Executive Session - 03/27/24

Joel

I'm keeping you abreast of this outrageous violation and vendetta against me. See my reply today (below). I am sure to get push-back.

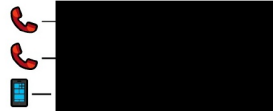
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From: Scott C. Turner, CPA <[REDACTED]>

Sent: Tuesday, April 23, 2024 11:02 AM

To: 'Dr. Nanda' <[REDACTED]>

Cc: 'Dr Niraj Patel DC' <[REDACTED]>; 'Dr. Steven Silk' <[REDACTED]>; 'Dr. Ed Sordillo' <[REDACTED]>; 'Cameron Hastings' <[REDACTED]>

Subject: RE: from Dr. Steven Silk...re: Minutes of Special Meeting Executive Session - 03/27/24

Let's be clear. I have said nothing against Cameron. He was and is an asset to the college.

What I am asking for is good governance, and that the truth be told.

All of you were copied on my email prior to the March 27 meeting giving proxy to Steven for the building motions only, except Cameron, of course.

I sent another email prior to the meeting that day, (copying everyone but not repeated here), reminding governance/JN of the by-laws that emergency meetings can only have one

topic. There's good reason for that, which is displayed in this scenario where by-laws have again been violated.

Here's my 3/27 email:

From: Scott Turner <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 5:18 PM
To: Dr. Nanda <[REDACTED]>
Cc: Dr. Niraj Patel <[REDACTED]>; Angel Ochoa-Rea <[REDACTED]>; Dr. Steven Silk <[REDACTED]>; Edward Sordillo <[REDACTED]>
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To get done what they wanted to get done, those on the call made other egregious violations, including overriding my proxy.

There is no good reason for this, and it should be unacceptable to any regent.

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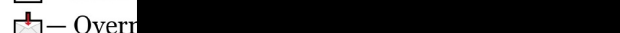
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Sent: Monday, April 22, 2024 12:38 PM
To: Scott C. Turner, CPA <[REDACTED]>
Cc: Dr Niraj Patel DC <[REDACTED]>; Dr. Steven Silk <[REDACTED]>; Dr. Ed Sordillo <[REDACTED]>; Cameron Hastings <[REDACTED]>
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Your statement is false, inaccurate, incorrect, and damaging. Verified by all the other board members on the call in this meeting and in previous other meetings by other board members. This is very telling.

Board only email.

On Mon, Apr 22, 2024, 3:28 p.m. Scott C. Turner, CPA <[REDACTED]> wrote:

My statement is telling what actually happened on March 27.

The rest is nonsensical, inaccurate, damaging.

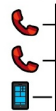
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Scott, I have a question for you - have you forwarded/shared/paraphrased/written/spoken or such of the whistleblower email ANY of the complaints to the President &/or to Joel or spoken of, answered questions of, made suggestions of to alert them on ANY of the content to either of the two since lately you seem to be working very closely with the President and Joel, hence working against mostly ALL the Board duties and responsibilities to hide the facts?

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Dr Niraj Patel, DC

On Apr 18, 2024, at 11:48 AM, Dr. Nanda <[REDACTED]> wrote:

For Board only.

Scott,

These minutes are exactly as was discussed and recorded by Steve. It was a simple and short meeting. Cameron's issue was brought as an agenda item before the call and known by email by the whole board and waiver was granted. All was as per bylaws and procedures and with knowledge of our attorney Natasha. She was aware of the meeting and the agenda prior to the meeting. Technically a vote was not required to bring Cameron back from a leave of absence. We just decided to do it because we wanted to end the consulting contract. All is accounted for and accurate. Even if there was no vote we could have just asked Cameron to rejoin.

If you objected then your objection was also objected to and the majority of the board proceeded as is allowed. But I do not recall any objection from you other than to the fact you did not want him on. And that topic was not in question, it was only about his contract. He was always coming back from his leave of absence when his agreement ended.

Even if we did a full board vote again it would pass for that same reason. There is no change to the outcome and no conflict of interest as he was hired on your recommendation with a leave of absence. Once the work ended for the new campus, he agreed to end his consulting agreement.

Thanks

On Thu, Apr 18, 2024, 11:22 a.m. Scott C. Turner, CPA <[REDACTED]> wrote:

I and my staff have been consumed by the volume of work up to 4-15, and for that reason my time has been limited, and thus my delay to respond.

These minutes do not correctly reflect what happened.

At the start of the meeting, I objected to the topics of the meeting because it violates the by-laws, and now I believe bypasses procedures. Of course, I felt we had to hold the meeting anyway to pass motions about the building.

When the motion to reinstate Cameron was presented, I objected. My reiteration was for proxy for the building motion(s) only, and I specifically stated not for any other motion. Therefore, there was not quorum to do other business.

In addition, I believe it smacks of a conflict of interest and an inurement in violation of by-laws for Cameron to be placed back on the board at this time, and should be avoided at this time.

For your continued success,
Scott C Turner, CPA
Principal

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-----Original Message-----

From: Dr. Steven Silk <[REDACTED]>

Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 5:43 AM

To: Mr. Scott Turner, CPA <[REDACTED]>; Dr. Jimmy Nanda - Chairman of the Board

<[REDACTED]>; Dr. Angel Ochoa-Rea <[REDACTED]>; Dr. Ed Sordillo

<[REDACTED]>

Subject: from Dr. Steven Silk...re: Minutes of Special Meeting Executive Session - 03/27/24

Gentlemen...

Here are the minutes of the teleconference meeting from last night.

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9/13/24, 4:43 PM

Life Chiropractic College West Mail - Fwd: from Dr. Steven Silk...re: Minutes of Special Meeting Executive Session - 03/27/24



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From: Scott Turner CPA – RecordsInOrder [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: Special meeting tonight in executive session
Date: March 31, 2025 at 11:28 AM
To: Staci Dresher [REDACTED]



Hi Staci

1 of 2

There are 2 threads to send you about the March 27, 2024 'special' meeting.

note that due to some members being on EST that sometimes the time shown for the email is EST and sometimes Pacific Time.

For your continued success,

Scott C Turner, CPA

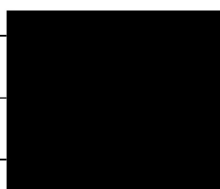
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From: Dr. Steven Silk <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 6:01 PM
To: Scott Turner <[REDACTED]>; Dr. Nanda <[REDACTED]>
Cc: Dr. Niraj Patel <[REDACTED]>; Angel Ochoa-Rea <[REDACTED]>; Edward Sordillo <[REDACTED]>
Subject: Re: Special meeting tonight in executive session

Good Evening All...

I hope we can all be on this call, however, if not, I am prepared to be proxy for Scott.

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On 2024-03-27 8:18 p.m., Scott Turner wrote:

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Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 27, 2024, at 5:08 PM, Dr. Nanda

<[REDACTED]> wrote:

Steve just called to confirm he will join. we will have the call in at 7pm pst.

We will call you Scott.

On Wed, Mar 27, 2024, 6:06 p.m. Dr. Nanda

<[REDACTED]> wrote:

We did not have quorum so we cannot pass any resolutions for the campus. We will have to do it tomorrow.

On Wed, Mar 27, 2024, 5:58 p.m. Scott C. Turner, CPA

<[REDACTED]> wrote:

Its almost 5PM here, and I have not been advised of definite meeting time, and therefore have not waived notice, yet.

Please be sure to send any Zoom or other link to my phone as I will not have access to a PC tonight. Thanks.

For your continued success,

Scott C Turner,
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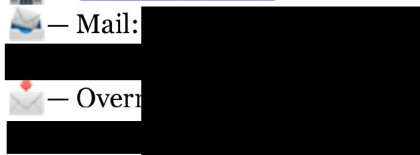
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Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 12:33 PM
To: 'Dr. Nanda' <[REDACTED]>; 'Dr. Niraj Patel' <[REDACTED]>; 'Angel Ochoa-Rea' <[REDACTED]>; 'Dr. Steven Silk' <[REDACTED]>; 'Edward Sordillo' <[REDACTED]>
Subject: RE: Special meeting tonight in executive session

Chairman:

I would like to ask you to include the president in order that he also takes full responsibility for these most important actions, as each of us on the board do.

The by-laws indicate one topic only for the special meeting or emergency meeting – in this case, it seems it should be motions needed to close the building purchase.

I ask to defer the legal matter and the further hiring of Cameron Hastings as those are longer conversations, and I cannot expect to be prepared to speak on those two separate matters.

I already gave you the motion about the CFO moving funds to the US Bank CD, required for the USB loan, and the reimbursement resolution, required (per attorney Fred Williams) in order for future tax exempt loans or NMTC proceeds to refund back to LCCW the funds used to close the building purchase. You have the resolution document, and my input for filling

in the blanks in my Tues 12:05PM email. Here are those first two:

- I move that the board approve the LCCW reimbursement resolution as prepared by legal and entitled "Life (West) Chiropractic Reimbursement Resolution"
- I move that the board authorize the CFO to move up to \$21 million from the LCCW investment account to the US bank CD in the name of LCCW in conjunction with the US bank term loan

For the other two items I suggested on a different thread, the following motions could be made:

- I move that the Board accept the terms of the U S Bank loan as funding for the purchase price of the Dunlap building.
- I move that the Board give approval to close escrow of the Dunlap building funded from proceeds from the U S Bank loan, plus additional LCCW funds required for closing costs, if any, subject to a review and approval of the settlement statement by the Chair, Finance Committee, and Administration (President and/or CFO)
- the above could be shorter about funding, but just allowing for those unknown closing costs because USB is only funding the actual purchase price. Also, there should be rent and rent deposit allocations for the current tenant, and other such items needing keen review and approval before closing.

Someone can also do the one for the LLC. I suggest that the motion be subject to a review and approval of the LLC documents by the same entities listed in the above motion, to jointly agree that the LLC documents are correctly stated and in the best interests of the college, and so that both the administration and the

board take responsibility for correctness.

Please forward to and copy the president and CFO.

I said I would make any time – but so sorry, it happens it is my wife's birthday today and we have special dinner plans at 7:00 pacific, and some before and after stuff. I will be on the phone all I can whatever time you end up meeting, probably on mute, unless you choose a different time.

Even if you can hear me on the call, please text any add'l motions or any changes to what I present as my motions, so I can agree.
If I cannot be heard, Steven can be my proxy for the motions as stated above, and a vote yes on those motions above.

For your continued success,

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From: Dr. Nanda <>

Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 9:15 AM

To: Dr. Niraj Patel <>; Angel
Ochoa-Rea <>; Scott Turner

< [REDACTED] > Dr. Steven Silk
< [REDACTED] > Edward Sordillo
< [REDACTED] >

Subject: Special meeting tonight in executive session

Hi Board Members,

A special meeting has been suggested after email discussions with Scott and Niraj. This is to go over some pressing motions that need to be addressed and passed. Please respond to if you will attend. It will be a short meeting. Proposed for 7pm PST. We can do 8pm PST if need be. If it is late for Ed we can fill him in earlier so he can let us know his thoughts and decision for the meeting.

Agenda:

1. Moving of funds to CD for campus
2. LLC decision that is approved by the board.
3. Cameron's role . I will be speaking with him re this so that the board can make a decision on an option tonight.

Are there any other pending decisions we need re anything else.

To be clear Natasha from Novus is our only advising and retained attorney and the only one the board has ever consulted for advice.

Thanks

There were several manipulations of motions and writing or re-writing minutes or motions to create a different outcome rather than record what actually transpired. Here are two actual ones that happened that I am aware of. More than likely, there are several.

Re Steven Silk, Chair Nanda, and Governance Patel

I have documented two clearly here:

1.Meeting called for March 27, 2024:

Wrongful actions:

a. Misuse of proxy vote:

Although I objected to the last minute addition to the agenda to vote Cameron Hastings back onto the board, and only gave proxy to Silk via email for building motions (on which all regents were copied), Steven voted a 'no' vote as my proxy vote for CH so they could have quorum (they thought). Obviously I did not grant him the proxy for the vote. See the minutes from this meeting.

b. Violation of quorum rules

Also, per by-laws, "...a majority of regents must be present to establish a quorum"
BR – 6.02 May 10, 2013

c. Code of Conduct

Numerous derogatory and demeaning remarks

This meeting was supposedly called to pass board motions for the building close, that were not considered in a prior emergency meeting (with no notice) that I could not attend. These were the gist of the 2 main motions + 2 other motions that the Chair asked me to write, but in the meeting decided the other 2 were not necessary:

- 1) Motion the Chair asked me to prepare that the Board approves the close of the building
- 2) Motion from legal Fred Williams that must be made in order for proceeds of TE/NMC financing of Dunlap can reimburse LCCW previous expense outlay for building purchase.

I had given advanced notice that I had a commitment (my wife's birthday date) and would stay on as long as possible. If I could not be there the whole time, I emailed that I gave proxy to Steven and advised that such proxy was a 'yes' only for the motions regarding the building.

Also, after the meeting was agreed to, the Chair added an agenda item on the day of the meeting to vote Cameron Hastings back onto the board.

I objected in an email prior to the meeting. I objected at the meeting that protocol and regulations were not followed.

The Chair insisted on considering a motion to elect CH before doing the motions from me.

I objected and refused to stay on the line, and reiterated that I had given Steven a 'yes' proxy for the building motions only. Here's the email to Steven prior to the meeting (all regents were copied):

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They set aside the building motions (again), but passed the motion to bring CH onto the board, indicating in the minutes that my “proxy” vote was a dissenting vote.

The minutes for that meeting read that I gave Steven proxy and that he used it to cast a dissenting vote.

They did this thinking that gave them quorum.

After the meeting minutes were received, I texted Steven and he was evasive about the matter. I then emailed the Chair about it, and received emails in reply that are confusing, accusatory and demeaning. The thread is pretty long. These are in reverse order.

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For Board only.

Scott,

These minutes are exactly as was discussed and recorded by Steve. It was a simple and short meeting. Cameron's issue was brought as an agenda item before the call and known by email by the whole board and waiver was granted. All was as per bylaws and procedures and with knowledge of our attorney Natasha. She was aware of the meeting and the agenda prior to the meeting. Technically a vote was not required to bring Cameron back from a leave of absence. We just decided to do it because we wanted to end the consulting contract. All is accounted for and accurate. Even if there was no vote we could have just asked Cameron to rejoin.

If you objected then your objection was also objected to and the majority of the board proceeded as is allowed. But I do not recall any objection from you other than to the fact you did not want him on. And that topic was not in question, it was only about his contract. He was always coming back from his leave of absence when his agreement ended.

Even if we did a full board vote again it would pass for that same reason. There is no change to the outcome and no conflict of interest as he was hired on your recommendation with a leave of absence. Once the work ended for the new campus, he agreed to end his consulting agreement.

Thanks

On Thu, Apr 18, 2024, 11:22 a.m. Scott C. Turner, CPA <[REDACTED]> wrote:
I and my staff have been consumed by the volume of work up to 4-15, and for that reason my time has been limited, and thus my delay to respond.

These minutes do not correctly reflect what happened.

At the start of the meeting, I objected to the topics of the meeting because it violates the by-laws, and now I believe bypasses procedures. Of course, I felt we had to hold the meeting anyway to pass motions about the building.

When the motion to reinstate Cameron was presented, I objected. My reiteration was for proxy for the building motion(s) only, and I specifically stated not for any other motion. Therefore, there was not quorum to do other business.

In addition, I believe it smacks of a conflict of interest and an inurement in violation of by-laws for Cameron to be placed back on the board at this time, and should be avoided at this time.

For your continued success,
Scott C Turner, CPA
Principal

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-----Original Message-----

*From: Dr. Steven Silk <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 5:43 AM
To: Mr. Scott Turner, CPA <[REDACTED]>; Dr. Jimmy Nanda - Chairman of the Board <[REDACTED]>; Dr. Angel Ochoa-Rea <[REDACTED]>; Dr. Ed Sordillo <[REDACTED]>
Subject: from Dr. Steven Silk...re: Minutes of Special Meeting Executive Session - 03/27/24*

Gentlemen...

Here are the minutes of the teleconference meeting from last night.

2.Around the middle of 2023,

Wrongful act:

- a. A key motion by Turner was altered and minutes so written, or might have been re-written after original distribution, which resulted in.....
- b. an illegal by-law change that did not follow procedures which provided a form of compensation to regents (in the form of paying the expenses of family members to accompany a regent for several days' travel to resorts for a 1 day board meeting), which compensation might also be illegal

I was surprised to hear that the expenses of family members who went to Spain to accompany a regent were reimbursed by the college. I asked the Chair, and he said I proposed it and it was passed in the Feb 2020 board meeting in Las Vegas Feb 2020 – which was another surprise to me.

Later, I was able to get a copy of the minutes and read the motion. The motion is not the motion we discussed and that I eventually proposed at the request of the Chair. I wrote governance Niraj Patel late summer or fall 2023 (copy to Chair Nanda), as follows:

As Finance Chair I would like to follow up to my recent email regarding the minutes of Feb 6, 2020 which recorded that I made the motion to amend By-Law 3.10, as I have not heard back again from you nor the chair.

I would not and do not recall making such a motion that would include burdening student tuition with the cost of family members other than the spouse to accompany a Regent.

My understanding at the time of the motion was that this was for spouses or significant others, and did not include other family members. My recollection is that the chair indicated such would be rare, and only used when the regent would be away from family for an extended period of time on college business, AND that approval by the Board to pay for the accompanying partner's expenses would have to be requested in advance.

This did not come up previously due to COVID, inasmuch as there was no such travel that I was aware until recently. (April 2023)

The part of the motion that created the amendment to By-Law 3.10, which I would like to see repaired or re-voted upon is "...and/or immediate family members." That phrase was not included in my original motion, and it should be removed.

Also, guidelines should be written for the unique and rare circumstance when a spouse's travel expense might be covered, *[inasmuch as I was told by the Chair that such would be rare and unlikely and is reserved for those rare circumstances – yet, every spouse's expenses get reimbursed for these overseas "retreats" and "conventions", which I see as an inurement that needs to be changed.]*

Please consider this request and make a permanent record of it.

Thank you.

The Chair responded giving a false narrative that I wanted these motions for 2 clients who were board members (which at least one person was not, maybe both), and that I insisted on it for them, and that I just don't remember things correctly.

He said he would send it to Governance for consideration.

I've not heard back.

