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**This is a regular meeting of the
Alabama Board for Registered Interior Designers
Date: September 9th, 2024
Time: 1:00 PM
Location: Samford University & ZOOM**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Tonya Miller Anne-Marie Gianoudis Sammi Woronoff

BOARD MEMBERS VIRTUAL:

Anne Nieman Bonnie Pate Abby Owen
Lori David Boone

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

PUBLIC IN ATTENDANCE:

Bryant Williams, Executive Director (Virtually)
Hollie Goins Cassandra Hopkins Jim Griffo
Jill Hicks Jennifer Routson

ESTABLISH QUORUM

Bryant Williams established a quorum was present.

STATEMENT OF SUFFICIENT PRIOR NOTICE

Prior notice of this meeting was given as required by the State of Alabama and the Open Meetings Act.

CALL TO ORDER

Anne Nieman called the meeting to order at 1:07.

AGENDA:

A motion was made by Lori David Boone and seconded by Bonnie Pate to approve the agenda as presented. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions, motion carries.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:

The minutes of the July 17th, 2024 were reviewed.

- A motion was made by Tonya Miller and seconded by Anne-Marie Gianoudis to approve the minutes as presented. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions, motion carries.

BOARD REPORTS

REGISTRATION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Registration Committee report was reviewed as presented.

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The Executive Director's report was reviewed as presented:

- A motion was made by Sammi Woronoff and seconded by Annie-Marie G to accept the

proposed questions for a survey of the Registered Interior Designers, and to add them to any applicable forms. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions. Motion carries.

- A motion was made by Bonnie Pate and seconded by Sammi Woronoff to grant the Executive Director the authority to approve and publish any new forms required and the RID survey. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions. Motion carries.
- The Executive Director will develop new applications to include the demographics questions and will pass to the Board members to review before publishing.
- A response will be written to the Sunset Committee regarding their concern about State universities not preparing their graduates enough to sit for the NCIDQ exam. All Board members were asked to send the Executive Director any suggestions they have for content in the response. Anne Nieman will write a draft of the response and send to all Board members for input by September 20th.

ADJOURN

With no further business being brought before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 1:29 AM.

Date: _____ Submitted by: _____

Date: _____ Attested by: _____



MEETING AGENDA
September 9th, 2024
1:00 PM
Samford University & ZOOM

- I. Roll Call Bryant Williams, Executive Director
- II. Establish Quorum Anne Nieman, Chair
- III. Statement of Sufficient Prior NoticeBryant Williams, Exec. Director
- IV. Call to Order Anne Nieman, Chair
- V. Approval of AgendaBryant Williams, Exec. Director
- VI. Approval of Minutes.....Bryant Williams, Exec. Director
 - Minutes of 07/17/2024
- VII. Board and Committee Reports:
 - Registration Committee Report.....Bryant Williams, Exec. Director
 - Executive Director’s Report.....Bryant Williams, Exec. Director
- X. Adjourn Anne Nieman, Chair



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**This is a regular meeting of the
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Date: July 17th, 2024
Time: 11:00 AM
Location: Samford University & ZOOM**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Tonya Miller Anne-Marie Gianoudis Sammi Woronoff

BOARD MEMBERS VIRTUAL:

Anne Nieman Bonnie Pate Abby Owen
Lori David Boone

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

PUBLIC IN ATTENDANCE:

Bryant Williams, Executive Director (Virtually)

ESTABLISH QUORUM

Bryant Williams established a quorum was present.

STATEMENT OF SUFFICIENT PRIOR NOTICE

Prior notice of this meeting was given as required by the State of Alabama and the Open Meetings Act.

CALL TO ORDER

Bryant Williams called the meeting to order at 11:00.

BOARD REPORTS

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:

The minutes of the January 05, 2024 were reviewed.

A motion was made by Lori David Boone and seconded by Bonnie Pate to approve the minutes as presented. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions, motion carries.

NCIDQ DELEGATE

The role and responsibilities of the NCIDQ Delegate were reviewed.

A motion was made by Anne-Marie Gianoudis and seconded by Tonya Miller to appoint Sammi Woronoff as the NCIDQ Delegate. All in Favor, none opposed, no abstentions, motion carries.

Lori David-Boone volunteered to serve as backup delegate.

A motion was made by Lori David-Boone and seconded by Anne-Marie Gianoudis to send Executive Director Bryant Williams to the NCIDQ Conference as the second representative of the Board. All in Favor, none opposed, no abstentions, motion carries

SUNSET HEARING

The procedures of the upcoming Sunset Committee Hearing were discussed, as well as any potential questions the committee may have. Board members were asked to attend. Bryant Williams reported that as of today the Auditor's report has not been received.

REGISTRATION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Registration Committee report was reviewed as presented. The total number of registered interior designers is standard for the Board.

Bryant Williams will begin forwarding the NCIDQ's list of local designers who have passed the exam to the Board members.

ADJOURN

With no further business being brought before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 11:23 AM.

Date: _____ Submitted by: _____

Date: _____ Attested by: _____



Registration Committee Report September 9th, 2024

- A. We currently have 252 Registered Interior Designers.
- B. Since the last meeting the following individuals were granted registration:
- Christine Puskar
 - Rachel Bray
 - Rebecca Young
 - Nicholas Vansyoc
 - Paula Smith

Submitted by:
Bryant Williams, Executive Director
END



Executive Director's Report—09/09/2024

- A letter of appreciation for his support during the recent Sunset Hearing has been sent to Representative Pringle.
- The items below have been suggested as information for a survey of the RIDs. Does anyone have anything further to add?
 - State of Residence (This is already on the application for registration)
 - State of workplace (This is already on the application for registration)
 - Degree
 - University (This is already on the application for registration)
 - Gender, or prefer not to answer
 - Age, or prefer not to answer (maybe use 5 yr. age brackets)
 - Race, or prefer not to answer
 - Self-employed, work for A & D firm, Work for ID Firm, Sole Proprietor
 - Primary design specialty
 - First profession or second profession (In the interest of brevity, is this important?)
- The Board will need to vote to give the Executive Director the authority to approve any new forms necessary. i.e. approve a new Application for Registration that includes the demographics questions.
- A response to the Sunset Committee's concern that the state universities may not be preparing designers to sit for the NCIDQ will be composed shortly. Please send me all suggestions/points you'd like to see included in the response. According to CIDQ Alabama is right in line with the national average. It's also been pointed out that most students leave the State upon graduation so we are not getting an accurate representation of how our schools are performing, and that there are at least two years between graduation and sitting for the exam.
- Board meeting minutes are now visible on the Board's website. Currently only this year's minutes are present, and future minutes will be added as needed.

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