

Utah Supreme Court's Advisory Committee on the Rules of Professional Conduct

Meeting Minutes December 3, 2024

Via Webex 4:00 pm Mountain Time

Cory Talbot, Chair

Attendees: Staff:

Cory Talbot (Chair) Stacy Haacke

Jurhee Rice (Vice Chair)

Ian Quiel <u>Guests:</u>

Robert Gibbons

Alyson McAllister Eric Weeks

Mark Nickel

Lynda Viti

Mark Hales

Kent Davis

Adam Bondy

Hon. Craig Hall

Robert Harrison Lakshmi Vanderwerf

Ashley Gregson

Beth Kennedy (ex officio non-voting)

Christine Greenwood (ex officio non-

voting)

Hon. M. Alex Natt, Recording

Secretary (ex officio non-voting)

Excused: Hon. Amy Oliver, Hon. Trent Nelson (emeritus), Jurhee Rice (Vice

Chair)

1. Welcome, Approval of the October 1, 2024 meeting minutes (Chair Talbot)

Chair Talbot recognized the existence of a quorum and called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m. He welcomed three new members to the committee and pursuant to committee Rule and tradition he asked each member to introduce themselves.

Chair Talbot asked for a Motion to approve the October 1, 2024 meeting minutes. Kent Davis moved for approval. Lynda Viti seconded. The Motion passed unanimously.

2. Public Comments for Rule 14-806 and Rule 3.3 (Chair Talbot)

No comments were received on the proposed Rule 3.3. Chair Talbot reviewed the two comments submitted by the public on the proposed language changes in Rule 14-806. Mr. Davis made a motion to forward the two rules to the Supreme Court for approval recognizing that there is approximately one week left for the public to comment on Rule 3.3 which could alter the Committee's recommendation to the Court if received. Mr. Hales seconded. The Motion passed unanimously.

3. Upcoming Items

The Chair reviewed the status of Referral Fees, Rule 8.4 and Rule 1.0. No action is required at this time, but the appointed subcommittee Chairs will update the Committee at a future meeting.

The next meeting of the Committee is January 7, 2025.

The meeting adjourned at 4:25 p.m.