

**AR State Board of Physical Therapy
ALISIA SKINNER HEARING MINUTES
July 7, 2005**

Thursday, July 7, 2005

9 Shackleford Plaza, Suite 3, Little Rock, AR

Physical Therapy Board Members Attending: Seth Coulter, Jennie Gregory, Jennifer Parks and Todd Burton.

Representative from Attorney General's Office: Warren Readhour

Staff Attending: Nancy Worthen

Others Present: Alisia Skinner, and her husband, Ruthanne Murphy, attorney for Ms. Skinner, Sharon Goode, Chamblee Bentley and Norma Aaron, witnesses for the Board, Amy Allen, Goode Communications and Becky Sewell, Rehab Net.

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Seth Coulter called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

On March 14, 2005, a letter of complaint was received by the Board stating that Alisia Skinner, PTA submitted a service/billing log on patients when services were not performed.

Following review and consideration of the information presented, including Ms. Skinner's testimony and four witnesses, the Board found Ms. Skinner guilty of violating Ark. Code Ann. § 17-93-308(a)(3) and Board Regulation IX(A)(4). Ms. Skinner's license will be placed on probation status until completion of an ethics course approved by the Board. The course must be completed within six months of the date of this order and shall not count towards the continuing education requirements of one unit for license renewal.

The hearing adjourned at 3:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Worthen
Executive Director