BOARD OF PRIVATE OCCUPATIONAL SCHOOLS INTERIM BOARD MEETING

August 1, 2011 9:30 A.M.

The Private Occupational Schools Board convened at the Department of Higher Education, Division of Private Occupational School, 1560 Broadway, Suite 1600, Denver, CO 80202. Chair Jerry Sirbu called the meeting to order at 11:10 A.M. The Board members and Division staff were greeted. Board roll call was taken. A quorum was present, but not a two-thirds majority.

<u>Board Members Present Via Telephone</u>:

Jerry Sirbu, Chair Lisa Bennison Noll, Vice Chair

Tom Narvaez Winnifred Rovig

Board Members Absent:

Robert Martin Buddy Douglass Karen Hall

Division Staff Present:

Jim Parker, Director Georgia Roberts, Deputy Director

Renee Belisle, Program Specialist Bernadette Esquibel, Program Specialist

Voni Oerman, Program Specialist Karla Viteri, Program Specialist

Loretta Perez, Administrative Assistant

Board Counsel Present Via Telephone:

Jessica Salazar, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Colorado Attorney General

Guests Present:

None

F. Student Complaints/Matters of Non Compliance/Legal Action

1. Greenway University - Denver

Deputy Director Roberts brought before the Board's attention a matter of suspected non-compliance with the statutory minimum standards and Board rules, concerning Greenway University – Denver, a school currently under suspension. No school representative was present. After due deliberation and discussion, and based upon a reasonable belief that Greenway University, Denver has failed to meet one or more of the criteria established pursuant to Article 59, Title 12, C.R.S. ("Act") and the Rules and Regulations concerning the Private Occupational Education Act ("Rules"), Ms. Bennison Noll motioned to direct the Division to issue a Notice of Noncompliance ("Notice") to Greenway University, Denver, and to provide until the end of the business day on August 8, 2011, a date found reasonable to the Board, to respond to the Notice. The motion was seconded and unanimously passed, with the Board indicating intent to review this particular matter with any School response at the August 23, 2011, Board Meeting.

Adjournment:

There being no other business, Mr. Narvaez motioned to adjourn the Board meeting. The motion was seconded and duly passed. The Board of Private Occupational Schools Meeting of August 1, 2011 adjourned at 11:21 A.M.

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board is Tuesday August 23, 2011 at 9:30 A.M. and will be held at:

Auraria Higher Education Campus Tivoli Student Center, Room 640 900 Auraria Parkway, Denver, CO 80204 Telephone: (303) 866-2723