

Forensic Specialties Accreditation Board of Directors Meeting
June 16, 2025

Attn: Robin Ainsworth, Ann Bunch, David Khey (DK), Demi Garvin (DG), Ken Melson, John Nixon, Larry Quarino, Robert Sears, Bethany Smith (BS), Peter Valentin, Brittany Walter

Quorum established.

BS gave update on standards revision.

DK did AI comparison between current FSAB standards and ISO 17024 standards.

Ad-hoc committee on standard revision is recommending adopting ISO 17024 verbatim along with additional forensic-based standards. DG suggested FSAB stand-alone standards as supplemental standards. Vote on new standards were tabled. DK will perform Board vote virtually.

DG: Policy and Procedures revisions.

Procedures 4, 9, 14, and 16 – scope added with other minor changes. Motion to approve – LQ, Second-KM. Motion carried.

Changes to Procedures 7 and 17 and Policy 5.9 deferred to time of standards virtual vote. Comments on changes from Board due June 30 to DG. July Board meeting will be determined; Board meeting on August 18.

DK asked new members for dates for ISO 17011 training.

DG asked about date for external audit. Date not set. Cost from vendors is an issue. RA may have a vendor suggestion.

Meeting adjourned.