

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING  
NURSING PRACTICE COMMITTEE  
MEETING MINUTES**

**Date:** October 30, 2025

**Start Time:** 9:00 a.m.

**Location:** The Nursing Practice Committee meeting was held via remote access in accordance with Government Code section 11123.5. All Committee members joined the meeting remotely.

**9:00 a.m.            1.0            Call to Order / Roll Call / Establishment of a Quorum**  
Chairperson Nilu Patel called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m., and a quorum was established at 9:02 a.m. All committee members were present.

**Committee** Nilu Patel, Chair  
**Members** Jovita Dominguez, BSN, RN  
**Present:** Vicki Granowitz

**BRN Staff** Loretta (Lori) Melby, RN, MSN – Executive Officer  
**Present:** Reza Pejuhesh – DCA Legal Affairs Division, Attorney

**9:04 a.m.            2.0            Public comment for items not on the agenda; items for future agendas**

**Public Comment for Agenda Item**  
**2.0:** None

**9:06 a.m.            3.0            Review and vote on whether to approve previous meeting minutes**

3.1 April 17, 2025

**Committee Discussion:** None

**Motion:** **Vicki Granowitz:** *Motion to Accept* the Nursing Practice Committee meeting minutes from April 17, 2025, with authorization for BRN staff to make non-substantive corrections such as name misspellings or typographical errors.

**Second:** **Jovita Dominguez**

**Public Comment for Agenda Item**

**3.0: James Rockoff:** Spoke to the quality of continuing education classes.

**Nilu Patel:** Asked for this comment to be heard during the appropriate agenda item.

**Loretta Melby:** Asked for the commenter to email her directly to have a more in-depth conversation.

**Vote:**

	<b>NP</b>	<b>JD</b>	<b>VP</b>
Vote:	<b>Y</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>Y</b>
<u>Key:</u> Yes: Y   No: N   Abstain: A   Absent for Vote: AB			

**Motion Passed**

9:11 a.m.

4.0

**Information only: Advisory committee updates**

NP Committee received informational updates from EO Melby regarding the following advisory groups:

- Nurse Practitioner Advisory Committee (NPAC)
- Nurse-Midwifery Advisory Committee (NMAC)
- Clinical Nurse Specialist Advisory Committee (CNSAC)

- Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist Advisory Committee (CRNAAC)
- Nursing Education and Workforce Advisory Committee (NEWAC)

**Committee Discussion:** None

**Public Comment for Agenda Item 4.0:** None

**9:27 a.m.            5.0            Discussion and possible action:** Review of the Board’s 2026 Sunset Report

**Committee Discussion:** **Nilu Patel:** Asked whether the phrase “but not limited to” should be included.

**Loretta Melby:** Clarified that the recommended action is not draft bill language and would not be included in the bill.

**Reza Pejuhesh:** Agreed with Loretta’s explanation and stated he was not opposed to minor language adjustments.

**Vicki Granowitz:** Believed it would be helpful for the public to provide suggestions.

**Loretta Melby:** Explained that public input would occur during the legislative process.

**Vicki Granowitz:** Expressed concern that, based on her experience, the process may not realistically allow for that. She praised the report, noting its strong format, use of graphs and bullet points, and appreciated the work involved.

**Nilu Patel:** Echoed those sentiments.

**Jovita Dominguez:** Echoed those sentiments.

**Loretta Melby:** Outlined the November board meeting process related to the sunset discussion, with the goal of obtaining board approval for a January submission. Requested that all reviews be completed by November.

**Motion:** **Vicki Granowitz:** *Motion to Recommend* the Board's 2026 Sunset Report move to the Board for continued review with the suggested edits made by the Committee.

**Second:** **Nilu Patel**

**Public  
Comment for  
Agenda Item**

**5.0:** **Monica:** Asked for the IEC acronym to be spelled out.

**Loretta Melby:** Explained that the acronym is spelled out in the beginning of the report.

**Malik King:** Thanked the committee for the discussion of possible upcoming changes in relation to DUI issues.

**Vote:**

	<b>NP</b>	<b>JD</b>	<b>VG</b>
<b>Vote:</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>Y</b>
<u>Key:</u> Yes: Y   No: N   Abstain: A   Absent for Vote: AB			

**Motion Passed**

**10:03 a.m.**

**6.0 Adjournment**

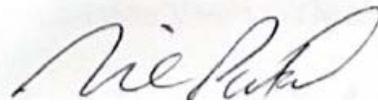
Nilu Patel, Chairperson, adjourned the meeting at 10:03 a.m.

**Submitted by:**



**Loretta Melby, MSN, RN**  
Executive Officer  
California Board of Registered Nursing

**Accepted by:**



**Nilu Patel**  
Chair, NPC  
California Board of Registered Nursing