



California State Board of Guide Dogs for the Blind Arbitration Special Committee Meeting Minutes Wednesday, March 29, 2017

Arbitration Special Committee Members

David Johnson, Board Designated Representative
Joel Richman, User Designated Representative
Kim Madsen, School Designated Representative

Executive Officer

Brian Skewis

Legal Counsel

Shela Barker

Meeting Minutes

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

EO Skewis called the meeting to order and noted attendance by all Committee Members and the parties of the dispute.

2. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda

No comments made

3. Final determination regarding the custody of guide dog "C." pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 7215.6.

The Committee heard presentations from both the school and the user regarding the dispute of continued custody of "C". General discussion and questioning took place between the Committee and the parties of the dispute.

The Committee deliberated in closed session and a final decision was issued on April 7, 2017.

4. Adjournment

The Committee adjourned at approximately 2:45 p.m.