

1 JAMES FUTCH: So we have two guests with us
2 from Tallahassee, I'm assuming, it looks like. We
3 have Dayle Mooney, who's the executive director of
4 the Board of Chiro and several other board offices,
5 including radiologic technologist licensure and also

6 EMTs and paramedics.

7 And with her is her programs operations
8 administrator, Miss Evalee Taylor, who is part of a
9 new role inside the board office that Dayle, I'm

1 months or so in order to meet what we think is an
2 increasing need or dedicated staff that specializes
3 in radiation technology applications. We're happy
4 to say that we accomplished that by moving some of
5 our most senior processors into those roles. These
6 are individuals that already had experience working
7 radiation technology but had other duties that were
8 assigned and we reassigned those duties away so that
9 they were able to solely focus on that.

10 We also moved the program under the direction
11 of the program operations administrator, which is
12 now a role that's filled by Miss Taylor and -- so
13 that we could have a higher level of management
14 overseeing the implementation of radiation
15 technology and making sure that we are really
16 staying current and coordinating really well with
17 our policy office.

18 So we think that we're already going to be
19 seeing some improvements in our processes. As I'm
20 sure that you guys are all aware, that licensure
21 processes is ever involving. There are changes to
22 that based off of laws that may or may not impact.
23 There's also improvements based off of feedback that
24 we're getting from applicants and I know that it
25 might have felt a little stale in the past that we

1 have -- that your concerns hadn't necessarily fallen
2 into action and we think -- well, we hope that
3 you're gonna see a lot more of that in the very near
4 future and have some things that we've already done
5 in order to answer those needs.
6 I'm gonna let Evalee do a lot of the next
7 presentation. She has really kind of jumped in with
8 both feet and gotten very connected with this
9 program in the short amount of time that she's been
10 there. I'm really proud of the work that she's
11 already managed to accomplish and some of the things
12 that were really getting off the ground. And I
13 think that she, and hopefully James will agree, that
14 we're integrating nicely together and starting to
15 create a good line of communication so that we can
16 really get things moving forward.
17 So with that, I'm going to turn it to Evalee,
18 and then we can take questions at any point, so if
19 you guys want to jump in and ask us questions, then
20 we can do that. Evalee's got some data for you, as
21 well as some feedback on what kind of our
22 perspective is from the certification office on kind
23 of the state of affairs at present.
24 EVALEE TAYLOR: Thank you so much for the
25 opportunity to be a part of this meeting. As Dayle

1 said, I have prepared some data. James and I and
2 Giovanna and Kelly, we meet most Wednesdays and we
3 discuss some of the data that you guys may be
4 interested in hearing. And then also, James made a
5 suggestion to kind of give you guys an idea of the
6 nuts and bolts of applying for an application -- you
7 know, applying for certification and the process and
8 how that works. So my thought on that was to kind
9 of get an example of the life of an application, so
10 I will start with the data first.

11 And currently, we have a total of 594 open,
12 valid applications. Meaning applications are only
13 valid for six months, so these are all applications
14 that have been submitted since November 1st. So I'm
15 giving, like, a two-week movement there,
16 flexibility. But a total of 594 open applications.

17 And then some of our current, like right now
18 we have -- our total number of clear, active license
19 are 30,623. And as you guys are aware, renewals
20 have been based on birthdates, so we are in constant
21 renewal of all 30,000 of these licenses. And then
22 some of our data is based on fiscal year 24-25 and I
23 split it up into some of the quarters, especially
24 quarter three which, of course, we've just finished
25 out two months ago, just to kind of give the most

1 updated information.

2 And to start with, for fiscal year 24-25, for

3 the first quarter, we had a total of 707

4 applications. For the second quarter, a total of

5 548; and then for the third quarter, the most recent

6 quarter, 863. For a three-quarter total of 2,118

7 incoming applications.

8 JAMES FUTCH: Evalee, can I interrupt you just

9 a second? We've got the court reporter in the room.

10 She's trying to follow along.

11 Rita, what were you --

12 THE COURT REPORTER: Have her sit closer to the

13 mic.

14 EVELYN: I can also send you, James, I can send

15 this to you, so that way if she wanted to have the

16 most accurate version of the numbers I'm saying, I

17 can do that if that's clearer.

18 JAMES FUTCH: Okay. Are you able to share from

19 where you're at or is that too hard?

20 THE COURT REPORTER: Or have her sit closer to

21 the mic. She's kind of muffled.

22 JAMES FUTCH: Yeah, there's a little bit of a

23 tinny -- maybe if you sit a little closer to the

24 laptop if you're working off the laptop. And also,

25 Rita, I've got recording this whole thing.

1 EVALEE TAYLOR: Sorry. Here we go. I do
2 have -- so this is the data that I'm going over.
3 And then for quarter three, there -- a lot of this
4 will look like foreign language, but the numbers are
5 really the most important. And for the average day
6 to issue a license from the application date. So
7 this doesn't necessarily mean how long it took us to
8 process a document. This is from the day that they
9 apply to the day that we issue the license. The
10 average day is 41.13 days.
11 For the average to process an initial
12 application, meaning the application is submitted
13 and a processor from the office reviews the
14 application and all the supporting documents for the
15 first time, the average is 11 days. And there have
16 been a total of 897 from, the original 897 from
17 January 1st through March 31st.
18 DAYLE MOONEY: Evalee?
19 EVALEE TAYLOR: Yes.
20 DAYLE MOONEY: Can I just -- I want to clarify
21 one thing on the M1 data, the 41 days. So -- and I
22 think it's important to notate here, our
23 calculations are based off of the first time an
24 application is submitted into our system to the date
25 that it is ultimately approved, inclusive of all

1 applications in this timeframe. This data also
2 includes things like when an applicant submits an
3 application but does not pay. And so then they
4 might come back in a week later and pay for that.
5 So their first -- if that application, if that
6 ultimately is approved, then it is included in our
7 calculations here. So 41.13 is an average, but
8 there are a lot of outliers within that that's gonna
9 bring us down to that 41.
10 Our performance goal is, you know, we try and
11 keep that under 49 days, but that's for all
12 professions. I think that Evalee and I would like
13 to see that number a little lower than, than the
14 41.1. And I will say that it is trending down. And
15 when we get together next, we'll have some trend
16 data for you, but we've done a lot of data cleanup
17 lately and did not feel confident in previous data
18 to give you an accurate trend, so we'll, we'll get
19 that ready for you for the next time.
20 But I wanted to just clarify. These numbers
21 are good numbers for us, but they can also be
22 misleading. It is definitely not typical for it to
23 take up to 41 days for your -- for an applicant that
24 applies online, pays and has a complete application.
25 EVALEE TAYLOR: Right. So the other dates that

1 JAMES FUTCH: Okay. And these are just the
2 applications that will be considered to be not
3 expired by statute. So basically, the ones that
we've received, looks like, since November 1st, 5
2024.

6 EVALEE TAYLOR: Yes.

7 JAMES FUTCH: Okay.

8 EVALEE TAYLOR: The total apps that are open
9 currently. I used that as the date, even though

10 that first --

11 JAMES FUTCH: Right.

12 EVALEE TAYLOR: -- twelve days of November, if
13 they submitted it then, would be considered expired
14 at this point. I wanted to give some freedom, some
15 flexibility there because sometimes, there will be a
16 few outliers that may not be completely expired.

17 You know, maybe they submitted their document three
18 days before their application expired and we just
19 haven't had a chance to process it yet. So I

20 included a few extras --

21 JAMES FUTCH: Sure.

22 EVALEE TAYLOR: -- based on that.

23 JAMES FUTCH: And to that --

24 EVALEE TAYLOR: It's pretty close.

25 JAMES FUTCH: -- to that I wanted to add that,

1 you know, when folks reach the end of that time
2 period, we don't just like, you know, toss them out.

3 In fact, Giovanna's been going through the, the
4 minutia of the folks at the far end of this just to
5 make very, very, very sure that every single person,
6 you know, didn't submit something some place that
7 got stuck in a, you know, an e-mail box before she,
8 before she turns it back over to, to Dayle's group
9 to say, yes, I think these are truly ones that, that
10 don't meet the statute requirement.

11 EVALEE TAYLOR: Right. She's definitely
12 been -- that was one of the assignments that she and
13 I discussed and decided that would be really helpful
14 just in case there were any that, like you said,
15 that had submitted the document but it somehow got
16 missed or for whatever reason, just to make sure
17 that before their application is expired in the
18 system, that it is truly expired.

19 And so, that being said, I will give you guys
20 just a little bit of an overview of the life of an
21 application. And part of that is what happens if an
22 application does expire before it's able to be
23 complete.

24 So when an application is submitted, if the
25 applicant submits the applicant online, then -- and

1 pays and submits all their supporting documentation
2 and has already passed the exam, we are able to
3 approve the certification, approve the application
4 on first initial review. That is much easier, much
5 more timely and much more efficient on the processor
6 side of it.

7 But then, of course, that's not always
8 feasible. Sometimes people submit an application
9 and like we were talking about it expires, then they
10 have to send in a paper application because the
11 system will not allow them to apply online twice.
12 So when an application is submitted through the
13 mail with a payment, it goes to a separate
14 department -- the finance department -- and they do
15 what they do with the check and then they forward
16 the actual application over to a contracted partner
17 that we have.

18 They input the application; they make sure that
19 it shows up in our imaging system and then it's
20 routed back to our office and the payment is
21 attached. So paper applications may get through at
22 least three locations before we're even able to
23 process them and then at that point, they show up on
24 the same report as the online applications and our
25 processors are able to go in and do that -- conduct

1 whenever we first get in an application, there are
2 questions that are called suitability questions.
3 And it's -- the purpose is to kind of field the, you
4 know, ask questions to make sure that the applicant
5 knows exactly that they're applying for the right
6 pathway to the right method of qualification.
7 The current question or questions that are
8 available that are asked aren't the most efficient
9 and I don't think that they pull the red flags or
10 the yellow flags that they maybe should, so we are
11 working on updating those. We have some of them
12 drafted, but we really want to make sure that we
13 don't add extra steps to an application that aren't
14 necessary, but also that we catch all of the things
15 that can cause delay and that we've worded it in
16 such a way that it will be easily understandable and
17 clear, because I'm one of those people also, when I
18 go to read something, if it doesn't make sense to
19 me, I'm probably going to pick the wrong one, too,
20 honestly, just because I will read too into
21 something and not quite get it as clear.
22 So we want to make sure and have -- I'm real
23 big about trying to use the rule, the Florida
24 Administrative Code and keep that same language, but
25 make it clear. So that that way, we're asking

1 exactly what we need to ask. But also at the same
2 time, that the person were asking understands and is
3 able to give an accurate answer.

4 KATHLEEN DROTAR: Thank you. If you need --

5 EVALEE TAYLOR: The ultimate goal --

6 KATHLEEN DROTAR: If you need a base to test
7 it, let me know.

8 JAMES FUTCH: Kathy is offering all of Keiser's
9 schools, I think, to be the testers.

10 DAYLE MOONEY: We worked -- when we developed
11 these suitability questions, we worked very closely
12 with James' team. We can certainly, you know, feel
13 them out. And these are -- the suitability
14 questions are preliminary questions. They're like,
15 are you ready to apply? They don't prevent you from
16 applying and they're not actually application
17 questions.

18 The questions that are on the actual
19 application are questions that are based off of the
20 application that's incorporated into the rule by
21 reference and have force of law. So making those
22 changes is a little bit more laborious of a process,
23 so we feel like we can either get there quicker by
24 adding some helpful hints inside the actual
25 application or asking the front-end questions of, is

1 this the right pathway and if you answer -- they're
2 yes and no questions. And if you answer yes, then
3 no problem. If you answer no, it will say, you may
4 want to back up and apply this way. You may want to
5 back up and do this. Or if you're not prepared to
6 give us this information, if we say, are you
7 prepared to give us a copy of your current ARRT
8 certification? Yes, great. No, please be aware
9 that failure to be able to provide this information
10 could result in licensure delay. Just so that
11 applicants have that awareness that this is a
12 required element and if they don't do this
13 correctly, then it could be, you know, it could
14 cause some issues for them.

15 So we think we're gonna fine tune those. Those
16 are fully within our control. They don't have force
17 of law because they don't actually stop someone from
18 moving forward with an application, but it's a -- we
19 find with other professions, that it's a good way of
20 reducing frequent deficiency items.

21 JAMES FUTCH: I wanted to -- I don't want to
22 interrupt you, Evalee, if you had more that you were
23 going to go forward with. I wanted to back up and
24 give a little bit of a 30,000 foot overview.
25 The profession became -- we started, entered

1 for a long time, that there's room for improvement.

2 One of the things from my perspective is to --

3 and by the way, for Kathy's assistance as the

4 President of Florida Society of Rad Techs, we have

5 an upcoming Teams meeting with Dayle and her staff

6 and all of the program directors that Kathy can

7 wrangle.

8 KATHLEEN DROTAR: In the State of Florida.

9 JAMES FUTCH: In the State of Florida. Not

10 national. Just in the State of Florida. Seventy

11 some odd possibilities. To do a meeting like this,

12 and talk directly from the folks who are giving us

13 the applicants, to the folks who are processing, to

14 help figure out some more of optimization of the

15 pathways and how best to do it.

16 My personal feeling is perhaps shared by some

17 of the others. Is if you apply, what happens if you

18 apply by exam is, 99 times out of a hundred, you're

19 going to go -- people want to become licensed by the

20 national registry, ARRT or NMTCB. They apply for

21 perhaps both. They're going to get set up by ARRT,

22 so that literally on the day after their graduation,

23 they've already got probably their exam scheduled.

24 And they're going to know the pass or fail

25 unofficially as soon as they get finished at that

1 testing center on that very day. And they become
2 official three days later and get their license
3 electronically, typically within a week online.
4 The application by exam, I think is mostly used
5 because people think, oh, I'm going to get a
6 temporary so I can go to work on the first day of my
7 graduation. And that's an archaic holdover from
8 years gone by from when tests were only available
9 twice a year, paper and pencil, so you had a
10 temporary to cover you for the six months it took
11 you to get to the next exam.
12 That's not typically what happens. What does
13 happen is they get licensed by ARRT and in the
14 process, when they are sent by us, let's say we
15 actually got them through the process. It was one
16 of Evalee's completely -- everything was there,
17 there was no delay, no deficiency letters had to be
18 sent and we managed to get them processed and we
19 sent them to ARRT on the same day or maybe a day
20 after.
21 When ARRT gets that application from them, they
22 will only let them take that test, that ARRT exam
23 which they're administering for us as the state
24 candidate, they will only let the applicant take it
25 from one or two organizations. They will not let

1 them take it and have it count for both. So they
2 ask them, do you want to convert and take this as an
3 ARRT candidate? What would you all say?

4 KATHLEEN DROTAR: Yes.

5 JAMES FUTCH: It's the national registry. Of
6 course you want it to count for the national
7 registry. They will not accept you being licensed
8 by the State of Florida first by endorsement into a
9 national registry license. You will have to take
10 that test again. Same test. You will have to take
11 it again if you want it to count for ARRT if you
12 don't pick ARRT to begin with.

13 The next thing that happens is, because of some
14 changes that have happened over the years, and I
15 think this is in the contract, we don't find out
16 about the results once you do that from ARRT.

17 They're not going to send us your score.

18 Hopefully, in talking to ARRT, certainly by the
19 time we get to the next contract, we will have them
20 put in some language, perhaps, so that they say,
21 hey, we will still send you the scores to your state
22 if you want us to, if you release them to the state
23 for, for that purpose. But that's an improvement

24 for the future.

25 Anyway, that's the, the larger 30,000-foot

1 view. So hopefully, out of the next month or so,
2 certainly by the time of the next meeting, we'll
3 have a pretty good idea of what else can be done to
4 fine tune things inside the system on the state
5 side, and the program directors will have a better
6 idea of how to handle things on their side if there
7 is a better way.

8 KATHLEEN DROTAR: So most --
9 DAYLE MOONEY: And James, I don't want to steal
10 Evalee's thunder, but that you just discussed right
11 there, that distinction between basically the
12 translation of what happens at ARRT when they apply
13 and as a national certified license, licensee, over
14 to Florida, that changes the nature of our
15 application type down here.

16 So if you've applied for a temporary, then you
17 would need to either withdraw your application or
18 send us some amendment so we could change your
19 application type, move the money over; do a whole
20 bunch of things on our end. That probably is our
21 number one. And so I think that the suitability
22 question that we're trying to ask here for those
23 applicants that are telling us that they want to
24 apply by examination, is are you currently scheduled
25 to take your ARRT exam or have you already taken it?

1 mistakes will happen. And people will say, I'm
2 taking an exam, so I need my license by examination.

3 And not necessarily drawing those distinctions
4 between the definitions that we have at the state
5 versus what is national versus what's common
6 knowledge on the street, because we all speak
7 different language.

8 KATHLEEN DROTAR: True.

9 JAMES FUTCH: Another thing that changed some
10 years ago, this was not as much of a problem when
11 this conversion to state candidate happened, because
12 there is a national site that all the states can see
13 ARRT test results and not have to depend upon it
14 straight from the, from the applicant.

15 And we used to see the results from anyone who
16 had a Florida address would show up there, even if
17 they converted to ARRT. But I figure, or I feel at
18 some point, legality, the lawyers on the other end
19 probably said, oh, that's not the best idea.

20 If we can somehow talk to ARRT so that we
21 actually still get those, and again, my thought is,
22 can you please just ask them in this process where
23 you're electronically saying, converting over to an
24 ARRT candidate, you know, by doing this, do you wish
25 to have your scores sent to Florida. Then it would

1 appear in that, in that site and we'd be able to
2 easily find them and finish the process on the, on
3 the exam side.

4 We must have talked about everything. There's
5 nobody saying anything. Oh, wait a minute. Chantel
6 has a question.

7 DAYLE MOONEY: Evalee, I think we kind of took
8 a tangent. Did we cover everything that you wanted
9 to cover?

10 JAMES FUTCH: I think so. We have a council
11 member who has, or had a question. Did we scare you
12 away, Chantel?

13 CHANTEL CORBETT: No, no, no.

14 JAMES FUTCH: She can't hear you. Try the mic.

15 CHANTEL CORBETT: You're assuming that. I can
16 talk loud.

17 The question is whether if you have a current
18 radiological technologist license and you're seeking
19 a second license category. Is that now available
20 online or are they still have to submit those on
21 paper? So if they have a nuclear medicine license
22 and they're now seeking their CT license.

23 JAMES FUTCH: By the way, this is Chantel
24 Corbett, our nuclear medicine technologist council
25 member.

1 CHANTEL CORBETT: Candidate.

2 DAYLE MOONEY: So I believe that that is an

3 online process. I mean, it's a paper process

4 currently, but we are looking to enhance and I'm

5 going to reserve the right to correct myself between

6 now and two weeks from now if that is inaccurate,

7 but my, if my memory is serving that, yes,

8 unfortunately, it is still a paper process to add a

9 modifier to an existing license.

10 CHANTEL CORBETT: Is that considered a modifier

11 or a second license?

12 DAYLE MOONEY: It would be. If you're adding

13 it to a previous license, then you -- then it would

14 be an addition. There's some that you can add

15 sometimes, James.

16 JAMES FUTCH: Chantel, I'm sorry. I missed the

17 category that you asked. What was the situation?

18 CHANTEL CORBETT: If they're nuclear medicine

19 already and you're adding CT.

20 JAMES FUTCH: And you're adding CT. Oh, I see

21 why you're asking that.

22 CHANTEL CORBETT: Because it's very unclear.

23 DAYLE MOONEY: It's unclear what the underlying

24 license is.

25 JAMES FUTCH: It should be considered an

1 additional license because what you're talking about
2 with --

3 CHANTEL CORBETT: What's what I thought.

4 JAMES FUTCH: -- the full CT is to do the full
5 diagnostic imaging, not just the coefficients for
6 laying nuclear medicine data in the --

7 CHANTEL CORBETT: Right.

8 JAMES FUTCH: -- landmarks of the body.

9 CHANTEL CORBETT: Correct.

10 JAMES FUTCH: So they won't have that -- that's
11 why it is an additional license. It should appear
12 as CT on the license when they're done.

13 CHANTEL CORBETT: Correct. But the problem
14 right now, it's only provided by paper, so it's
15 still a longer process. I didn't know if that was
16 in the works to put that availability online or not.

17 JAMES FUTCH: We'll have to take a look.

18 EVALEE TAYLOR: The modifier for recent
19 transactions is available online, but our system
20 does not allow for someone to apply online for the
21 same, we'll call it profession code. So if someone
22 already has a license and applied online, it's not
23 going to allow you to apply online for the same type
24 of license.

25 CHANTEL CORBETT: Right. And the type of

1 license --

2 EVALEE TAYLOR: It's the same as an expired
3 applicant.

4 CHANTEL CORBETT: Right. When you're saying
5 the same type of license, that's everything under
6 the ARRT umbrella, correct?

7 EVALEE TAYLOR: Yes.

8 JAMES FUTCH: So ARRT's are in the profession
9 code 7601 and radiologic assistants, for example,
10 like Rosevelt, they're in 7602.

11 CHANTEL CORBETT: Yeah, because we've had a
12 couple people had their applications in and --

13 DAYLE MOONEY: However, the ability to do
14 anything that you need to do with your license is,
15 including, you know, applying for things, additional
16 licenses that are legally authorized for you to
17 have, is on our list of requirements for the next
18 licensure database that we have just contracted a
19 vendor for and should be having a system replacement
20 in the next -- you're going to kill me when I say
21 this because it seems like it's so on down the road,
22 but it's really not -- the next two to five years.

23 CHANTEL CORBETT: I was going to say ten.

24 DAYLE MOONEY: So we, we have a selected
25 vendor. The State's gone through a very, very

1 cover everybody in the room that's a licensed health
2 care professional, right?

3 DAYLE MOONEY: Absolutely. And it shouldn't
4 look any -- well, it should look easier for anyone
5 that is a current licensee. But we're not talking
6 about, you know, obviously, there's not going to be
7 any additional work that's necessary. We will do
8 all of the data migration from one system to another
9 and, you know, the roll out to the, to the licensees
10 should be minimally impactful and then the next time
11 you go to renew your license, it should just be
12 easier. And the next time that you need to go do
13 something for your license, it should be easier.
14 And things should, should be better. There's a lot
15 of shoulds in that sentence, though.

16 JAMES FUTCH: It sounds like dollar signs to
17 me, but --

18 DAYLE MOONEY: It's a very high-dollar project
19 and rightfully so. I mean, this system maintains
20 the livelihood of a whole lot of people.

21 JAMES FUTCH: It's part of the deliverables and
22 I'm sure every executive director will ask you this,
23 will you be able to apply more than once online
24 before you have to go to paper or will you go to
25 paper at all?

1 DAYLE MOONEY: Certainly was our hope and on
2 our wish list and our demand, kind of on our demand
3 list, we want to be a paperless system. We don't
4 want to receive things in paper. We don't want
5 people to have to mail us checks and money orders
6 and download paper applications if they choose or
7 want to.

8 We will always -- I think we're always going to
9 have to have the ability for people to do that, but
10 we certainly want everyone to be able to apply
11 online. That's what our preference is. We don't
12 like paper applications.

13 MARK SEDDON: I have a question. So for -- do
14 you guys provide segmentation of our data regarding
15 clean versus applications with problems? And also,
16 if you have a -- as far as how long it takes for
17 somebody. Obviously, like you mentioned before, you
18 know, like three days' turnaround for a clean
19 application versus, you know, ones with problems.

20 I'm curious for those applications, those
21 problems where they have to resubmit numerous times,
22 if there's categorizations of, from new graduates
23 versus people from out of state, how that looks as
24 far as what their timeframes are.

25 DAYLE MOONEY: Um --

1 JAMES FUTCH: Mark, do you mean from a
2 reporting standpoint?

3 MARK SEDDON: From a reporting standpoint.

4 DAYLE MOONEY: We probably could get that
5 information. You know, it's certainly something
6 that we can -- we don't routinely segment our data
7 that way. We, we very likely could do an ad hoc
8 report and ask for that level of data. I'm not a
9 hundred percent sure how helpful it is.

10 Our anecdotal information is that we probably
11 see the same number of new grads versus out-of-state
12 endorsement applications that are -- and because we
13 have new grads that are applying by endorsement,
14 it's difficult to really -- once you get to
15 endorsement versus licensure by examination, I can't
16 distinguish from someone that is an out-of-state
17 licensee that is truly endorsing in, or a recent
18 graduate of a Florida program that has national
19 certification that is applying by endorsement.

20 MARK SEDDON: Because anecdotally, again, this
21 is not about data, is we hear, at least across my
22 facilities, that out-of-state applicants taking
23 significantly longer to be processed. So I was just
24 curious if you guys had data on that or not, so --

25 DAYLE MOONEY: I don't have that level of data

1 currently. We can look and see, but again, I'm not
2 sure that we're gonna need -- because it's
3 endorsement, I can give you -- I can ask them to run
4 me reports off of a transaction type. So if it's
5 licensure by endorsement, I can get that level of
6 data. I don't -- I can't readily or reliably
7 subdivide that data down to say this person was an
8 out-of-state educated individual that's coming in.
9 I will say that there are, probably
10 anecdotally, there are a lot of people that come in
11 that don't, because they don't have Florida program
12 directors that are assisting them in the application
13 process, that they don't give us copies of licenses,
14 they don't give us their national certification,
15 they don't give us copies of their driver's license;
16 they forget their Social Security number. There are
17 quite a few deficiencies in those applications. I
18 don't know if they're any more than the number of
19 Florida graduates that apply by examination when
20 they want to be -- when they should be endorsements.
21 MARK SEDDON: And that was my point is just is
22 there a way to identify what -- or is there really a
23 problem and what -- whether it's a commonality for
24 the out-of-state folks, but it sounds like you do
25 have some awareness of that, so --

1 JAMES FUTCH: I also wanted to say, by the way,
2 that was Mark Seddon, the medical diagnostic nuclear
3 physicist from Advent Health, one of the council
4 members in the nuclear physicist position.
5 All of us, I think, as council members, if, if
6 you need any help or assistance or other
7 information, we're always happy to bring it back to
8 the council. This particular council is very
9 available to us in between.
10 And I saw a second ago somebody said our
11 meeting was five minutes away from closing. Also
12 lunchtime. So I just want to throw that out in case
13 you disappear entirely, that's what happened.
14 I wanted to thank you for coming and for doing
15 this and really looking forward to the meeting with
16 the program directors on -- later this month.
17 Something that Mark was saying. I'm trying to
18 think, for people who are applying -- we were not
19 covered by the Mobility Act, which passed last year,
20 which would've, I think, probably resulted in, in a
21 much greater improve of folks not being able to be
22 certified who were coming in by endorsement, so
23 we're very fortunate in that.
24 And the big game is town is ARRT and to a
25 certain extent, NMTCB for the nuclear medicine

1 folks. Other than the fact that people who are
2 coming from other states tend to be older and in the
3 profession for a longer period of time, they might
4 have difficulty finding some of those old documents,
5 that's about the only reason it might show it. But
6 in the new system, Dayle, hopefully there will be
7 excellent mechanisms by which to track data on
8 deficiencies and nail it down, you know, like we do
9 trying to go look anecdotally to see what's going on

10 from looking at the --

11 DAYLE MOONEY: I mean, we have data on our --
12 we have data on deficiencies, like, what our top ten
13 deficiencies are, but they're -- it's not, not as
14 easily segmented out as what we're looking for here.

15 JAMES FUTCH: Sure.

16 DAYLE MOONEY: I have a note and we'll see if
17 we can't get to that point and if we do, we'll
18 certainly report back here and so we can share that

19 information out.

20 JAMES FUTCH: Anyone else have any questions
21 for Dayle or Evalee or both or the process in
22 general?

23 Ladies, do you have anything else to ask us or
24 can share?

25 DAYLE MOONEY: Evalee, did we hit all your

1 bullet points?

2 EVALEE TAYLOR: Yeah. I mean, as long as

3 everybody got their questions answered and most of

4 the things, most of the sensitive data James wanted

5 to be included and presented, if everything was

6 touched on, I'm good on mine.

7 JAMES FUTCH: Okay. Well then, thank you very

8 much from the group. And we look forward to seeing

you at future meetings and we'll say goodbye now.

9 MARK SEDDON: Goodbye.

10 JAMES FUTCH: Thank you.

11 DAYLE MOONEY: Thank you. Bye bye.