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BOARD MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

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Board Members

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August 11, 2016 - 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. (or until completion of business)

Audiology Practice Committee Meeting

- 1. Call to Order / Roll Call / Establishment of Quorum
- 2. Review and Approval of the May 12, 2016 Committee Meeting Minutes
- 3. Public Comment for Items not on the Agenda The Committee may not discuss or take any action on any item raised during this public comment section, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting (Government Code Sections 11125, 11125.7(a))
- 4. Discussion and Possible Recommendations to Full Board Regarding Sales Practices that Lock Out Hearing Aids Restricting Consumer Access for Required Audiology and Hearing Aid Services
- Update Regarding the Presidential Council of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST)

 Over-the-Counter Hearing Aids without Medical Clearance
- 6. Discussion and Possible Recommendations to Full Board on Risks to Consumers Due to California Children's Services (CCS) Program Issues
 - a. Cochlear Implant Requirements and Authorization Delays
 - b. Shortage of Pediatric Audiologists
- 7. Adjournment

Upon Conclusion of the Audiology Practice Committee Meeting:

FULL BOARD MEETING

1. Call to Order / Roll Call / Establishment of Quorum

Closed Session

2. Pursuant to Government Code Section 11126 (c) (3), the Board will Meet in Closed Session to Deliberate on Disciplinary Matters

Return to Open Session

3. Public Comment for Items not on the Agenda

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- 4. Review and Approval of the May 12-13, 2016 Board Meeting Minutes
- 5. Update on CPS-HR Workload and Staffing Analysis Report
- 6. Executive Officer's Report
 - a. Administration Update
 - b. Budget Report
 - c. Licensing Report
 - d. Practical Examination Report
 - e. Enforcement Report
 - f. Board Strategic Plan Action Plan
- 7. Discussion of the Sunset Oversight Review
 - a. Sunset Review Timeline
 - b. Sunset Review Background Questionnaire
 - c. Process
 - d. Potential Legislative Concepts in Sunset Review Report
 - e. Board Sunset Committee
- 8. Discussion and Possible Action on the Proposed Board Member Manual
 - a. Board and Committee Structure
 - b. Frequency of Meetings
 - c. Committees
 - i. Business area (legislative, enforcement, etc.) vs. practice committees
- 9. Recess Until August 12, 2016 at 9:00 a.m.

August 12, 2016 - 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (or until completion of business)

- 1. Call to Order / Roll Call / Establishment of Quorum
- 2. Update on English Proficiency Test Requirements and Foreign-Educated Speech-Language Pathology Applicants
- 3. Discussion and Possible Action on Auditing the Supervision of Speech-Language Pathology Assistants
- 4. Speech-Language Pathologist Credential/Variable Term Waiver Update
- 5. Discussion and Possible Action on Audiology Committee Report and Recommendations
- 6. Update on <u>METX, LLC v. Wal-Mart Stores Texas, LLC</u> (E.D. Tex. 2014) 62 F.Supp.3d 569Decision
- Proposed Regulations Discussion and Possible Action

 Title 16, CCR, Section 1399.170 Speech-Language Pathology Assistants
- 8. Legislation Update, Review, and Possible Action
 - a. AB 1950 (Maienschein) Hearing aids: audio switch
 - b. AB 2317 (Mullin) California State University: Doctor of Audiology degrees
 - c. AB 2859 (Low) Professions and vocations: retired category: licenses
 - d. SB 1155 (Morrell) Professions and vocations: licenses: military service
- 9. Discussion on Procedures Regarding Board Executive Officer Evaluation
- 10. Future Agenda Items and Future Board Meeting Dates
 - a. September/October Additional Meeting to Discuss Sunset Report TBD
 - b. November 3-4, 2016 Sacramento
 - c. February 9-10, 2017 San Diego
 - d. May 11-12, 2017 TBD
 - e. August 10-11, 2017 TBD
- 11. Adjournment

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