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OPEN SESSION MINUTES

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Anesthesia and Sedation Committee Meeting

On the aforementioned date, members of the Arizona State Board of Dental Examiners’ (“Board”) Anesthesia and Sedation Committee (“Committee”) held a meeting at the Board’s office, in Boardroom C, 1740 West Adams Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007. The meeting was also held virtually and telephonically due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The Committee did not meet in executive session.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

	<i>Anthony Herro, DDS</i>	Chairperson and Board Member
X	Lisa B. Bienstock, DMD	Board Member
	Ali Baghai, CRNA	Committee Member
	<i>Edward H. Christensen, DDS</i>	Board Member
	<i>Randall J. Balzic, DDS</i>	Public Committee Member
	Jason W. Brady, DMD	Public Committee Member
X	Jeffrey N. Brownstein, DDS	Public Committee Member
	<i>Jonathan Jerman, MD</i>	Public Committee Member
	<i>Randall Lout, DDS</i>	Public Committee Member
	<i>Heath Snell, DDS</i>	Public Committee Member
X	Absent	
	Joined/deperted the meeting as denoted in the body of the minutes	
	<i>Committee members in italics participated in-person</i>	

STAFF AND ASSISTANT ATTORNEY(S) GENERAL PRESENT

	<i>Ryan P. Edmonson</i>	Executive Director
	<i>Mary D. Williams, Esq</i>	Assistant Attorney General
	<i>Sherrie Biggs</i>	Assistant Deputy Director
	<i>Sussie Adams</i>	Program Projects Specialist
	Jessica Thomas	Rules Administrator
	<i>Yazmin Bustamante</i>	Executive Assistant

Staff members in italics participated in-person

GUESTS PARTICIPATING AND/OR PRESENT

RM Kelso

Guest

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 2:39 p.m. by Dr. Herro. Roll call of the committee members was taken and a quorum was established.

II. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

No individuals addressed the Committee.

V. SUMMARY OF CURRENT EVENTS

Mr. Edmonson requested that the Committee inform board staff when they plan to attend meetings in order to properly post a notice of quorum.

Dr. Christensen arrived at 2:43 p.m.

III. NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING (“NPR”)

The Committee reviewed language of Article 13 pertaining to the pediatric endorsement. The Committee considered whether to request an immediate or delayed effective date for the NPR. Ms. Thomas informed the Committee of the rulemaking process and timeframe. The Committee subsequently considered informing current permit holders of the proposed changes in order to be proactive.

The Committee proceeded to review initial applicant requirements and considered drafting a separate subsection for pediatric endorsement for a Section 1301 permit. The Committee discussed requiring applicants to submit an affidavit of completing twenty cases of pediatric patients every two years.

Dr. Christensen departed the meeting at 3:33 p.m.

Dr. Brady joined at 3:40 p.m.

Dr. Jerman departed the meeting at 3:59 p.m.

The Committee proceeded to review and discuss renewal requirements. The Committee concurred to include language requiring a licensee to provide confirmation of completing recognized continuing education for human simulation involving crisis management within five years prior to submitting the permit application.

The Committee proceeded to review and discuss language for Section 1301 mobil permit and concurred to continue the review of Article 13 at the next meeting.

IV. STUDY/REVIEW OF ADVERSE OCCURRENCE REPORTS

The Committee reviewed the adverse occurrence reports.

VI. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETING AGENDAS

The Committee discussed potential meeting dates for 2022 and considered meeting virtually for the next meeting to facilitate establishing a quorum. The Committee subsequently discussed requesting that the Board replace members or reduce the quorum.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion: Dr. Brady moved to adjourn at 4:49 p.m.

Second: Dr. Lout

Vote: 6-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 4-absent. Motion passed.