

# Nevada State Board of Osteopathic Medicine 2275 Corporate Circle, Suite 210 Henderson, NV 89074

# MINUTES OF PUBLIC MEETING FOR REGULATION WORKSHOP

The Nevada State Board of Osteopathic Medicine conducted a public regulation workshop on

Tuesday, December 5, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. located at:

The Nevada State Board of Osteopathic Medicine's Office located at 2275 Corporate Circle, Suite 210, Henderson, Nevada 89074

#### **Please Note:**

- Persons wishing to attend this meeting in person may do so at the above-listed location.
- Agenda items, other than those items posted with a specific time, may be taken out of sequence or may be combined for consideration by the Executive Director to accommodate persons appearing at the workshop and/or to aid in the effectiveness of the meeting.
- Items may be pulled or removed from the Agenda at any time.
- Certain Agenda items, or portions thereof, may be conducted in closed session, in accordance with NRS 241.030.
- Public comment is scheduled under Agenda Item 2, at the beginning of the meeting, and again under Agenda Item 6, at the end of the meeting, and may also be called for at other times throughout the meeting by the Executive Director. When these Agenda items are called, members of the general public may bring matters not appearing on this Agenda to the attention of the Executive Director. Such matters not appearing on this Agenda may be discussed, but may not be acted on at this meeting. If the Board desires, the matters may be placed on a future Agenda for action. In consideration of others, who may also wish to provide public comment, please avoid repetition and limit your comments to no more than four (4) minutes.

- Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the Board may refuse to consider public comment. See NRS 233B.126.

#### 1. Call to Order and Introductions

**Board Staff present:** 

Frank DiMaggio, Executive Director

Carolyn Klein, Administrative Assistant

Clayton Bailey, Board Investigator

Richard Dreitzer, Esq., Board Counsel

#### Public:

Susan Fisher, McDonald Carano

Amanda Brazeau, Nevada Academy of Anesthesiologist Assistants

Victora Supple, Argentum Partners

Domonique Katona, President of the Nevada Academy of Physician Assistants

Elissa Seacrist, McDonald Carano

Executive Director DiMaggio called the meeting to order.

# 2. Public Comment

Members of the public are invited to provide public comment. No action will be taken regarding this comment at this workshop. Public comment may be limited to four (4) minutes at the discretion of the Executive Director.

No comments were received.

## 3. Presentation and Discussion of Proposed Deletions to Regulations

Staff of the Nevada State Board of Osteopathic Medicine (Board) will provide background on the purpose and the need for the deletion of ten (10) regulations to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 633, pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order 2023-003.

Executive Director Frank DiMaggio stated that on January 12, 2023, Governor Lombardo issued Executive Order 2023-003 which, in relevant part, directed that the Nevada Board of Osteopathic Medicine review its regulations, which are contained in Chapter 633 of the Nevada Administrative Code ("NAC") and identify at least ten regulations for removal. There was a public hearing held on April 5, 2023, at 5:30PM by the Board and, at that hearing, public comments were requested as to the proposed ten regulations to be deleted. No comments were received either in writing or during the public hearing, and the Board considered the ten regulations in NAC Chapter 633 to be deleted in descending order of priority.

Executive Director DiMaggio stated that on the list of proposed deletions, all the regulations are contained in Chapter 633 of the NAC and he will not repeat the word "NAC" prior to each section number being proposed for deletion. He then stated that the following NAC sections were proposed for deletion as approved by the Board at the April 5, 2023 meeting:

The first section is 633.380 dealing with reports of certain information concerning surgeries; submission; failure to comply with requirements.

The second section is 633.410- rulings on preliminary matters.

The third section is 633.420- appearance and representation of parties.

The fourth section is 633.440- proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law.

The fifth section is 633.450- summary suspension of license by Board.

The sixth section is 633.454- hearing officer or panel; authority of Board; duties; findings and recommendations.

The seventh section is 633.457- hearing officer or panel; rulings regarding admissibility of evidence; referral of matter to Board.

The eighth section is 633.466- stipulation regarding facts in issue.

The ninth section is 633.273- authorized facility license to practice osteopathic medicine as psychiatrist in certain mental health centers.

The tenth section is 633.274- authorized facility license to practice as osteopathic physician in institution of Department of Corrections.

Richard Dreitzer confirmed that Executive Director DiMaggo's list is consistent with his list.

#### 4. Question & Answer Period for Proposed Deletions to Regulations

Members of the public are invited to ask questions about these proposed deletions to the regulations.

No questions were received.

## 5. Public Comment for Proposed Deletions to Regulations

Members of the public are invited to provide public comment. No action will be taken regarding this comment at this workshop. Public comment may be limited to four (4) minutes at the discretion of the Executive Director.

No comments were received.

## 6. Public Comment

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No comments were received.

# 7. <u>Adjournment</u> (for possible action)

Executive Director DiMaggio adjourned the meeting.