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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA FOR THE SPECIAL SESSION MEETING TELECONFERENCE January 6, 2017 – SCHEDULED TO BEGIN AT 4:00 P.M.

Pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the general public and to the members of the Arizona Board of Physical Therapy, that a regular meeting, open to the public, will be held on Friday, **January 6, 2017** at 4:00 p.m. The meeting will be held by telecommunications, however; the public may attend the meeting at **4205 North 7th Avenue, Suite 205, Phoenix, Arizona 85013**. For further information regarding the agenda, please contact Charles D. Brown, Executive Director, at 602-274-0236. Persons with disabilities may request reasonable accommodations by contacting the Arizona State Board of Physical Therapy (Board) at 602-274-0236. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodations.

The Board reserves the right to change the order of items on the agenda, except for hearings set for a specific time. Please note that any recommendations listed on the agenda are merely suggested Board actions. These recommendations do not become final until adopted by the Board. The Board has the authority to accept, reject or modify any recommendation listed on the agenda.

Board Members: Melinda Richardson, PT, MA, President; James E. Miller, PT, DPT, Vice President; Al D'Appollonio, PT, MBA, Secretary; Peggy Hunter, PTA, CLT, Professional Member; Michael S. Clinton, CPA, Public Member; Nushka Remec, PT, MS, PCS, Professional Member; Whitney Lawrence, Public Member

Staff: Charles D. Brown, Executive Director; Veronica Cardoza, Licensing Administrator; Karen Donahue, Investigator; Monica Crowley, Office Manager

Legal Counsel: Mona Baskin, Assistant Attorney General

SPECIAL SESSION MEETING AGENDA

1) CALL TO ORDER – 4:00 p.m.; Roll Call of Board Members Present

2) Review, Discussion and Action on Case Pending Formal Hearing; Consideration of Settlement/Consent Agreement

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(2) for purposes of discussing confidential information or §38-431.03(A)(3) to obtain legal advice.

a) Case #11a-50-PTE; Lowell Hicks, PT

3) CONSENT AGENDA: REVIEW, CONSIDERATION and ACTION

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(2) for purposes of discussing confidential information or §38-431.03(A)(3) to obtain legal advice. The Board may vote to approve all items on a consent agenda; however, any one member of the Board may remove a consent agenda item from the vote, and request discussion at the current meeting or a future meeting.

a) Applications for Licensure and Certification

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(2) for purposes of discussing confidential information or §38-431.03(A)(3) to obtain legal advice.

- i) Review, Consideration and Approval of Applications of Physical Therapist Licensure upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript

Melaku Akele	Michael Alcorn	Melissa Cascio
Kelsey Planter		

- ii) Review, Consideration and Approval of Applications of Physical Therapist Assistant Certification upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript

Sarah May		

4) CALL TO THE PUBLIC

The Board may make an open call to the public during the meeting. Members of the public may address the Board regarding matters under the Board's jurisdiction. Presentations will be limited to five minutes. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01(H), Board members shall not discuss or take legal action on matters raised during a call to the public unless the matters are properly noticed for discussion and legal action. Board members may ask staff to review a matter or ask that a matter be put on a future agenda.

5) ADJOURNMENT