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## MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA FOR THE REGULAR SESSION MEETING

**September 22, 2015 – SCHEDULED TO BEGIN AT 8:30 A.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 Tuesday, **September 22, 2015** at 8:30 a.m. The meeting will be held at **4205 North 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 208, 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

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

Legal Counsel: Mona Baskin, Assistant Attorney General

### REGULAR SESSION MEETING AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER – 8:30 a.m.

**1) CALL TO ORDER – 8:30 a.m; Roll Call of Board Members Present**

**2) Review and Approval of Draft Minutes**

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(3) to obtain legal advice.

- a) August 25, 2015; Regular Session Meeting Minutes
- b) August 25, 2015; Executive Session Minutes

**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

Sarah Bialik	Zachary Boente	William Buck
M'lissa Haldt	Samantha Chandler	Ryan Donaldson
Phillip Hanson	April Johnson	Brianna Jordan
Alec Levesque	Jaelyn Levesque	Joy Milani
Lauryl Murphree	Margy Owen	Michael Peronace
Michael Pipkin	Adam Stuart	Ryan Talbot
Melinda Treon	Jennifer Tschoepe	Jeffrey LaBianco
Marci Westman	Jenna White	Kate Wiens
Crystal Wright	Carlos DeJesus	

ii) Review, Consideration and Approval of Applications for Physical Therapist Licensure upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript and with documentation Related to Disclosure on "Personal Information" section of the application

- (1) Stephanie Chayrez
- (2) Amanda Hodge
- (3) Bree'anna Wickey

iii) Review of and Possible Action on Application for Physical Therapist Licensure from Applicant Requesting ADA Accommodations.

- (a) Simone McEuen

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

Edith Bautista	Angela Burton	Laura Buttram
Marion Ciolac	Kassie Countouriotis	Sabrina Delzer
Jeffrey Fiergang	Courtney Furnell	Aaron Gehr
David Hauskins	Quinn Mason	Victoria McLaren
Michael Laura	Matthew Murray	Hortencia Ocampo Correa
Kelly Risner	Justin Rodriguez	Maria Ruiz
Jesse Salazar	Jarryd Samonte	Jamie Schopen
Kaitlyn Shiderly	Ronnie Wigand	

v) Review, Consideration and Approval of Applications for Physical Therapist Assistant Certification upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript and with documentation Related to Disclosure on "Personal Information" section of the application

- (a) Briana Astorga
- (b) Maria Roush

Consent Agenda Ends

**4) Review, Consideration and Action on Applications for Licensure and Certification**

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- a) Review of and Possible Action on the Following Applications for Physical Therapist Licensure – Foreign Educated Graduates of Programs Not U.S. Accredited.
  - i) Review of and Possible Action on the Following Applications for Physical Therapist Licensure, Previous Arizona Licenses
    - (1) Christina Madarang
  - ii) Review, Consideration and Approval of Applications for Physical Therapist Assistant Certification upon Receipt of Passing Scores on the NPTE/AZLAW and Final Transcript and with documentation Related to Disclosure on “Personal Information” section of the application
    - (1) John Butler Jr.
    - (2) Lisa Flores

**5) COMPLAINTS, HEARINGS, INVESTIGATIONS and COMPLIANCE**

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) Informal Hearings; 9:00 a.m.
  - i) Case #15-05; Kara Koenitzer Tate, PT
  - ii) Case #15-06; Nicole Stavale, PT
- b) Formal Hearings; 10:00 a.m.
  - i) Case #14-19; Josh Sponder, PT
- c) Case Forwarded To Formal Hearing; Request For Re-examination of Case; 10:00 a.m.
  - i) Case #11-50; Lowell Hicks, PT
- d) Initial Review, Discussion and Action on Complaint
  - i) Complaint #15-10; Lonny Nenodovich, PT
  - ii) Complaint #15-22; Shawn Gorsline, PT
- e) Review, Discussion, and Possible Action on Consideration of Modification of Board Order
  - i) Case #14-63; Tamara Galloway, PT
- f) Review, Discussion, and Possible Action on Request for Termination of Probation
  - i) Case #14-39; Kurt Draper, PT
- g) Review, Discussion, and Possible Action of Whether or Not to Open A Complaint
  - i) Tonya Becker, PT
  - ii) Scott Kushner, PT
  - iii) Jason Palidino, PT

**6) BOARD BUSINESS AND REPORTS**

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(3) to obtain legal advice.

- a) Executive Director’s Report – Discussion and Possible Action
  - i) Financial Report
  - ii) Review Recent Board Staff Activities

- iii) Review of Current Legislative Activity- No update to provide.
- iv) Rule Activity- No update to provide
- v) FSBPT- Verbal Report on FSBPT Leadership Issues Forum
- vi) Update of Formal Hearing Discussion With The Office of The Attorney General

b) Board Training

- i) Practice Tips for Board Members in Conducting More Effective Board Meetings

**7) 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.

**8) ADJOURNMENT**