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**NOTICE OF AGENDA OF MEETING OF THE
ARIZONA BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS
IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY**

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Arizona Board of Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and Surgery ("Board") and to the general public that the Board will hold a meeting open to the public on:

Saturday January 22, 2011 beginning at 8:00 A.M.

**AT THE OFFICE OF THE AZ BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS,
9535 E. DOUBLETREE RANCH ROAD, SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA.**

Pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1855.03(C) through (E), the Board shall keep confidential the identities of patients and any medical records from which they could be identified. Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03 (A) (1) through (3), the Board may vote to go into Executive Session to discuss personnel matters, to consider confidential records, or to obtain legal advice.

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AGENDA

1. **CALL TO ORDER not before 8:00 a.m.**
2. **ROLL CALL AND REVIEW OF AGENDA**
3. **PRESIDENT'S REPORT AND CALL TO THE PUBLIC**
 - A. Welcome to the Medical Students – Arizona College of Osteopathic Medicine at Midwestern University, the Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine, and School Osteopathic Medicine Arizona at A.T. Stills University
 - B.. The Board's custom is to ask members of the public to speak when the agenda item of interest to the person is called. If you want to address the Board on an issue not on the agenda, you will be asked to speak prior to the adjournment. All people wishing to speak should fill out a speaker form and give it to a staff member.
 - C. Presentation from Affiliated Monitors, by Vincent Dicianni, President, on probationary monitoring services.
4. **REVIEW, CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

The Board may hold an executive session to discuss records exempt by law from public inspection pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03 (A) (2) or to discuss or consult with its attorney and receive legal advice pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03 (A) (3).

 - A. November 20, 2010 Open Session
 - B. November 20, 2010 Executive Session
5. **REVIEW, CONSIDERATION AND ACTION ON ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS PURSUANT TO A.R.S. 32-1855 (F) ONLY / AND MATTERS HEARD AT OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS**

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A. Lynn Sweet, DO

Case No. DO-10-0001A

License No. 3246

6. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON MOTIONS FOR REHEARING AND REVIEW (A.A.C. R4-22-106)

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A. Lynne Pirie, DO Case No. DO-08-4058A License No. 1878

7. REVIEW, DISCUSSION, AND ACTION ON CASE REVIEWS OF ALLEGATIONS OF UNPROFESSIONAL CONDUCT: A.R.S. § 32-1855 (C through F).

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Case Reviews

A. James Bates, DO Case No. DO-08-4188A License No. 1897

Reviews of Executive Director Dismissals:

A. Craig Cassidy, DO Case No. DO-10-0120B License No. 1769

B. Sanford Moretsky, DO Case No. DO-10-0120C License No. 1486

8. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON INVESTIGATIVE HEARINGS PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1855 (E) ONLY.

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A.	Ali Rajaei-Tehrani, DO	Case No. DO-09-0186A	License No. 4383
B.	Raymond Schneider, DO	Case No. 3914A	License No. 1683
C.	Gary Kohring, DO	Case No. 3914B	License No.1384
D.	Thomas Linnemann, DO	Case No. DO-09-0158A	License No. 3791
E.	Richard Settles, DO	Case No. DO-08-4185A	License No. 2686
F.	Kent Hatfield, DO	Case No. DO-09-0024A	License No. 2754
G.	Larry Plosker, DO	Case No. 4029M	License No. 1847
H.	John Charochak, DO	Case No. DO-09-0013A	License No. 2333
I.	Michelle Mifflin, DO	Case No. DO-09-0203A	License No. 3819
J.	Thomas Kotoske, DO	Case No. DO-09-0122A	License No. 3065

Cases will be called after 1:00 p.m.

AGENDA ITEMS IN THIS SHADED BLOCK ARE SCHEDULED TO BE CALLED AFTER THE SPECIFIED TIME. ALL OTHER AGENDA ITEMS MAY BE CALLED AT ANY TIME DURING THE MEETING.

K.	Howard Linzer, DO	Case No. DO-10-0033A	License No. 005148
L.	Brian Rizzo, DO - continued	Case No. DO-10-0049A	License No. 3597
M.	Johnny Serrano, DO	Case No. DO-09-0035A	License No. 3865
N.	Harold Reeder, DO	Case No. DO-08-4199A	License No. 2001

9. CONSIDERATION AND ACTION ON COMPLIANCE WITH TERMS OF BOARD ORDERS AND REQUESTS TO MODIFY OR TERMINATE ORDERS, PURSUANT TO A.R.S. §32-1855 (E) AND (I)

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A.	Steven J Locnikar, DO	Case No. DO-10-0022A	License No. 005284
B.	Janet Pragitt, DO	Case No. 3926	License No. 4719
C.	Sholom Gootzeit, DO	Case No. DO-10-0105	License No. 005463

10. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON OFFERS OF CONSENT AGREEMENTS FOR SURRENDER OF LICENSE PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1855 (M) ONLY

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A. Paul Balikian, DO* Case No.3948 License No. 0755

**If accepted, Board also to rescind previous vote to conduct Administrative Hearing in this case.*

11. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION, AND ACTION ON APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1822; PERMITS PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1829; AND RENEWALS OF LICENSES PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1825 (C-D) AND A.A.C. R4-22-109.

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Waiver of CME for Renewal

A. Sheetal Chhaya, DO License No. 4511

Applicants for New Licensure

A. Travis Stiegler, DO Case No. DO-10-0186A Applicant No. 005517

B. Travis Reed, DO Case No. DO-10-0208A Applicant No. 005568

12. ELECTION OF OFFICERS PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1802(B)

A. President

B. Vice President

13. DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON ESTABLISHMENT OF FEES PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1826(A)

A. Application for licensure

B. Issuance of a license

C. Renewal of a License (biennial)

D. Locum Tenens Registration

E. Issuance of a Duplicate License

F. Annual Registration of an Approved Internship, Residency, Clinical Fellowship or Short-Term Residency Program

G. Teaching License

H. Five Day Educational Teaching Permit

I. Sale of (Paper) Directory

J. Sale of Mailing List or Directory on Computer Disks

K. Registration to Dispense Drugs and Devices

14. POLICY AND PROCEDURE REPORTS: For consideration and possible action

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A. Delegation of Authority to Executive Director re: renewal CME

B. Delegation of Authority to Executive Director re: Cancellation of License

C. Medical Marijuana: Comments on Dept of Health Services Rules

15. REPORTS FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, ASST ATTORNEY GENERAL, BOARD MEMBERS

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A. Report on ED Dismissed Complaints

B. January Staff Report

C. Asst AG / Board member reports

D. Attendance at 2011 Federation of State Medical Board annual meeting

16. ADJOURNMENT

Dated this 20th day January, 2011.



Elaine LeTarte, Executive Director