

State of Arizona Acupuncture Board of Examiners

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NOTICE AND AGENDA OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE ARIZONA ACUPUNCTURE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

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

Wednesday, August 27, 2008, at 1:00 p.m. 1400 West Washington Conference Room B-1 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Title 2 of the Americans with Disability Act (ADA) prohibits the Board from discriminating on the basis of disability in its public meetings. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation by calling the Board office at 602-542-3095. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

During the course of the meeting, the Board, upon a majority vote of a quorum of the members, may hold an executive session for the purposes of obtaining legal advice from the Board's attorney on any matter listed on the agenda pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A) (3). The executive session will be held immediately after the vote and will not be open to the public.

The agenda is subject to change up to 24 hours prior to the meeting. The Board Chairperson reserves the right to change the order of the items on the agenda, except for matters set for a specific time.

Board Members:

Della Estrada, L.Ac., Chairperson
Joseph Balensi, L.Ac., Secretary
Toni Karnas, Consumer Member
Diane Pruetz, Consumer Member
Ross Adelman, Consumer Member
Toni Bennalley, L.Ac., Professional Member
John M. Rhodes, L.Ac., Professional Member
Rebecca Wilks, MD, MD(H), Professional Member

Staff: Pete Gonzalez, Executive Director

<u>Legal Counsel:</u> Seth Hargraves, Assistant Attorney General

AGENDA

The Agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Declaration of Conflicts of Interest
- 3. Discussion and Approval of Minutes

July 23, 2008 Board Meeting Minutes July 23, 2008 Executive Session Meeting Minutes

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE LISTED FOR BOARD REVIEW, DISCUSSION, AND LEGAL ACTION

- 4. Applications for Licensure (without self-disclosures)
 - A. Helen Chen
 - B. Dorion T. Simmons
 - C. Suzanne Gaynor
 - D. Henry Hom
 - E. Zita A. McCoig
- **5.** Applications for Licensure (with self-disclosures)
 - A. Patrick P. Patten

6. Professional Business

- A. Consolidation of Health Care Regulatory Boards
 The Board will discuss a possible response or position on the proposed
 Modern Health Board Consolidation Plan.
- B. Response from La Paz County Attorney's Office regarding Complaint #2008-01—Clark Kim, Oriental Health Care
- C. Election of Board Secretary
- D. Review of Compliance regarding Consent Agreement and Order and Possible Termination of Agreement—Complaint #2007-001--Andre Zitcer

(Upon a vote of the majority of a quorum, the Board may go into Executive Session, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2) to review and discuss records except by law from public inspection, including the receipt and discussion of information or testimony that is specifically required to be maintained as confidential by state or federal law.)

E. Potential Board Meeting in Tucson

7. Other Applications/Requests – Continuing Education

Sheng Zhen Wu Ji Yuan Gong--Kwan Yin Standing Form offered by Li Junfeng on November 8 & 9th, 2008 in Tucson, Arizona for 12 CEU's.

8. Executive Director Report

The report will include information regarding Board and office activities, budget issues and annual reports.

9. Future Meeting Dates

September 24, 2008 October 22, 2008

10. Call to the Public

The Board may make an open call to the public during the meeting, subject to reasonable time, place, and manner restrictions, to allow individuals to address the Board on any issue within its jurisdiction. Those wishing to address the Board should fill out a speaker request form. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01 (G), members of the Board are not allowed to discuss or take legal action on matters raised during an open call to the public unless the matters are properly noticed for discussion and legal action. However, the Board may ask staff to review a matter or may ask that a matter be placed on a future agenda.

11. Discussion of Items to be placed on a future meeting agenda

12. Adjournment

POSTED: August 20, 2008 at 1:00 p.m.