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Legislative Committee
REGULAR SESSION MINUTES

Tuesday, January 18, 2011

1400 West Washington, Ste. 235
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

1. CALL TO ORDER

The regular session of the Arizona State Board of Psychologist Examiners Legislative Committee was called to order by Dr. Karp at 10:00 a.m. on January 18, 2011. No Executive Sessions were held.

2. ROLL CALL

Committee Members Present*

Cheryl Karp, Ph.D. – Chairperson
Bob Bohanske, Ph.D.
Joseph Donaldson

Staff Present

Cindy Olvey, Psy.D., Executive Director
Marcus Harvey, Investigator

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**3. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, POSSIBLE ACTION, INCLUDING
RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE ARIZONA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGIST EXAMINERS
REGARDING PROPOSED LEGISLATION PERTAINING TO REGULATION OF
BEHAVIOR ANALYSTS**

Dr. Olvey provided the Committee with an overview of Board staff's review of the proposed legislation to establish a credentialing committee of behavior analysts. She pointed out ways in which it was similar and different from the credentialing committees of the Board of Behavioral Health Examiners, on which the legislation was modeled, and cited areas for consideration by the Committee.

* Participated via telephone.

Committee members proceeded to deliberate and received information from Dr. David Giles, Dr. Daniel Davidson, and Ms. Brandy Petrone of Goodman-Schwartz, who represented the interests of behavior analysts. Ms. Petrone indicated that revisions could be made based on the Committee's discussion and sent back to the Board office. It was the consensus of the Committee to convene a meeting to consider a revised draft of the behavior analyst legislation, once it become available.

4. SCHEDULE NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING, IF NECESSARY

The Committee directed Board staff to schedule another Legislative Committee meeting prior to the next full Board meeting to review the revised draft legislation when it becomes available.

5. ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before the Committee, a motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Donaldson, seconded by Dr. Bohanske, and unanimously carried (3-0). The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

 2/11/11

Cheryl Karp
Committee Chairperson

Date