



Louisiana Board of Pharmacy

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Pursuant to the provisions of *Governor's Proclamation No. 33 JBE 2020 ~ Additional Measures for COVID-19 – Stay at Home*, the Board certifies it cannot achieve an in-person quorum for its meeting. Therefore, the Board has elected to conduct its meeting by teleconference as permitted by *Governor's Proclamation No. JBE 2020-30 ~ Additional Measures for COVID-19 Public Health Emergency*.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the Board has been ordered and will be conducted by teleconference at **4:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 2, 2020**. The telephone number for the teleconference is 888.270.9936 and the access code is 9534160. The meeting has been called for the purpose to wit:

AGENDA

NOTE: This agenda is tentative until 24 hours in advance of the meeting, at which time the most recent revision becomes official.

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1. Call to Order
2. Quorum Call
3. Call for Additional Agenda Items & Adoption of Agenda
4. Special Orders of the Day
 - A. Request for Declaratory Statement
 - (1) Is it within the scope of practice for a pharmacist to collect a nasopharyngeal specimen on a swab?
 - B. Requests for Clarification of Guidance Documents
 - (1) Application of *Guidance Document ~ Remote Processing by Pharmacy Personnel* to nonresident pharmacies
 - (2) Conflict between *Guidance Document ~ Remote Processing by Pharmacy Personnel* and *Guidance Document ~ Flexible Staffing Ratios*
 - C. Requests for Waiver of Licensing for Nonresident Pharmacies & DME
 - (1) Morris Apothecary, LLC *d/b/a* Apotheco Pharmacy [Parsippany, NJ] requesting waiver of pharmacy permit requirements to ship medications to the state.
 - (2) Expedite, LLC *d/b/a* Oxyensure, a subsidiary of ResMed, Inc. [Lithia Springs, GA] requesting one-year waiver from DME licensure requirement to ship respiratory devices with remote installation instructions.

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4. Special Orders of the Day (cont.)
 - D. Requests from Educational Institutions for Simulation in Lieu of Practical Experience Requirements for Program Completion
 - E. Petition for Modification of Previous Order
 - (1) Case No. 20-0113 ~ PST.010643 – William Coleman Honeycutt
 - F. Consideration of Continuing Education Requirements for the Renewal of Pharmacy Technician Certificates for the Year 2020-2021 and for the Renewal of Pharmacist Licenses for Calendar Year 2021.
 - G. Governor Proclamation No. 38 JBE 2020
5. New Agenda Items Added During Meeting
6. Opportunity for Public Comment
7. Adjourn

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