MEMORANDUM

DATE January 29, 2018

TO Board of Psychology

FROM Cherise Burns
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SUBJECT Agenda Item #23 Regulatory Update, Review, and Consideration of Additional Changes

The following regulatory packages are pending the start of or in the Initial Review Stage with the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA), Business Consumer Services and Housing Agency, and the Department of Finance (before formal Notice of Public Hearing with the Office of Administrative Law):

a) Update on 16 CCR Sections 1391.1, 1391.2, 1391.5, 1391.6, 1391.8, 1391.10, 1391.11, 1391.12, 1392.1 – Psychological Assistants

   This package is in the Initial Review Stage. Staff is working on incorporating the feedback provided by Legal Counsel’s initial review. Upon completion of the required documents, the package will be reviewed by DCA Budgets, DCA’s Division of Legislative and Regulatory Review, and DCA Chief Counsel.

b) Update on 16 CCR Section 1396.8 – Standards of Practice for Telehealth

   This regulatory package is pending completion of required documents which will allow it to begin the Initial Review Stage with DCA. Staff is working on incorporating the feedback provided by Legal Counsel. Upon completion of the required documents, the initial stage of the regulatory package will begin.

c) Update on 16 CCR Sections 1381.9, 1381.10, 1392 – Retired License, Renewal of Expired License, Psychologist Fees

   During the November 2017 Board Meeting, the Board approved retired status regulations and delegated authority to the Executive Officer to make any non-substantive changes, and proceed with the rulemaking process. During the January 2018 Licensing Committee Meeting, staff provided Committee Members with additional changes to these regulatory provisions, which will be
reviewed and considered by the Board under agenda item 18(e) at the February 2018 Board Meeting.

d) Update on 16 CCR Sections 1381.9, 1397.60, 1397.61, 1397.62, 1397.67 – Continuing Professional Development

This regulatory package is pending completion of required documents which will allow it to begin the Initial Review Stage with DCA. Staff is working on completing the Initial Statement of Reason and Notice of Proposed Changes with Informative Digest for Legal Counsel review.

**Action Requested:**
These items are for informational purposes only. No action is required at this time.