

MEMORANDUM

DATE	January 22, 2019
TO	Board Members
FROM	 Stephanie Cheung Licensing Manager
SUBJECT	Agenda Item 22(c) Temporary Practice of Psychology in California for Licensed Psychologists who are Licensed in Other States in the U.S. or in Canada: Discuss Business and Professions Code Section 2912.

Background:

At the October 25, 2018 Licensing Committee meeting, Dr. Elizabeth Winkelman representing the California Psychological Association posed a question regarding whether the Committee would consider amendments to clarify the language relating to temporary practice of psychology in California for licensed psychologists who are licensed in other states in the U.S. or in Canada as provided in Business and Professions (B&P) Code section 2912.

At the January 11, 2019 Licensing Committee meeting, the Committee discussed and recommended language to be amended in B&P Code section 2912. The recommended language can be found in the attachment for the Board's consideration.

Attachments:

- A1: Proposed Amendments for Business and Professions Code section 2912 (Marked)
- A2: Proposed Amendments for Business and Professions Code section 2912 (Unmarked)

Action Requested:

Discuss and review proposed amendments and approve language as amended. Once approved, recommend the Board to adopt the language as written and proceed to seek legislation.

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