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Joint Sunset Review Oversight Hearing

Senate Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development and
Assembly Committee on Business and Professions

Senator Jerry Hill and Assemblymember Susan Bonilla

Agenda

Wednesday, March 9, 2016

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., State Capitol, Room 4202

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm, State Capitol, John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)

ITEM 1. REVIEW OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

A. Issues to Be Addressed by the Department

➤ *Awet Kidane, Director*

1. Issue #1: Potential Antitrust Liability for Boards under the DCA
2. Issue #2: BreEZe
3. Issues #3 and #4: Pro Rata and Board Licensing Fee Increases
4. Issue #8: Status of the Bureau of Medical Marijuana Regulation

B. Issues to Be Addressed by the Department and Office of the Attorney General

➤ *Awet Kidane, Director*

➤ *Robert Sumner, Special Counsel for Legislation, California Department of Justice*

1. Issue #7: Status of CURES

C. Issues to Be Addressed by the Department, the Department's Division of Investigation, Office of the Attorney General, Office of Administrative Hearings and Medical Board of California

1. Issue #5: Update on the Consumer Protection Enforcement Initiative (CPEI)
2. Issue #6: Transfer of Medical Board Investigators and Use of the Vertical Prosecution Model

ITEM 2. REVIEW OF THE BUREAU OF REAL ESTATE

A. Issues to Be Addressed by the Bureau

- *Awet Kidane, Director, Department of Consumer Affairs*
- *Wayne Bell, Bureau Chief*

1. Brief Overview of the Bureau of Real Estate
2. Issue #3: Public Outreach
3. Issue #4: Relationship with the Department Following the 2012 Reorganization and Transfer to the Department
4. Issue #12: Licensee Suspension
5. Issue #15: Consumer Recovery Account
6. Further Comments

B. Professional Groups, Organizations, and Individuals

ITEM 3. REVIEW OF THE BUREAU OF REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS

A. Issues to Be Addressed by the Bureau

- *Awet Kidane, Director*
- *Jim Martin, Bureau Chief*

1. Brief Overview of the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers
2. Issue #4: Relationship with the Department Following the 2012 Reorganization and Transfer to the Department
3. Issue #11: Forces Influencing Value
4. Issue #12: Standards of Conduct
5. Further Comments

B. Professional Groups, Organizations, and Individuals

ITEM 4. REVIEW OF THE COURT REPORTERS BOARD

A. Issues to Be Addressed by the Board

- *Davina Hurt, Board Chair*
- *Rosalie Kramm, Board Vice Chair*

➤ ***Yvonne Fenner, Executive Officer***

1. Brief Overview of the Court Reporters Board
2. Issue #1: Licensing Fees
3. Issue #2 and #3: Transcript Reimbursement Fund
4. Issue #4: Enforcing statutes against foreign court reporting corporations
5. Further Comments

B. Professional Groups, Organizations, and Individuals

ITEM 5. REVIEW OF THE PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT BOARD

A. Issues to Be Addressed by the Board

- ***Robert E. Sachs, PA-C, Board President***
- ***Jed Grant, PA-C, Board Vice President***
- ***Glen Mitchell, Executive Officer***

1. Brief Overview of the Physician Assistant Board
2. Issue #1: Fund Condition
3. Issue #3: Enforcement
4. Issue #4: BreEZe
5. Issue #8: AS Pathway, Including the Effect on Military Applicants
6. Further Comments

B. Professional Groups, Organizations, and Individuals

ITEM 6. REVIEW OF THE BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE

A. Issues to Be Addressed by the Board

- ***John Cha, Board President***
- ***Kristina Dixon, Board Member***
- ***Jason Campbell, Executive Officer***

1. Brief Overview of the Physician Assistant Board
2. Issue #1: Fees
3. Issue #7: BreEZe
4. Issue #3: Post-Graduate Education
5. Issue #5: Military Experience
6. Further Comments

B. Professional Groups, Organizations, and Individuals