PUBLIC AGENDA
MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
FEBRUARY 28, 2003

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1. Welcome and Introduction of Guests.
2. Approval of the Minutes.
3. Director's Report.
4. Report Concerning Southern Conference of Dental Deans and Examiners.
5. Reports from ADA Accreditation Site Visits.
6. Report from Oral Health Care Task Force Meeting.
7. Report Concerning Dental Hygiene Clinical Assessment.
8. Report Concerning House Bill 651.
9. Approve Reinstatement Request.
10. Approve Fictitious Names.
11. Appearance by Dental Organization for Conscious Sedation (DOCS).
12. Appearance by Steven K. Miner, D.M.D..
13. Review Advertisements.
14. Review Correspondence from Laurel Dental Society.
15. Review Correspondence from American Dental Hygienists' Association.
16. Personal Appearance Concerning Possible Re-Licensure.
17. Approve Consent Orders.
18. Reports on Status of Pending Investigations/Disciplinary Actions.