PUBLIC AGENDA
MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
MAY 9-10, 2003

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1. Welcome and Introduction of Guests.
2. February 28, 2003 Minutes.
3. Director's Report.
4. Report from March 2003 Meetings of AADE, AADA, and CITA.
5. Corporate/Trade Names Submitted for Approval.
6. Continuing Education Request.
7. Advertisements Submitted for Approval.
8. Request for Return to Active Status.
9. Report Concerning Board Regulation 29.
10. Consider Amending Board Regulation 7 (Provisional Licensure).
11. Question Concerning Whether Pediatric Dentists May Treat/Perform Orthodontic and Other Procedures on Healthy Adult Patients.
12. Limited License for Specific Charitable Work.
13. Request for Comments Regarding Proposed “Guidance for Clinical Licensure Examinations in Dentistry.”
14. Medical Malpractice Payment Reports.
15. Appearances for Dental and Dental Hygiene Licensure by Credentials and Dental Provisional Fellowship Licensure.
16. Consent Orders Regarding Misleading Advertising.
17. Consent Order Regarding Noncompliance with 2000-2002 Continuing Education Compliance Audit.
18. Reasonable Cause Determinations for Practicing Dentistry Without a License.
19. Reports on Status of Pending Investigations/Disciplinary Actions (Includes Cases for Remand to the Files).
20. Calibration for 2003 Dental and Dental Hygiene Licensure Examinations. (May 10, 2003)