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MISSION STATEMENT

To establish and maintain standards of qualifications and performance for licensed behavioral health professionals in the fields of counseling, marriage and family therapy, social work and substance abuse counseling and to regulate the practice of licensed behavioral health professionals for protection of the public.

BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH EXAMINERS
NOTICE & AGENDA FOR TELECONFERENCE
Scheduled for December 7, 2017, at 8:00 AM
3443 N Central Avenue, Room 1705, Phoenix, Arizona

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the general public and to members of the Arizona State Board of Behavioral Health Examiners that the Board will hold a teleconference meeting open to the public on the date and at the time indicated above. (The meeting room is located on the 17th floor of the building.)

The Board, upon a majority vote of a quorum of the members, may hold an Executive Session on any of the listed agenda items to discuss or consider records exempt by law from public inspection, including the receipt and discussion of information or testimony that is specifically required to be maintained as confidential by state and federal law, or to obtain legal advice. A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2) and (3). Executive Sessions are not open to the public.

The Board usually allows 3 – 5 minutes per person for public comment on any agenda item; however, depending on the issue presented, the Board Chairperson has the discretion to expand that time.

Americans with Disabilities Act: Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter or a copy of this document in alternative format, by contacting Charlene Garcia at 602-542-1893 or the TDD number at 800-367-8939.

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If you need to speak to a member of the Board staff regarding an agenda item, please contact Charlene Garcia at 602-542-1893 or the TDD number at 800-367-8939.

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. Call to order

2. Roll call (staff)

3. Report from the Executive Director and/or staff

The Board may go into executive session to discuss personnel matters pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(1), to discuss confidential records pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2) or to obtain legal advice pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3).

A. Review, consideration and possible action regarding approving the Board's executive director to serve as the American Association of State Counseling Board's executive director representative.

4. Future agenda items

5. Call for public comment

Those wishing to address the Board do not need to request permission in advance; however, the Board may limit those persons speaking during this time to a reasonable number on any given public matter. In addition, each person wishing to address the Board will be given five (5) minutes to do so. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01(H), the Board can only take action on matters listed on the agenda. Action on public comment matters that are not listed on the agenda will be limited to directing staff to study the matter or to schedule the matter for further discussion at a later date.

6. Establishment of future meeting date(s)

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Friday, January 19, 2017, at 9:00 a.m., at 1740 W. Adams St.

7. Adjournment

December 5, 2017

Tobi Zavala
Executive Director