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PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE
ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY
Monday, February 06, 2023
9:00 a.m. MST

To join the recorded and archived
video meeting, *click this link:*

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Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statute (“A.R.S”) § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Arizona State Board of Massage Therapy (“Board”) and to the general public, that the Board will hold a meeting open to the public on **February 06, 2022, Monday, at 9:00 a.m. MST**. The meeting will be held digitally online. [One or more members, of the Board, may participate in the meeting by telephonic communications].

The meeting is open to the public. However, during the course of the meeting, the Board, upon a majority vote of a quorum of the members, may, when necessary, hold an executive session pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) as indicated on the Board’s Agenda. The executive session is not open to the public.

Information concerning the Board’s Agenda, including a copy of the Agenda and any amendments, can be obtained at the Board’s office, through the Board’s website at <https://massagetherapy.az.gov/board-meetings> or by contacting Board staff at info@massageboard.az.gov. The Agenda is subject to change up to 24 hours prior to the meeting. Agenda items are noted by number and letter for convenience and reference. The Board may address the agenda items in any order within the time frame indicated, and may set over matters to a later time when necessary. The Board reserves the right to change the order of the agenda items, except for matters set for a specific time.

Title 2 of the Americans with Disabilities Act prohibits the Board from discriminating on the basis of disability in its public meetings. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting Board staff at info@massageboard.az.gov. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

Tom Augherton, Executive Director

February 2, 2023

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tom Augherton".

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Vacant, Public Member

February 06, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. MST
Board Meeting Agenda
(Meeting conducted online, recorded and archived)

► Arizona licensees attending this full Board meeting may apply for 3 hours of continuing education (CE) credit, once biennially, using temporary sign-in link provided before meeting.

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NOTE: The Chair of the Arizona State Board of Massage Therapy (“Board”) reserves the right to change the order of items published on this agenda, except for public hearings set for a specific time. During the Board meeting, and upon a vote of the majority of a quorum, the Board may go into Executive Session to obtain legal advice from the Board’s attorney(s) pursuant to Arizona Revised Statute (“A.R.S.”) § 38-431.03(A)(3) on any items listed on the agenda. All meeting attendees whose presence is not required in an Executive Session may remain in the board meeting room when the Board withdraws to chambers for an Executive Session. Any and all legal action by Board members will only take place in Open Session.

In accordance with the Open Meeting Law, the Board has a civility policy that prohibits any type of disorderly conduct that disrupts the Board from carrying out its business. Individuals found violating this policy will be asked to modify their behavior and act civilly, and if the disorderly conduct continues, the person may be removed from the virtual meeting.

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I. CALL TO ORDER – Chair

II. ROLL CALL – Staff

III. BOARD TO REVIEW, DISCUSS AND POSSIBLY TAKE ACTION ON HOUSE BILL 2172, AS IT RELATES TO THE PRACTICE OF MASSAGE THERAPY AND REPEALING THE REQUIREMENT REGARDING THE ENGLISH PROFICIENCY EXAMINATION.

The Board’s action may include, but is not limited to, voting to support or oppose HB2172 AND/OR directing Board staff to undertake action to effectuate the Board’s position.

IV. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE BOARD ACTION ITEMS FOR FUTURE STATE MEETING AGENDAS – Chair, Board members

The next monthly State Board meeting date:

■ Monday, February 27, 2023 at 9:00 a.m., held digitally.

V. ADJOURNMENT – Chair

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