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Texas Board of Physical Therapy Examiners

**RULES AND PRACTICE
Committee Meeting**

**333 Guadalupe, Suite 2-510
Austin, Texas 78701**

**April 20, 2017
3:00 pm**

13 **Members Present:** Gary Gray, PT, Chair
14 Harvey Aikman, PT
15 Jeff Tout, PT
16 Philip Vickers, Public Member

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18 **Staff:** John Maline, Executive Director
19 Mark Turek, Chief Investigator
20 Michael Briscoe, Assistant Licensing Manager
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22 **Legal Counsel:** Kara Holsinger, Assistant Attorney General
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24 **Agenda**

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- 26 A. Call to order.
 - 27 B. Public comment.
 - 28 C. Approval of minutes from the August 11, 2016 meeting.
 - 29 D. Discussion and possible action on identifying sections of the rules for possible amendment due to
 - 30 changes in statute from the Sunset legislation, SB 317 and HB 4069, and other legislation.
 - 31 E. Discussion and possible action on proposing changes to §322.1. Provision of Services, regarding
 - 32 adding (f) Telehealth, including impact of Physical Therapy Licensure Compact.
 - 33 F. Discussion and possible action on posting and reporting of violations with administrative fines.
 - 34 G. Discussion and possible action on future meeting dates and agenda items.
 - 35 H. Adjournment.
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38 **A. Call to Order**

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40 Gary Gray, Chair called the roll and determined a quorum was present. He called the meeting to order
41 at 3:00 p.m.

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43 **B. Public comment**

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45 There was no public comment.

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47 **C. Approval of minutes from the April 28, 2016 meeting**

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49 Motion: To approve the minutes as submitted.
50 Made by: Jeff Tout
51 Second: Philip Vickers
52 Motion passed unanimously.
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1 **D. Discussion and possible action on identifying sections of the rules for possible amendment**
2 **due to changes in statute from the Sunset legislation, SB 317 and HB 4069, and other legislation.**
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4 Mr. Gray presented the crosswalk of Sunset language and potential rules that will need amending once
5 the legislation has been passed by both the Senate and House of Representatives and signed by the
6 Governor. The Committee discussed the issue but took no action pending final enrollment of legislative
7 bills.
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9 **E. Discussion and possible action on proposing changes to §322.1. Provision of Services,**
10 **regarding adding (f) Telehealth, including impact of Physical Therapy Licensure Compact.**
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12 The Committee discussed the issue but took no action pending official enactment of the Physical
13 Therapy Licensure Compact.
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15 **F. Discussion and possible action on posting and reporting of violations with administrative**
16 **finances.**
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18 The Committee discussed the issue but took no action pending final enrollment of legislative bills.
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20 **G. Discussion and possible action on future meeting dates and agenda items.**
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22 The Committee set the next committee meeting for July 20, 2017 with potential rule proposals as the
23 result of the 85th Legislative Session as agenda items.
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25 **H. Adjournment.**
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27 Motion: To adjourn the meeting.
28 Made by: Philip Vickers
29 Second: Jeff Tout

30 Motion passed unanimously.
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32 Mr. Gray adjourned the meeting at 4:12 p.m.
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34 **Date reviewed by the Committee:** 7/20/2017
35 **Action taken by the Committee:** approved as corrected
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