California State Board of Optometry
2420 Del Paso Road, Suite 255, Sacramento, CA 95834

Glaucoma Diagnosis and Treatment Advisory Committee
Thursday, February 5, 2009
9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Department of Consumer Affairs.
1625 North Market Boulevard
El Dorado Room, 2nd Floor
Sacramento, CA
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I. Call to order - Establishment of a Quorum

II. Welcome and Introductions

III. Review and Discussion of the Glaucoma Diagnosis and Treatment Advisory Committee’s (Committee) Charge and Responsibilities as defined in Senate Bill 1406, Chapter 352

IV. Review and Discussion of the Office of Professional Examination Services’ (formerly the Office of Examination Resources) Role and Responsibilities

V. Public Comment

VI. Review and Possible Action Regarding Additional Glaucoma Training for Licensees Who Graduated from an Accredited School of Optometry on or After May 1, 2008.

VII. Review and Possible Action Regarding an Appropriate Curriculum for Case Management of Patients Diagnosed with Glaucoma for Applicants for Certification Who Have Successfully Completed a Didactic Course of Not Less Than 24 Hours as Described in Paragraph (4) of Subdivision (f) of Business and Professions Code Section 3041.

VIII. Review and Possible Action Regarding an Appropriate Combined Curriculum of Didactic Instruction in the Diagnostic, Pharmacological, and Other Treatment and Case Management of Patients Diagnosed with Glaucoma, for Certification as Described in Paragraph (5) of Subdivision (f) of Business and Professions Code Section 3041.

IX. Future Meeting Dates and Agendas

X. Adjournment
Public comments will be taken on agenda items at the time the specific item is raised. The Committee may take action on any item listed on the agenda, unless listed as informational only. Agenda items may be taken out of order to accommodate speakers and to maintain a quorum. The meeting facilitator or chair will determine the time limitations for public comment.

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