BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

NOTICE OF ADDITIONAL WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the California State Board of Optometry (hereafter "Board") is proposed modifications to the text of <u>section 1536 in Title 16 of Cal</u>. Code Reg. which were the subject of a regulatory hearing on August 17, 2015. A copy of the modified text is enclosed. Any person who wishes to comment on the proposed modifications may do so by submitting written comments on or before **July 15, 2016** to the following:

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This proposed regulatory action was originally noticed and published on in September 2015 which had required written comments be submitted by September 19, 2015. However, due to an administrative oversight, some interested parties may not have received the notice, so out of an abundance of caution, an additional 15-day comment period on the <u>same modifications</u> has been provided. This notice <u>does not include any new modified text</u>, as the reposting and the additional 15 day notice is to ensure the public and all interested parties have had the adequate time to alert the Board to any concerns they may have. The text this notice refers to is are illustrated by double underline for proposed additions and by double strikeout for proposed deletions in the text. Written comments, including those sent by mail, facsimile, or e-mail to the addresses listed under contact person in this Notice, must be received by the Board at its office not later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, July 15, 2016.

Please note that any comments should be restricted to the most recent modifications made to the proposed regulations. The board is not required to respond to comments received in response to this notice on other aspects of the proposed regulations. Any comments previously submitted remain in the rulemaking file.