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WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON

PROPOSED REGULATION LCB File No. R085-08

NEVADA STATE BOARD OF HOMEOPATHIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS

May 15, 2008 5:00 p.m. The Nevada Clinic 3663 Pecos McLeod Int. Las Vegas, NV 89121

Comments of Members of the Public

The workshop was opened to the public and began at <u>5:00 p.m</u>. The following persons were present:

Moderator: Fuller Royal, conducting the workshop

Members of the Public: George Eversaul, A.P.H., James W. Campbell, D.C.

A brief introduction as to the purpose for the workshop was reviewed by the moderator. The public was advised that the address of the Homeopathic Medical Board office is: 435 Court Street, Reno, Nevada 89501. This workshop had been set for the purpose of soliciting comments from interested persons on the following general topics that were addressed in the proposed regulation:

- 1. Increasing the annual renewal fees for licensees, advanced practitioners of homeopathy, and homeopathic assistants; establishing administrative fees (NAC 630A.120; 630A.550);
- 2. Defining the meaning of terms applicable to the definition of homeopathic medicine as practiced in Nevada (NAC 630A.0125; 630A.014);
- 3. The appointment of licensees and certified advanced practitioners of homeopathy to the Education Committee (NAC 630A.031);
- 4. Standardization of the written and oral examination procedures for applicants for license to practice as a homeopathic physician and for applicants for certification to practice as advanced practitioners of homeopathy (NAC 630A.060; 630A.430);
- 5. Qualifications required to practice as an advanced practitioner of homeopathy (NAC 630A.420); and
- 6. Language defining supervision and protocol options for the scope of practice of an advanced practitioner of homeopathy (NAC 630A.475 [new]; 630A.490).

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This workshop was conducted to receive comments from all interested persons regarding the adoption and amendment of regulation pertaining to chapter **630A** of the Nevada Administrative Code. The Board believes this regulation is necessary to protect the public from harm.

It has been determined that the proposed regulation will impose a direct economic burden upon homeopathic physicians, homeopathic assistants, and certified advanced practitioners of homeopathy, but will not directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of the practice of alternative and complementary medicine in Nevada, including homeopathy.

All attending the workshop were invited to express their concerns, opposition to or support for any or all parts of this regulation. All were invited to submit any written material relating to LCB File No. R085-08. The workshop was opened for public comment.

James W. Campbell, D.C.

Dr. Campbell asked for an explanation as to why the term "Applied Kinesiology" had been included in **Section 1** and **Section 3** (1) (d) of the regulation. Fuller Royal said the intent was to allow application of the methodology for nutritional evaluation of patients and whether or not certain nutrients would be beneficial. This will be available to those licensees and certificate holders adequately trained in Applied Kinesiology as determined by the Board.

Dr. Campbell asked if the regulation would restrict the use of Applied Kinesiology to persons practicing under chapter 630A of NRS. Fuller Royal said the regulation would not restrict those practicing Applied Kinesiology under other health care Boards. Dr. Campbell said he had no other questions (or comments) pursuant to LCB File No. 085-08.

Fuller Royal invited Dr. Campbell to attend the June 26, 2008 Public Teleconference Board Meeting if he had further comments pursuant to LCB File No. 085-08. He was encouraged to write and send his comments and recommendations to the Board office.

There were no further comments. The public workshop was closed at <u>5:30 p.m.</u> Pacific time

Moderator		Date: May 15, 2008
	F. Fuller Royal, President	

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May 15, 2008 5:00 p.m. At the

Sierra Integrative Medical Center 380 Brinkby Avenue Reno, NV 89509

Comments of Members of the Public

The wor were pre	kshop was opened to the public and began at p.m. The following persons sent:
N	Moderator: Bruce Fong, DO, HMD, conducting the workshop
N	Members of the Public:

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Bruce Fong, Secretary-Treasurer