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## OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR ALASKA

#### MEMORANDUM

TO:

Jun Maiquis

Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development

FROM:

Scott Meriwether, Office of the Lieutenant Governor

465.4081

DATE:

November 28, 2016

RE:

Filed Permanent Regulations: Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate

Examiners

Update to Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners regulations re:

ethics and standards (12 AAC 60.185)

Attorney General File:

JU2016200574

Regulation Filed:

November 23, 2016

Effective Date:

December 23, 2016

Print:

220, January 2017

cc with enclosures:

Linda Miller, Department of Law

Micaela Fowler, Department of Commerce, Community & Economic

Development

Dianne Blumer, Administrative Regulation Review Committee

Judy Herndon, LexisNexis

#### ORDER CERTIFYING THE CHANGES TO REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGIST AND PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATE EXAMINERS

The attached one page of regulations, dealing with ethics and standards, is hereby certified to be a correct copy of the regulation changes that the Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners adopted at its November 3-4, 2016 meeting, under the authority of AS 08.86.070 and AS 08.86.080 and after compliance with the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62), specifically including notice under AS 44.62.190 and 44.62.200 and opportunity for public comment under AS 44.62.210.

This action is not expected to require an increased appropriation.

Although no public comments were received, the Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners paid special attention to the cost to private persons of the regulatory action being taken.

The regulation changes described in this order take effect on the 30th day after they have been filed by the lieutenant governor, as provided in AS 44.62.180.

DATE: 114 16

Al Levy, Chair

Board of Psychologist and

Psychological Associate Examiners

#### FILING CERTIFICATION

I, Byron Mallott, Lieutenant Governor for the State of Alaska, certify that on November 13, 2016 at 030 pt.m., I filed the attached regulations according to the provisions of AS 44.62.040 – 44.62.120.

Byron Mallott, Lieutenant Governor

Effective: December 23, 2016

Register: 220 January 2017

# Chapter 60. Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners.

12 AAC 60.185 is amended to read:

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12 AAC 60.185. Ethics and standards. (a) The ethics to be adhered to by licensed psychologists and licensed psychological associates are the *Ethical Principles of Psychologists* and Code of Conduct (June 2003), with the 2010 amendments, effective June 1, 2010, of the

American Psychological Association, Inc. Ethical Principles of Psychologists and Code of

Conduct is incorporated by reference in this section.

(b) Repealed 12/23/206 [THE STANDARDS TO BE ADHERED TO BY
LICENSED PSYCHOLOGISTS AND LICENSED PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATES
RENDERING PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES IN THE STATE ARE GENERAL GUIDELINES
FOR PROVIDERS OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES, (1987 EDITION), OF THE AMERICAN
PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION. GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR PROVIDERS OF
PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES IS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE IN THIS SECTION].
(Eff. 4/22/83, Register 86; am 3/17/91, Register 117; am 7/28/94, Register 131; am 9/17/2003,
Register 167; am 12/23/206, Register 220)

**Authority:** AS 08.86.070 AS 08.86.080

Editor's note: A copy of the Ethical Principles of Psychologists and Code of Conduct

[OR GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR PROVIDERS OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES],
incorporated by reference in 12 AAC 60.185, may be obtained from the American Psychological
Association, Inc., 750 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002-4242; telephone: (800) 374-2721

or (202) 336-5500 [5930]; email: ethics@apa.org; website: (Interest excluses)

http://www.apa.org/ethics/code/index.aspx.

### **MEMORANDUM**

## State of Alaska

Department of Law

To: Hon. Byron Mallott Lieutenant Governor

Date: November 22, 2016

File No.: JU2016200574

Tel. No.: 465-3600

From: Steven C. Weaver

Sr. Assistant Attorney General and Assistant Regulations Attorney Legislation and Regulations Section

Re: Update to Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners regulations re: ethics and standards

(12 AAC 60.185)

We have reviewed the attached regulations from the Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners against the statutory standards of the Administrative Procedure Act. I have reviewed this project under a specific delegation dated November 21, 2016 from the Regulations Attorney. The regulations adopt by reference an updated document regarding the ethics and standards applicable to psychologists and psychological associates and repeal an out-of-date adoption by reference.

We find no legal problems. This memorandum constitutes the written statement of approval under AS 44.62.060(b) and (c) that authorizes your office to file the attached regulations.

The June 29, 2016 public notice and the November 4, 2016 certification of adoption order both state that this action is not expected to require an increased appropriation. Therefore, a fiscal note under AS 44.62.195 is not required.

Hon. Byron Mallott, Lieutenant Governor Our file: JU2016200574

We have made some technical corrections to conform the regulations in accordance with AS 44.62.125. The corrections are shown on the attached copy of the regulations.

**SCW** 

cc w/enc: (via email)

Al Levy, Chair (through Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist) Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners

Micaela Fowler, Regulations Contact Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development

Janey Hovenden, Director Division of Corporations, Business, and Professional Licensing Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development

Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist
Division of Corporations, Business, and Professional Licensing
Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development

### **MEMORANDUM**

### State of Alaska

#### **Department of Law**

то: Hon. Byron Mallott Lieutenant Governor DATE: November 21, 2016

FILE NO.: JU2016200574

**TELEPHONE NO.:** 465-3600

FROM: Susan R. Pollard Sepollard Chief Assistant Attorney General & Regulations Attorney Legislation/Regulations Section

**SUBJECT**: Specific delegation of authority

regarding regulations review on Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners regulations re: ethics and standards (12 AAC

60.185))

By this memorandum, I am delegating my authority as Regulations Attorney under AS 44.62 to Assistant Attorney General Steven C. Weaver for the above-referenced regulations project. Under this delegation of authority, Steven Weaver has my full authority under AS 44.62 to conduct the legal review under AS 44.62 and take necessary actions on this regulations project.

If you have questions, please let me know.

SCW

cc w/enc:

Scott C. Meriwether, AAC Coordinator Office of the Lieutenant Governor

Steven C. Weaver

Sr. Assistant Attorney General Legislation/Regulations Section

STATE OF ALASKA	)	
	)	SS
FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT	)	

#### AFFIDAVIT OF BOARD ACTION

I, Renee Hoffard, Licensing Examiner for the Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners, being duly sworn, state the following:

The attached motion dealing with ethics and standards was passed by the Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners during its November 3-4, 2016 meeting.

Date:  $\frac{11-15-16}{\text{Juneau, Alaska}}$ 

Renee Hoffard, Licensing Examiner

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 6 day of November, 2016.



Notary Public in and for the

State of Alaska

My commission expires: with office

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	DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
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4	BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGISTS AND PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATES
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/	MINUTES OF MEETING
9	November 3-4, 2016
10	The staff of the Division of Corporations, Business & Professional Licensing prepared
11	these draft minutes. They have not been reviewed or approved by the Board.
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13	By the authority of AS 08.01.070(2), and in compliance with the provisions of AS 44.62,
14	Article 6, a scheduled Board meeting was held at 550 W. 7th Ave., Anchorage, Alaska.
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16	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2016
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18	AGENDA ITEM 1- CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL
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20	The meeting was called to order at 8:51 a.m. by Al Levy
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22	Those present, constituting a quorum of the Board:
23 24	Kristi Fuller, Psychologist,
25	Al Levy, Psychologist
26	Suzanne Dutson, Public
27	Sarah Angstman, Psychologist
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29	In attendance from the Department of Commerce, Community and Economic
30	Development, Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing, were:
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32	Renee Hoffard, Licensing Examiner
33	Janey Hovenden, Director
34	Sara Chambers, Operations Manager
35	Martha Hewitt, Finance
36	Dawn Hannasch, Records and Licensing Supervisor
37	Brian Howes, Investigations
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39	In attendance as members of the public:
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41	Michael Powell, Health and Social Services, Dept. of Behavioral Health
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44	AGENDA ITEM 2- REVIEW AND APPROVE AGENDA
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46	UPON A MOTION MADE BY SARAH ANGSTMAN; SECONDED BY KRISTI FULLER
47	AND APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY, IT WAS RESOLVED TO AMEND THE AGENDA BY
48	STRIKING AGENDA ITEM 10, CORRESPONDENCE.
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- 146 APPLIATIONS WITH THE STIPULATION THAT THE INFORMATION IN THE
  147 APPLICATION FILES WILL TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER THE MINUTES OF THIS MEETING.
- 149 Extension of Supervision Plan (1 year)
- 150 Jaedon Avey and Ruddy Taylor
- 151 Alternate Supervision Plan
- 152 Kaichen McRae and Dianna Rehn
- 154 Psychological Associate
- 155 Daniel Davis and Gabrielle Poon Stroud
- 157 Psychologist

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William Couthran, Damita LaRue, Mariana Ivanovic and Courtney Horwath-Oliver

#### AGENDA ITEM 9- NEW BUSINESS

- A. Al shared information he learned at the recent ASPPB Conference, reiterating that he feels it would greatly benefit all board members to attend the upcoming conferences. The professional organization is actively working on many projects that will have significant impact on the profession.
- B. Al explained PSYPACT to the board; it is an interstate reciprocity pact that will make the licensing process more efficient for licensees working in multiple states.
- C. The EPPP2 is a new national exam that is in the beginning stages of development within ASPPB; it is an exam that has clinicians apply the knowledge they have gained.
- D. PLUS Program is an application review tool provided by ASPPB at no cost to boards; representatives of ASPPB will provide more detailed information during the webinar November 4.
- 4:34 PM, Board recesses until tomorrow (November 4, 2016), 9AM.

#### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2016

179 Reconvene at 9:09AM.

Roll call, present Kristi Fuller, Al Levy, Suzanne Dutson, , and Sarah Angstman.

#### AGENDA ITEM 12 REGULATIONS PROJECT

- The board reviewed the regulations project that was presented for consideration of adoption. The regulations project was in regards to the programs ethics policy. No public comment was received during the public comment period.
- 189 UPON A MOTION MADE BY KRISTI FULLER; SECONDED BY SARAH ANGSTMAN AND
- 190 APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY, IT WAS RESOLVED TO ADOPT THE REGULATIONS
- 191 AMENDMENT AS PUBLIC NOTICED.
- 192 193 *AGENDA ITEM 9(D) PLUS PROGRAM PRESENTATION*

STATE OF ALASKA	)
FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT	) ss.

## AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE OF PROPOSED ADOPTION OF REGULATIONS AND FURNISHING OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

I, Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist, of the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing, being sworn, state the following:

As required by AS 44.62.190, notice of the proposed adoption of changes to 12 AAC 60.185, dealing with ethics and standards, has been given by being:

- 1. published in a newspaper or trade publication;
- 2. furnished to interested persons;
- 3. furnished to appropriate state officials;
- 4. furnished to the Department of Law, along with a copy of the proposed regulations;
- 5. electronically transmitted to incumbent State of Alaska legislators;
- 6. furnished to the Legislative Affairs Agency, Legislative Legal and Research Services;
- 7. posted on the Alaska Online Public Notice System as required by AS 44.62.175(a)(1) and (b) and 44.62.190(a)(1);
- 8. furnished electronically, along with a copy of the proposed regulations, to the Legislative Affairs Agency, the chair of the Labor and Commerce Committee of the Alaska Senate and House of Representatives, the Administrative Regulation Review Committee, and the legislative council.

As required by AS 44.62.190(d), additional regulations notice information regarding the proposed adoption of the regulation changes described above has been furnished to interested persons and those in (5) and (6) of the list above. The additional regulations notice information also has been posted on the Alaska Online Public Notice System.

DATE: ///5/16
Juneau Alaska

Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this

NOTARY

Notary Public in and for the

State of Alaska

My commission expires: with office

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FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT	)	

#### AFFIDAVIT OF AGENCY RECORD OF PUBLIC COMMENT

I, Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist for the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing, being duly sworn, state the following:

The Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners did not receive any factual or other substantive information that was submitted in writing as public comment and that was relevant to the accuracy, coverage, or other aspect of the Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners regulations on dealing with ethics and standards.

DATE:

Juneau, Alaska

Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist

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## NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES ON ETHICS AND STANDARDS IN THE REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGIST AND PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATE EXAMINERS

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: The Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners proposes to update regulations regarding ethics and standards.

The Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners (Board) proposes to adopt regulation changes in Title 12, Chapter 60, of the Alaska Administrative Code, dealing with ethics and standards, including the following:

12 AAC 60.185, Ethics and standards, is proposed to be changed to update the ethics and standards that the board adopts by reference.

You may comment on the proposed regulation changes, including the potential costs to private persons of complying with the proposed changes, by submitting written comments to Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist, Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing, P.O. Box 110806, Juneau, AK 99811-0806. Additionally, the Board will accept comments by facsimile at (907) 465-2974 and by electronic mail at regulationsandpubliccomment@alaska.gov. Comments may also be submitted through the Alaska Online Public Notice System by accessing this notice on the system at http://notice.alaska.gov/182020, and using the comment link. The comments must be received not later than 5:00 p.m. on July 29, 2016. Comments received after this deadline will not be considered by the Board.

You may submit written questions relevant to the proposed action to Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist, Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing, P.O. Box 110806, Juneau, AK 99811-0806 or by e-mail at jun.maiquis@alaska.gov. The questions must be received at least 10 days before the end of the public comment period. The Board will aggregate its response to substantially similar questions and make the questions and responses available on the Board's website at https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardofPsychologists.aspx or on the Alaska Online Public Notice System. The Board may, but is not required to, answer written questions received after the 10-day cut-off date and before the end of the comment period.

If you are a person with a disability who needs a special accommodation in order to participate in this process, please contact Jun Maiquis at (907) 465-2537 or jun.maiquis@alaska.gov not later than July 22, 2016 to ensure that any necessary accommodations can be provided.

For a copy of the proposed regulation changes, contact Jun Maiquis at the address or phone number above, or go to https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/portals/5/pub/PSY-0316.pdf.

A copy of material proposed for adoption by reference is available on the Board's website at https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardofPsychologists.aspx.

After the public comment period ends, the Board will either adopt the proposed regulation changes or other provisions dealing with the same subject, without further notice, or decide to take no action. The language of the final regulation may be different from that of the proposed regulation. You should comment during the time allowed if your interests could be affected. Written comments and questions received are public records and are subject to public inspection.

**Statutory Authority:** AS 08.86.070; AS 08.86.080

Statutes Being Implemented, Interpreted, or Made Specific: AS 08.86.070; AS 08.86.080

**Fiscal Information:** The proposed regulation changes are not expected to require an increased appropriation.

DATE: 6/28/16

Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing

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# ADDITIONAL REGULATION NOTICE INFORMATION (AS 44.62.190(d))

- 1. Adopting agency: Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing.
- 2. General subject of regulation: Ethics and standards.
- 3. Citation of regulation: 12 AAC 60.185.
- 4. Department of Law file number: To be assigned.
- 5. Reason for the proposed action: Update and clarification of current regulations.
- 6. Appropriation/Allocation: Corporations. Business and Professional Licensing #2360.
- 7. Estimated annual cost to comply with the proposed action to:

A private person: None.
Another state agency: None.

A municipality: None.

- 8. Cost of implementation to the state agency and available funding (in thousands of dollars):
  No costs are expected in FY 2016 or in subsequent years.
- 9. The name of the contact person for the regulations:

Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist

Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing

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Telephone: (907) 465-2537 Email: jun.maiguis@alaska.gov

10. The origin of the proposed action: Board of Psychologist and Psychological Associate Examiners.

11. Date: 6/28/16

Prepared by:

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### AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

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Signed

Subscribed and sworn to before me

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Notary Public in and for The State of Alaska.

Third Division

Anchorage, Alaska

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