GEORGIA BOARD OF DENTISTRY Sedation Committee Meeting 2 Peachtree St., N.W., 5th Floor Atlanta, GA 30303 November 3, 2017 9:30 a.m.

The following Committee members were present: Dr. Antwan Treadway, Chair Ms. Wendy Johnson

Staff present:

Bryon Thernes, Assistant Attorney General Kimberly Emm, Attorney Brandi Howell, Business Support Analyst I

Visitors: Alan Furness, DCG

Open Session

Dr. Treadway established that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order at 9:33 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

Ms. Johnson made a motion to approve the Public and Executive Session minutes for the September 15, 2017 meeting. Dr. Treadway seconded and the Committee voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

Rules Discussion

Dr. Treadway discuss anesthesia guidelines changing with ADA Resolution 37 and how those changes will impact Georgia. After discussion of proposed changes, the Committee recommended referring the proposed amendments to Rules 150-13-.01 Conscious Sedation Permits and 150-13-.02 Deep Sedation/General Anesthesia Permits to the full Board.

Dr. Treadway discussed Rule 150-13-.03 Renewal of Conscious Sedation and Deep Sedation/General Anesthesia Permits. He stated for those who hold sedation permits the individual must have four (4) hours of continuing education dedicated to anesthesia. He suggested the Committee recommend to the full Board two (2) of the four (4) hours be awarded by performing sedation evaluations by a board approved evaluator as an incentive. He stated that currently, eight (8) hours per biennium may be obtained toward the forty (40) hour continuing education requirement for the dental license, per Rule 150-3-.09.

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 9:56 a.m.

Minutes recorded by Brandi P. Howell, Business Support Analyst I Minutes edited by Tanja D. Battle, Executive Director