### NOTICE OF INTENT TO REPEAL RULE OF THE GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY RULE 150-2-.04 *PROCEDURAL RULES*. AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

#### TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the authority set forth below, the Georgia State Board of Dentistry (hereinafter "Board") proposes a repeal of Board Rule 150-2-.04 PROCEDURAL RULES.

This notice, together with an exact copy of the rule and a synopsis of the rule, is being forwarded to all persons who have requested, in writing, that they be placed on an interested parties list. A copy of this notice, an exact copy of the rule, and a synopsis of the rule may be reviewed during normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, except official State holidays, at the Department of Community Health at 2 Peachtree Street NW, Atlanta, Georgia, 30303. These documents will also be available for review on the Georgia State Board of Dentistry's web page at <a href="http://gbd.georgia.gov/">http://gbd.georgia.gov/</a>.

A public hearing is scheduled to begin via teleconference at 12:00 PM on August 15, 2014 at the Department of Community Health at 2 Peachtree Street, NW, Atlanta, Georgia, 30303 to provide the public an opportunity to comment upon and provide input into the proposed repeal. At the public hearing, anyone may present data, make a statement, comment or offer a viewpoint or argument whether orally or in writing. Lengthy statements or statements of a considerable technical or economic nature, as well as previously recorded messages, must be submitted for the official record. Oral statements should be concise and will be limited to 5 minutes per person. Additional comments should be presented in writing. Written comments are welcome. To ensure their consideration, written comments must be received prior to August 8, 2014. Written comments should be addressed to Executive Director of the Georgia State Board of Dentistry at 2 Peachtree Street NW, Atlanta, Georgia 30303 FAX: 678-717-6435. You may email your comments to the battle@dch.ga.gov.

The proposed rule repeal will be considered by the Georgia State Board of Dentistry at its meeting scheduled to begin via teleconference at 12:05 PM on August 15, 2014 at the Department of Community Health at 2 Peachtree Street, NW. Atlanta, Georgia, 30303. According to the Department of Law, State of Georgia, the Georgia State Board of Dentistry has the authority to repeal the rule pursuant to authority contained in O.C.G.A § 43-11-7.

At its meeting on June 13, 2014, the Board voted that the formulation and adoption of this repeal do not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the repeal cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of O.C.G.A §§ 43-11-7, 43-11-9. The formulation and adoption of this repeal will impact every licensee in the same manner, and each licensee is independently licensed, owned and operated and dominant in the field of dentistry.

For further information, contact the Board office at 404-651-8000.

This notice is given in compliance with O.C.G.A. §50-13-4.

This <u>15th</u> day of <u>July</u>, 2014.

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# SYNOPSIS OF PROPOSED REPEAL OF THE GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY RULE 150-2-.04 *PROCEDURAL RULES*.

Purpose of Rule: The purpose of this rule was to adopt procedural rules for contested cases before the Board.

Main Features: The main feature of this rule was to adopt by reference the permanent rules of the Office of the Joint Secretary, State Examining Boards.

## PROPOSED REPEAL OF GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY RULE 150-2-.04 *PROCEDURAL RULES*.

NOTE: Struck through text is proposed to be deleted. Underlined text is proposed to be added.

### 150-2-.04 Procedural Rules. Repealed

The Georgia Board of Dentistry hereby adopts by reference as its permanent rules Chapters 295-3 through 295-13, and any future amendments thereto, Rules and Regulations of the Office of Joint Secretary, State Examining Boards, relating to Procedural for Hearings before the several State Examining Boards.

Authority: O.C.G.A. § 43-11-7