

CALIFORNIA BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

Hearing Date: Not Applicable (No request from the public was received)

Subject Matter of Proposed Regulations: Application

Sections Affected: Title 16, Division 39, California Code of Regulations, Section 4110

Updated Information:

The Initial Statement of Reasons is included in the file describing the reason, rationale, and necessity of this proposed action.

On December 17, 2015, the Board noticed and made available:

- (1) An Addendum to the Initial Statement of Reasons to update the *Purpose* of the proposed changes related to this action and describe additional revisions to the Initial Application for Licensure; and
- (2) The updated Initial Application for Licensure (Rev 1/2016) described in the Addendum.

The Board has affected minor technical changes to the Order of Adoption and the application that was noticed. The changes included updating the revision date of the application from ‘Rev 1/2016’ to ‘Rev 7/2016’ to align the revision date with the date of submission of the final rulemaking file. In addition, the agency name on the letterhead of the Application was corrected from “State and Consumer Services Agency” to “Business, Consumer Services, and Housing Agency.”

Local Mandate: None

Business Impact/Finding of Necessity:

The Board has determined this proposed action will not have a significant adverse economic impact on business in California including the ability of California businesses to compete with businesses in other states.

The reason and rationale for proposing this regulatory action is to conform and update the Board’s application for licensure with legislative mandates identified in the Initial Statement of Reasons and Addendum to the Initial Statement of Reasons that are contained in the final rulemaking file.

Consideration of Alternatives:

No reasonable alternative which was considered or that has otherwise been identified and brought to the attention of the Board would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which it was proposed or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the adopted regulation or would be more cost effective to the affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provision of law.

Summary of Public Comments Received During 45-day Comment Period:

The Board did not receive any comments pertaining to this proposed action.

Summary of Public Comments Received During 15-day Comment Period:

The Board did not receive any comments pertaining to this proposed action.