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OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA • DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

MEMORANDUM

DATE	May 15, 2025
TO	Board Members
FROM	Terri Thorfinnson, J.D Legislative & Regulatory Specialist
RE:	Regulatory Status Update

The three regulatory packages are moving along in the rulemaking process. The CME/Audit and Cite and Fine package is undergoing its final DCA regulatory review before being submitted to the DCA Director for final approval. The Fees and License Status rulemaking documents are under review with the Board's Regulatory Counsel. The Disciplinary Guidelines are in the initial stages. Regulatory Counsel is reviewing language and drafting of the final language for board review is being done with the goal of presenting the proposed language at the August Board meeting.

Rulemaking Status: Continuing Medical Education and Cite and Fines

Concept/ Draft language	DCA pre-review	Board approval of Language	Draft Regulatory documents/ review	DCA Director Approval	Agency Approval	DOF Approval	Filing regulatory package with OAL
9.22.2018	3/5/18, 5/25/22, 6/29/23, 9/19/23, 6/4/24, 9/11/24	5/16/19, 1/14/21, 1/19/23, 8/17/23, 8/15/24	6/4/24, 9/11/24	October 2024	approved	approved	Submitted and approved to release for comments
45-day comment period	Respond to comments and submit package to OAL	Final review with Regulatory Attorney	Submit to OAL for approval	OAL approval or denial	Effective Date		
Completed January 8 th , 2025	Board review/ approval 2/13/2025 Board meeting	2/14/2025 pending					

Rulemaking Status: Fees and License Status

Concept/ Draft language	DCA pre-review	Board approval of Language	Draft Regulatory documents/ review	DCA Director Approval	Agency Approval	DOF Approval	Filing regulatory package with OAL
1/1/2024	2/1/24,2/15/24 2/28/24, 4/12/24, 4/12/24,5/9/24, 6/5/24,7/10/24, 7/22/24, 7/26/24	8/15/2024	pending				
45-day comment period	Respond to comments and submit package to OAL	Final review with Regulatory Attorney	Submit to OAL for approval	OAL approval or denial	Effective Date		

Rulemaking Status: Disciplinary Guidelines

<i>Concept/ Draft language</i>	<i>DCA pre-review</i>	<i>Board approval of Language</i>	<i>Draft Regulatory documents/ review</i>	<i>DCA Director Approval</i>	<i>Agency Approval</i>	<i>DOF Approval</i>	<i>Filing regulatory package with OAL</i>
1/31/2020	9/19/23, 10/9/23, 11/16/23, 3/8/24, 4/16/24, pending						
<i>45-day comment period</i>	<i>Respond to comments and submit package to OAL</i>	<i>Final review with Regulatory Attorney</i>	<i>Submit to OAL for approval</i>	<i>OAL approval or denial</i>	<i>Effective Date</i>		