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MEMORANDUM

TO: Rules Review Subcommittee of the Senate Health & Welfare Committee and the House Health & Welfare Committee

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SUBJECT: Board of Medicine

IDAPA 22.01.01 - Rules of the Board of Medicine for the Licensure to Practice Medicine and Surgery and Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery in Idaho - Proposed Rule (Docket No. 22-0101-1501)

IDAPA 22.01.15 - Rules Relating to Telehealth Services (New Chapter) - Proposed Rule (Docket No. 22-0115-1501)

(1) IDAPA 22.01.01 - Rules of the Board of Medicine for the Licensure to Practice Medicine and Surgery and Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery in Idaho - Proposed Rule (Docket No. 22-0101-1501)

The Board of Medicine submits notice of proposed rulemaking relating generally to Licensure to Practice Medicine and Surgery and Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery in Idaho, and specifically to Licensure for Graduates of International Medical Schools Located Outside of the United States and Canada. The proposed rule allows residents attending an Idaho based residency program to be licensed after successful completion of two years of progressive post graduate training if certain enumerated conditions are met.

The Board's proposed rule appears to be authorized pursuant to Sections 54-1806 and 54-1812, Idaho Code.

(2) IDAPA 22.01.15 - Rules Relating to Telehealth Services (New Chapter) - Proposed Rule (Docket No. 22-0115-1501)

The Board of Medicine submits notice of proposed rulemaking relating to Telehealth Services, which constitutes a new chapter. The proposed rule is prompted by the passage of House Bill No. 189, which created the Idaho Telehealth Access Act found in Chapter 57, Title 54, Idaho Code. The proposed rule clarifies the obligations of licensed health care providers in providing telehealth services to patients located in Idaho.

A public hearing concerning this rulemaking is scheduled to take place on Tuesday, September 15, 2015 at 12:00 p.m. (MT) in Boise, Idaho.

The Board's proposed rule appears to be authorized pursuant to Section 54-5713, Idaho Code.

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