## **SUMMARY OF FINAL REGULATION**

## Regulations Governing the Practice of Dentistry and Dental Hygiene

18 VAC 60-20-10 et seq.

The Board of Dentistry is amending 18 VAC 60-20-20 of its regulations in order to correct an error that was made in the promulgation of regulations which became effective on December 23, 1998. The Code of Virginia (§§ 54.1-2713 and 54.1-2715) specifies that a license to teach dentistry or a temporary permit to practice dentistry expires on the second June 30<sup>th</sup> after issuance. When regulations were amended in 1998, those two categories of licensure were inadvertently included with other licenses or permits that expire on March 31<sup>st</sup> of each year. The regulation must be corrected in order to remain in compliance with the law.