

1 COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
2 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
3 BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

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6 PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED REGULATIONS

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 JULY 12, 2002
 6606 WEST BROAD STREET
9 RICHMOND, VIRGINIA 23230
10 FOURTH FLOOR, CONFERENCE ROOM 3
 9:00 A.M.

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15 In re: To receive public comment on Proposed
16 Regulations Governing the Practice of Physical
 Therapy

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1 MS. SHOAF: My name is Lisa Shoaf, and I
2 serve as Chair of the Board of Physical
3 Therapy.

4 Today we are receiving comments on
5 Proposed Regulations on Continuing Competency
6 Requirements for renewal of a license as a
7 Physical Therapist or Physical Therapist
8 Assistant.

9 The Proposed Regulations are identical
10 to and will replace Emergency Regulations
11 currently in effect. Copies of the Proposed
12 Regulations are available on the back table.

13 I will call on persons who have signed
14 up to comment in the order that I have just
15 outlined.

16 At this time I will call on persons who
17 have signed up to comment on the proposed
18 amendments. As I call your name, please come
19 forward and tell us your name and where you are
20 from.

21 I want to remind everyone that comments
22 may be written, e-mailed or faxed to the Board
23 by July 19. All comments will be given to the
24 Board and considered prior to adoption of Final
25 Regulations.

1 We want to thank all who took the time
2 to come today and offer comments.

3 Richard, good morning.

4 MR. GROSSMAN: Good morning.

5 MS. SHOAF: We are doing two public
6 hearings. First, this one is on the continuing
7 competency. I don't know if you have any
8 comments on that one. Then the following one
9 will be the legislative piece. So I don't know
10 if you have any comments on this one, but we
11 wanted to recognize you.

12 MR. GROSSMAN: Thank you.

13 MS. SHOAF: Do you want to introduce
14 yourself?

15 MR. GROSSMAN: I'm Richard Grossman. I
16 represent the P.T. Association, but we are
17 supposed to have a speaker come and say
18 supportive words. If she doesn't make it in
19 time, we will just submit it in writing.
20 Everything seemed fine to us.

21 MS. SHOAF: For the record, regarding
22 continuing competency regulations, there was no
23 public comment this morning.

24 The public hearing relative to the
25 continuing competency regs is now closed.

1 NOTE: The public hearing was adjourned
2 at 9:12 a.m.

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HEARING CONCLUDED

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CERTIFICATE OF COURT REPORTER

I, Cynthia I. Mondejar, a Registered Professional Reporter, hereby certify that I was the Court Reporter at the Department of Health Professions regarding the Regulatory Review for the Board of Physical Therapy, in the City of Richmond, Virginia, on July 12, 2002, at the time of the public hearing herein.

I further certify that the foregoing transcript is a true and accurate record of the incidents of the hearing, to the best of my ability.

Given under my hand this 13th day of July, 2002.

Cynthia I. Mondejar

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22 My Commission Expires:

23 October 31, 2002

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