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NEVADA STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

MINUTES OF
NOTICE OF INTENT TO TAKE ACTION ON REGULATION
R049-25
October 30, 2025

1. **Action Item 1. Roll Call, Call to Order**, Dr. Smith opened the live meeting at 12:00p.m. Board members Sally Balecha, Mariah Smith, O.D., Jeffrey Austin, O.D., Dan Lyons, O.D., and Julie Alamo-Leon, O.D. were present via Zoom. Quorum established. Executive Director Schneider present at Nevada Business Center Tahoe Room 3300 W. Sahara Ave., 4th Floor Las Vegas, Nevada 89102.
2. **Public Comment**. Director Schneider invited public comment, with a reminder that no action will be taken at this meeting on any issues presented as public comment and the maximum time is three minutes. Director Schneider stated this regulation was approved by the Legislative Commission on October 28, 2025 and there are no other hurdles for adoption today by the Board. No other public comment received.
3. **Action Item. Notice of Intent to Take Action Upon Regulation R049-25**. Director Schneider reminded the Board this is the regulation to establish license renewal fees, license by endorsement fees, prorated veterans fees for initial license applications, and non-refundable fees. The Board had no other debate about the language as-is, then a motion needs to occur. Dr. Austin moved to accept as-is. Dr. Smith seconded. Motion passed unanimously.
4. **Public Comment**. Director Schneider invited public comment. No public comment received.
5. **Action Item**. Dr. Smith moved to adjourn the meeting. Dr. Alamo seconded. Motion passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 12:02p.m.

7 persons attended remotely, inclusive of five Board members. 1 person attended in-person, inclusive of the Executive Director. No roll call conducted or sign-in sheets provided.

These minutes were considered and approved by majority vote of the Nevada State Board of Optometry at its meeting on December 10, 2025.

Adam Schneider
Adam Schneider, Executive Director