# **AGENDA**

Wednesday, April 21, 2021

5:00 p.m.

Zoom Meeting ID: 831 3669 0841

Zoom Phone Number: 1 (312) 626-6799

### Call Meeting to Order; Roll Call

#### **Mission Statement**

The Board exists because the legislature declared that "in order to safeguard the public health, safety, and welfare, to protect the public from incompetent, unscrupulous, and unauthorized persons, and from unprofessional conduct by speech-language pathologists, audiologists, and speech-language pathology assistants, it is necessary to provide regulatory authority over persons offering speech-language pathology and audiology services to the public."

#### **Public Comments**

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### **Executive Session**

1. Complaint #2020-01



## LOUISIANA BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY

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#### CERTIFICATION OF INABILITY TO OPERATE DUE TO LACK OF QUORUM

In accordance with Executive Order JBE 2020-30, issued by Governor John Bel Edwards on March 16, 2020, this notice shall serve as a certification of the Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology's inability to otherwise operate in accordance with the Louisiana Open Meetings Law due to a lack of a quorum as a result of the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency and the measures put in place to protect the health and safety of the public.

As attested to below, Jolie Jones, Executive Director of the Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, has conferred with the members of the Board and confirmed their inability to attend a meeting in public in adherence with the measures in place under the direction and guidance from the White House, the Centers for Disease Control, and state health officials.

Considering the foregoing, and in accordance with Section 4 of the Executive Order JBE 2020-30, the Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology's Board Meeting will be held via video/audio conference on Wednesday, April 21, 2021, beginning at 5:00 p.m. in a manner that allows for observation and input by members of the public, as set forth in the Notice posted on Tuesday, April 20, 2021.

Jolie Johes, Executive Director

Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology