AGENDA

Friday, February 14, 2025 Board Office 8:30 a.m. 37283 Swamp Road, Suite 3B, Prairieville, LA

Call Meeting to Order; Welcome New Board Members; 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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Minutes

1. Minutes of December 13, 2024 (p. 3)

Financial(s)

- 1. Covalent Logic Retainer Renewal (p. 12)
- 2. Directors and Owners Insurance Renewal (p. 15)
- 3. Professional Contracts FY 2025-2026 (p. 16)
- 4. Budget FY 2025-2026 (p. 17)

Admin Review

- 1. Executive Director Update (annual training; board nominations 2 DH & JF positions posted 1/29/25; Occ Licensing Board Report) (p. 20)
- 2. Board Operations/LBESPA Processing (p. 27)
- 3. Impaired Professionals Program Report, Quarter 4 (p. 29)
- 4. Renewal Date Change Committee Rules Revision Recommendation
- 5. Policy re: English proficiency assessment exam (p. 30)

Correspondence

1. Email dated January 9, 2025, from Dr. Gail Gillespie, Ph.D., Licensed Psychologist, inquiring about speech-language pathologists evaluating and diagnosing Autism Spectrum Disorder (p. 31)

2. Email dated January 16, 2025, from Stephanie Tassin, inquiring about feeding/dysphagia/mealtime behaviors and the safety of students during mealtime (p. 35)

Conference(s)

NCSB (National Council of State Boards of Examiners)

1. 38th Annual NCSB Conference, September 18-20, 2025, Mt. Pleasant, SC (p. 38)

Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact (ASLP-IC)

1. ASLP-IC Newsletter (p. 39)

Executive Session

- 1. Review of New Complaint(s)
- 2. Review of Pending Complaints
 - a. 2024-12 (p. 44)
- 3. Review of Applications
 - a. KH (p. 47)
 - b. MF (p. 78)
 - c. AJ (p. 100)
 - •Full or Provisional SLPs and/or AUDs (p. 137) •Upgrades
 - •SLP Assistant and Provisional SLP Assistants •Reinstatements