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**BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS OF ALABAMA  
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

**AGENCY NAME:** BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS OF ALABAMA  
**RULE NO. AND TITLE:** 270-X-5.10- DEFINITION OF GROSS NEGLIGENCE  
**INTENDED ACTION:** To adopt the above referenced rule.

**SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION:** The Alabama Dental Practice Act in Code of Alabama 1975 34-9-18(a) (6) allows the Board to impose sanctions if a dentist or dental hygienist has been found guilty of gross negligence.

This rule is being adopted to define "gross negligence".

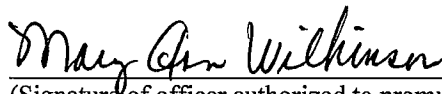
**TIME, PLACE, MANNER OR PRESENTING VIEW:** Interested persons may present their view in writing to the Administrative Secretary of the Board of Dental Examiners of Alabama at any time during a thirty five (35) days period following April 30, 2009 concluding on July 6, 2009, or if requested in advance, by personally appearing at a public hearing to be held beginning at 7:30 PM on July 9, 2009 at:

Board of Dental Examiners of Alabama  
5346 Stadium Trace Parkway, Suite 110  
Hoover, Alabama 35244

**FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:** July 6, 2009

**CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY:**

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(Signature of officer authorized to promulgate and  
adopt rule or his or her deputy)