ALABAMA BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME Alabama Board of Optometry

RULE NO. & TITLE: 630-X-12.08 Emergency Services Information when the Licensee

is not Available

INTENDED ACTION Adoption of Rule 630-X-12-.08

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The Board of Optometry proposes to adopt new rule no. 630-X-12.08, to require the licensee to have an established and appropriate procedure for the provision of services to patients in the event of an emergency outside of normal practice hours, or when the licensee is not available.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Interested persons may present their views in writing to the Alabama Board of Optometry by contacting the Executive Director, Dr. Fred Wallace, O.D. at the following address on or before May 5, 2007, Alabama Board of Optometry, Post Office Box 347, Montgomery, Alabama 36101-0347. Any person who wishes to present his or her views orally at the public hearing may notify the Board in writing at the above address, or by phone at (334) 834-1180, on or before April 27, 2007, of the intent to appear at the public hearing on this proposed action. If notification is by telephone, please speak to Laura Allen or Bobby Segall. The hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at 444 South Perry Street, Montgomery, Alabama, 36104.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: May 5, 2007

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY. Dr. Fred Wallace, O.D., Executive Director

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