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**ALABAMA BOARD OF OPTOMETRY  
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

**AGENCY NAME:** Alabama Board of Optometry

**RULE NO. & TITLE:** 630-X-13-.09 - Exemptions

**INTENDED ACTION:** Amending Rule

**SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION:** The Board of Optometry proposes to amend Rule 630-X-13-.09 by reiterating that a distance-based optometrist who engages in the practice of optometry across state lines in an emergency is not subject to this rule, and by eliminating the provision that an "emergency" will be defined by Board resolution.

**TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS:** Interested persons may present their views in writing to Dr. Fred Wallace, O.D., Executor Director of the Alabama Board of Optometry at the following address on or before **January 4, 2008**.

Alabama Board of Optometry  
P.O. Box 347  
Montgomery, AL 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 **January 4, 2008** of the intent to appear at the public hearing on this proposed action. If notification is by telephone, please speak to Kim Owen or Bobby Segall. The hearing will be held at **10:00 A.M.** on Saturday, **January 5, 2008**, at 444 South Perry Street, Montgomery, Alabama, 36104.

**FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:** January 5, 2008.

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



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Executive Director