STATE OF CALIFORNIA Department of Consumer Affairs Board of Behavioral Sciences Title 16, Professional and Vocational Regulations

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PROPOSED REGULATORY ACTION CONCERNING: Fee Reductions

OAL Notice file No. Z-2025-0909-01

The Board of Behavioral Sciences originally noticed proposed amendments to sections 1816, 1816.1, 1816.2, and 1816.4 of Division 18 of Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations (CCR).

PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Behavioral Sciences (hereafter referenced as "Board") proposes to adopt amendments to the CCR sections noted above that were originally noticed on September 19, 2025, and is also scheduling an in-person public hearing on **NOVEMBER 6, 2025, at 9 AM** at the Department of Consumer Affairs' Ruby Room located at 1747 N. Market Blvd., Rm #182, Sacramento, CA, 95834.

Any interested person may present statements or arguments orally or in writing relevant to the action proposed at the hearing. The hearing location is accessible to the physically disabled. A person who needs disability-related accommodations or modifications to participate in the hearing may make a request by contacting any of the individuals listed in the "Contact Persons" section of this Notice. Providing your request at least five (5) business days prior to the hearing will help ensure availability of the requested accommodations.

The hearing will end once testimony by all commenters in attendance is received.

EXTENSION OF COMMENT PERIOD

THE BOARD HEREBY EXTENDS the written comment period for the proposed regulatory action. Written comments relevant to the action proposed, including those sent by mail or e-mail to the addresses listed under "Contact Person" in this Notice, must be received by the Board no later than **12 PM on Thursday, November 6, 2025**, or received by the Board at the hearing.

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AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS ON THE INTERNET

All documents associated with this proposed regulatory action including copies of the Regulation Notice, Initial Statement of Reasons and the text of the regulations can be accessed through the Board's website at: https://www.bbs.ca.gov/about/law_reg.html. Select the "Regulations" drop down, then "Pending Regulations".