



Practice Task Force  
Wednesday, March 25, 2009  
10:00 AM – Noon  
Or until completion of business

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AGENDA

1. Chair Welcome and Roll Call - (A. Lyons)
2. Regulatory Discussion - Section 2276 (Instruction)
  - \* Amendment decreasing the number of hours required for first time and repeat guide dog students
  - \* Amendment to address minimum theoretical instruction- 2282.1 (Required Training for Guide Dogs) - (All)
3. Statutory Discussion - Business and Professions Code Section 7210.7 (In-Home Training)

- \* To allow schools to provide in-home training regardless of the guide dog users' experience and even to first time users
- \* Delete the requirement which allows in-home training only for special circumstances
- \* Reconciliation regarding out-of-state practitioners – to clarify the statute to allow Board licensed out-of-state instructors to provide in-home training in the state of California and to clarify that out-of-state instructors need not be employed with a Board licensed guide dog school
- Additional Code Section Relating to Definition of Professional Competence, Negligence or Appropriate Professional Conduct

4. Agenda Items for the Next Meeting - (All)

5. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda

6. Adjournment