NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the Committee on Dental Auxiliaries will be held as follows:

**Tuesday, February 24, 2009**
1:00 p.m.
Sheraton Mission Valley
1433 Camino Del Rio South
San Diego, CA  92108
(619) 260-0111

COMMITTEE AGENDA
Chairperson Judith Forsythe, presiding

1. **Call to order** - Roll call and establishment of a quorum.

2. **Approval of December 19, 2008 meeting minutes**

3. **Chairperson’s Report**

4. **Executive Officer’s Report**

5. **Budget Report**

6. **Proposed legislation relating to fingerprinting and convictions**

7. **Registered Dental Assistant Program (RDA)**

   a. **Approve/Deny RDA Program – Provisional Approval**
      Western Career College – Stockton

   b. **Approve/Deny Radiation Safety Courses**
      i. San Jose City College – San Jose
      ii. Downey Adult School - Downey

   c. **Approve/Deny Pit and Fissure Sealant Courses**
      i. San Jose City College – San Jose
      ii. College of Alameda - Alameda
      iii. Pacific Dental Services - Northridge
      iv. Kaplan College – Sacramento
      v. Kaplan College – Palm Springs
      vi. Kaplan College – Bakersfield
      vii. Pacific Dental Services - Tustin
      viii. Pacific Dental Services – San Marcos
      ix. Pacific Dental Services - Riverside
      x. Monterey Peninsula College – Monterey
      xi. Pacific Dental Services – River City
      xii. Kaplan College - Vista
      xiii. Kaplan College - Fresno
      xiv. Heald College – Stockton
      xv. Heald College – Hayward
      xvi. Heald College - Concord
      xvii. Kaplan College - Modesto
      xviii. Kaplan College - Stockton
      xix. Eden Area ROP – Hayward
      xx. Kaplan College - Roseville
      xxi. San Jose Valley College
     xxii. Kaplan College – San Diego
d. Status report on applications for approval of programs and courses

e. RDA Written and Practical Examination Statistics

8. Review of CCR §1070.2 and §1070.6 – Teaching Methodology Regulations

9. RDA Program and Specialty Category Programs effective January 1, 2010 – Discussion and possible action regarding infection control course requirements.

10. Appointment of RDA Examination Personnel

11. Report on Regulatory Language – Continuing Education Requirements for Orthodontic and Dental Sedation Assistant Permit Holders

12. Appointment of RDH Examination Personnel

13. Registered Dental Hygienist Program
   a. Proposal to increase RDH Renewal Fee
   b. Update on computer-based RDH law and ethics written examination
   c. Update on regulations governing approval of RDH Courses relating to the administration of nitrous oxide and oxygen, administration of local anesthetic agents and periodontal soft tissue curettage

14. Registered Dental Assistant Extended Functions Program (EF)
   a. Examination Statistics – Information Only
   b. Approve/Deny RDAEF Programs
      i. Sacramento City College - Sacramento
      ii. J. Productions – Sacramento
      iii. Expanded Functions Dental Assistant Association - Sacramento

15. Public Comment

16. Closed Session
   Deliberation on Personnel Matters and Action on Personnel Decisions
   Pursuant to California Government Code §11126(a)(1)

17. Adjournment

The Committee may take action on any item listed on the agenda unless listed as information only. All times are approximate and subject to change. Public comments will be taken on agenda items at the time the specific item is raised. Items may be taken out of order to accommodate speakers and to maintain a quorum. The meeting may be cancelled without notice. For meeting verification, call 916-263-2595 or access the Committee’s website at www.comda.ca.gov. The meeting is accessible to individuals with physical disabilities. If a member of the public needs disability-related accommodations or modifications in order to participate in the meeting, please make a request to the Committee by contacting Lori Hubble at 916-263-2595 or sending a written request to the Committee on Dental Auxiliaries, 2005 Evergreen Street, Suite 1050, Sacramento, CA 95815, one week prior to the day of the meeting.

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