



Ohio Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Ohio Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (Board), pursuant to Chapter 119, of the Ohio Revised Code, hereby gives notice that it will conduct a public hearing for the purpose of considering the adoption, amendment, and recession of rules.

The public hearing will be conducted on **Thursday, March 13, 2014, at 10:30 a.m. at the Hilton Hotel Columbus at Easton**, located at 3900 Chagrin Drive; Columbus, Ohio, 43219. The hearing will take place in the “**Columbus Board Room**” and continue until all parties in attendance have had an opportunity to be heard.

Oral or written testimony may be presented by any person affected by the proposed action.

The following rule is being proposed as a new rule:

4753-3-12 – Summary Suspension for Human Trafficking Conviction

Purpose of the new rule: Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) section 4753-3-12 sets forth the procedures for the summary suspension of a license upon notification by a prosecutor of a human trafficking conviction, as required by Ohio Revised Code section 4776.20.

The following rule is being proposed as an amended rule:

4753-4-01 – Continuing Education

Purpose of the amended rule: Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) section 4753-4-01 is being amended to specify that two out of the twenty hours required for continuing education must relate to ethics.

A copy of the proposed rules referenced above may be downloaded from the Register of Ohio at www.registerohio.state.oh.us. In addition, individuals may request a complete text of the proposed rules by contacting the Board office at the address and/or telephone number noted above. Requests may also be submitted via e-mail at board@slpaud.ohio.gov.

All interested persons will be given the opportunity to be heard at the public hearing.

Those persons who wish to provide oral testimony at the hearing are encouraged to inform the Board prior to the hearing date and may be given preference in the order of testimony.

Written comments received by the Board before the close of the hearing record will be considered. Written comments in lieu of oral testimony may be submitted by:

Written comments brought to the public hearing;

Written comments via e-mail to board@slpaud.ohio.gov

Written comments mailed to the attention of:

Gregg B. Thornton, Executive Director

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