

ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF DISPENSING OPTICIANS TELECONFERENCE BOARD MEETING MINUTES

March 5, 2025

The Arizona State Board of Dispensing Opticians held a Teleconference meeting.
The Board meeting commenced at 10:35 a.m.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: D. Nyblade, Chairman, Licensed Optician
S. Coleman, Vice-Chairman, Licensed Optician
T. Brown, Licensed Optician
M. Searle, Public Member

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: S. Mayes, Secretary, Licensed Optician
D. Bright, Public Member

OTHERS PRESENT: Megan Darian, Executive Director
Seamus Monaghan, Assistant Attorney General

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Chairman Nyblade called the telephonic meeting to order at 10:35 a.m. In addition, a roll call was taken. Board members present at this time were Chairman Nyblade, Vice-Chairman Coleman, Board member Brown, and Board member Searle.

2. Conflicts of Interest

None

3. Review, Discussion, and Approval of Minutes

Vice-Chairman Colman moved to approve the minutes of the February 5, 2025, telephonic board meeting open session.

Board member Searle seconded the motion, and unanimously, it carried.

MINUTES

4. Agency Operations:

A. Bills updates:

1. HB2637 - Board of Dispensing Optician Repeal

The Status of the Bill has been on Hold since February 4 without any activities.

2. SB1235 - Health Profession Regulatory Boards; Membership, 32-1672

For the Board of Dispensing Opticians, this Bill suggests changing the Board members to

3 active Retired Licensees,

2 active Licensees,

and 2 Public Members.

The Status of this bill is DPA (Do Pass Amended) in Senate and on the way to House.

B. Fee Committee

The Board unanimously approved the fee increase proposal to the statutory maximum and directed the Executive Director to transmit the process.

5. A. Applications for License Optician:

Vice-Chairman Colman made a motion to approve the License Opticians applications for:

David Dixon

Megan Leon

Mona Farar

Robert Thatcher

Wesley Bailes

Board member Searle seconded the motion, and unanimously, it carried.

C. Applications licensure for Comity:

Vice-Chairman Colman made a motion to approve the License Optician Application for:

Cheyenne Calyx McKie-Henry - Florida

Board member Searle seconded the motion, and unanimously, it carried.

D. Application for Reinstatement:

Vice-Chairman Colman made a motion to approve the Reinstatement License Optician for:

Kassi Allred – License issue date 6/6/2024

Board member Searle seconded the motion, and unanimously, it carried.

E. Applications for Optical Establishment:

Vice-Chairman Colman made a motion to approve the Optical Establishment applications for:

LensCrafters P943 – Flagstaff
Quay #1010 – Scottsdale
Warby Parker Biltmore Fashion Park – Phoenix

Board member Searle seconded the motion, and unanimously, it carried.

6. Future Agenda Items

7. Call the Public

Meeting Adjournment with no further business, the meeting adjourned at 10:43 a.m.

Submitted by:

Megan Darian
Executive Director

Approved: *M. Darian*

Date: 4/2/2025