

TENNESSEE OPTOMETRY BOARD TELECONFERENCE

DATE: May 20, 2009
TIME: 1:00 p.m., CST
LOCATION: Health Related Boards
Poplar Room
227 French Landing
Nashville, TN 37243

BOARD MEMBERS

PRESENT: Richard Orgain, OD, Chair
Linda Tharp, OD, Vice Chair
David Talley, OD
Scott Spivey, OD
Jeff Foster, OD

BOARD STAFF

PRESENT: Stacy Tarr, Board Administrator
Alison Cleaves, Deputy General Counsel
Lucy Bond, Advisory Attorney
Barbara S. Maxwell, Administrative Director

Dr. Orgain, chair, called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m. Ms. Tarr conducted a roll call vote. A sufficient number of Board members were present to constitute a quorum.

Dr. Orgain stated the Board must determine if a necessity exists to conduct the telephonic meeting to promulgate public necessity rules pertaining to tamper-resistant prescriptions becoming effective July 1, 2009.

Dr. Tharp made a motion, seconded by Dr. Spivey, that the necessity for the meeting exists. The motion carried.

Dr. Orgain turned the meeting over to Alison Cleaves, Deputy Attorney General.

Ms. Cleaves reviewed Rule 1045-02-.16 regarding tamper-resistant prescriptions.

Dr. Spivey made a motion, seconded by Dr. Foster, to approve Rule 1045-.02-.16. A roll call vote was conducted and all members voted in the affirmative.

Dr. Talley made a motion, seconded by Dr. Tharp, to adjourn at 1:05 p.m. The motion carried.

Ratified by the Board of Optometry at the August 12, 2009 board meeting.

