RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Occupational Licensing Review Commission to issue a resolution regarding the approval or denial of specific rules submitted for its review:

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED BY THE OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING REVIEW COMMISSION, that the following rules shall be known to have been approved by the Commission at a duly called meeting of its members on December 18, 2019, and may now be filed as final with the Secretary of State’s Office for the inclusion in the Mississippi Administrative Code:

- Rules of the Board of Architecture - Title 30, Part 201: Mississippi State Board of Architecture; Add a preamble explaining the purpose of the rules; amend Chapter 1 (Examinations) to streamline the application process to sit for the Architect Registration Examination; amend the fee schedule (Rule 2.4) to eliminate and reduce certain fees; amend Rule 3.2 (Practice Procedures) to clarify the rule; amend Chapter 4 (Professional Code of Conduct) to clarify the rules and add a requirement regarding an architect’s responsibility to provide information regarding a licensure candidate’s qualifications; amend Rule 5.1 to add factors the Board may consider when determining disciplinary penalties and to bring the rule into compliance with the “Fresh Start Act of 2019.”

Approved as amended to remove paragraph 4 of the preamble to Part 201 and to
substitute the word ‘shall’ for the word ‘may’ in the first sentence of the third paragraph of Part 201, Rule 5.1.

- Rules of the Board of Medical Licensure – Part 2640 Chapter 1: Rules Pertaining to Prescribing, Administering and Dispensing Medication, Rule 1.9 Requirement for Dispensing Physicians; Amendment of existing rules regarding physicians who wish to dispense medications from their practice. The amendment will remove existing requirements and create new requirements for physicians who wish to dispense medications. Approved as amended to change the effective date in paragraph three to conform to the effective date required by statute upon filing with the Secretary of State’s Office and to change ‘their’ in the last paragraph to ‘his or her’.

- Rules of the Board of Medical Licensure – Part 2635 Chapter 5: Practice of Telemedicine, Rule 5.1; Rule 5.1 is being modified to clarify the rules regarding the use of telemedicine.

- Rules of the Board of Medical Licensure – Part 2635 Chapter 5: Practice of Telemedicine, Rule 5.7; Rule 5.7 is being modified to clarify the rules regarding the use of telemedicine in the consultation process with mid-level providers in a hospital setting.

- Rules of the Board of Medical Licensure – Part 2635 Chapter 5: Practice of Telemedicine, Rule 5.9; New rule to establish practice requirements for physicians who wish to dispense medications via technology/automated systems via telemedicine. Approved as amended to change ‘their’ to ‘his or her’ in the second to last paragraph.

- Rules of the Board on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Training – Title 31: Public Safety; Part 301: Chapter 7, Basic Curriculum; Chapter 9, Equivalency Training; Add additional training on Human Trafficking per H.B. 571 in Chapter 7; Clarify
Refresher Training requirements for academies in Chapter 9. Approved as amended to add the words ‘before process can be completed’ to the end of Part 301, Rule 9.2 F. 4.

- Rules of the Board of Pharmacy - Title 30 Part 3001 Article XXVII Nuclear/Radiologic Pharmacy; This amendment brings the Board regulation into compliance with USP 825 standards.

- Rules of the Board of Pharmacy - Title 30 Part 3001 Article XXXVIII Medical Equipment Suppliers Permit; This amendment reorganizes the regulation and brings the Board regulation into compliance with state statute.