PUBLIC NOTICE

The Ohio Board of Nursing (Board) will conduct a public hearing in the Boardroom, Huntington Bank Building, at 17 High Street, Suite 400, Columbus, OH, on Thursday, November 15, 2007 beginning at 1:30 p.m. and continuing until all parties in attendance have had an opportunity to be heard.

The Board is proposing to amend the following existing rules: 4723-1-01 dealing with Board Organization; 4723-1 02 dealing with Personnel; 4723-5-01 dealing with Definitions; 4723-5-02 dealing with General Information; 4723-5-03 dealing with Change of Control of a Program; 4723-5-04 dealing with Procedure for Board Determination of a Program's Status; 4723-5-05 dealing with Program Reports to the Board; 4723-5-06 dealing with Survey Visits, Reports, and Response by the Administrator of a Program to a Survey Visit Report; 4723-5-08 dealing with Requirements for Seeking Conditional Approval; 4723-5-09 dealing with Organization and Administration of the Program: 4723-5-12 dealing with Program Policies: 4723-5-16 dealing with Board Approval of a Curriculum Revision; 4723-5-17 dealing with Program Contractual Relationships; 4723-5-21 dealing with Program Records; 4723-5-23 dealing with Program NCLEX Rates; 4723-8-07 dealing with Standards and Procedures for Approval as a Certified Nurse-Midwife, Certified Nurse Practitioners, Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist, or Clinical Nurse Specialist; 4723-9-10 dealing with Formulary; 4723-14-01 dealing with Definitions; 4723-14-03 dealing with Continuing Education Requirement for Licensed Nurses; 4723-14-05 dealing with Educational Activities that do and do not meet the Continuing Education Requirement; 4723-14-06 dealing with Proof of Completion of Continuing Education; 4723-14-10 dealing with Reapproval of an OBN Approver; 4723-17-06 dealing with Minimum Curriculum Requirements; 4723-27-01 dealing with Definitions; 4723-27-02 dealing with standards of Safe Medication Administration by a certified Medication Aide; 4723-27-04 dealing with Certification as a Medication Aide; 4723-27-05 dealing with Renewal of a Medication Aide Certificate; 4723-27-06 dealing with Continuing Education Requirements; 4723-27-07 dealing with Medication Aide Training Programs; 4723-27-10 dealing with Fees; 4723-27-11 dealing with Medication Aide Pilot Program; 4723-27-12 dealing with Pilot Program Application; 4723-27-13 dealing with Utilization of Certified Medication Aides by Pilot Program Participants; 4723-27-14 dealing with Pilot Program Data Reporting and Evaluation.

The Board is proposing to adopt the following new rules to replace existing rules: 4723-1-03 dealing with Board Records and Documents; 4723-1-04 dealing with Fees; 4723-3-01 dealing with Definition of Terms; 4723-5-10 dealing with Qualification of Administrative, Faculty, and Instructional Personnel for a Registered Nursing Education Program; 4723-5-11 dealing with Administrative, Faculty, and Instructional Personnel for a Practical Nursing Education Program; 4723-5-13 dealing with Curriculum for a Registered Nursing Education Program; 4723-7-06 dealing with Practical Nurse Licensure by Endorsement; 4723-7-09 dealing with Licensure Renewal; 4723-14-07 dealing with Continuing Education Audit.

The Board is proposing to rescind the following existing rules: 4723-1-03 dealing with Board Records and documents; 4723-1-04 dealing with Fees; 4723-2-01 dealing with Public Notice; 4723-3-01 dealing with Definition of Terms; 4723-5-10 dealing with Qualification of Administrative, Faculty, and Instructional Personnel for a registered nursing education program; 4723-5-11 dealing with Qualification of Administrative, Faculty, and Instructional Personnel for a practical nursing education program; 4723-5-13 dealing with Curriculum for a Registered Nursing Education Program; 4723-5-14 dealing with Curriculum for a Practical Nursing Education Program; 4723-7-06 dealing with Practical Nurse Licensure by Endorsement; 4723-7-09 dealing with Licensure Renewal; 4723-10-01 dealing with General Information; 4723-10-02 dealing with Licensed Practical Nurse Qualification to Administer Medications; 4723-10-03 dealing with Challenge of a Course in Medication Administration; 4723-11-01 dealing with Approval; 4723-11-02 dealing with Nonapproval; 4723-11-03 dealing with Publication of List of Approved Peer Support Programs; 4723-11-04 dealing with Qualifications of Members of a Peer Support Program Working with an Impaired Licensee or Certificate Holder; 4723-11-05 dealing with Minimum Program Requirements; 4723-12-01 dealing with Privacy Officers; Duties; 4723-12-02 dealing with Investigation of Disputed Information; 4723-12-03 dealing with Notice to Subject of Personal Information System; Subject's Right to Inspect Personal Information; 4723-12-04 dealing with Disciplinary Action; 4723-14-07 dealing

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with Verification of Compliance with the Continuing Education Requirements.

The Board is proposing to adopt the following new rules: 4723-1-05 dealing with Notice of Adoption, Amendment, Or Rescission of Rules; 4723-1-06 dealing with Notice of Board Meetings; 4723-1-07 dealing with Personal Information systems.

Persons intending to testify are encouraged to pre-register by sending an email to law-rules@nursing.ohio.gov or writing to:

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Persons who pre-register will be permitted to testify before witnesses whom have not pre-registered. Testimony presented during the hearing or submitted to Ms. Houchen will be considered by the Board at its meeting on November 15-16, 2007. A copy of the proposed rules referenced above may be obtained at the Board's web site, www.nursing.ohio.gov or by sending a request to the Board office with a check for \$3.95 made payable to the "Ohio Board of Nursing" to cover postage.