

# Paramedic Disciplinary Review Board Quarterly Meeting

September 14, 2023 1:00pm – 4:00pm

## **Physical Meeting Location:**

11120 International Drive, Suite 200 Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

## <u>Alternative Meeting Locations:</u>

1225 Wilshire Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90017

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Please contact pdrb@emsa.ca.gov, or contact Katherine Rice at (916) 597-6222.

# **AGENDA**

#### **OPEN SESSION**

- 1. Call to Order/Introductions and Roll Call/Establishment of a Quorum
- Public Comments on Items not on the Agenda
   Note: The Board may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this public comment section, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting [Government Code sections 11125, 111257(a)].
- 3. Review and Approval of July 13, 2023, Meeting Minutes
- 4. Election of Board Chairperson (Health and Safety Code section 1795.125.03)
- 5. Training: Overview of AB 450 Mandates, Violations Subject to Discipline, Disciplinary Guidelines by Board Attorney Diane Sabonis

## **CLOSED SESSION**

6. The Board will convene in closed session as authorized by Government Code section 11126(c)(3) to deliberate on proposed disciplinary decisions. For additional information, please contact PDRB@emsa.ca.gov.

#### RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

- 7. Discussion of, and possible action on, Health and Safety Code Section 1798.200(c) violations:
  - A. Section 1798.200(c)(12)(C): The commission of any sexually related offense specified under Section 290 of the Penal Code.
  - B. Section 1798.200(c)(12)(A): The mistreatment or physical abuse of any patient resulting from force in excess of what a reasonable and prudent person trained and acting in a similar capacity while engaged in the performance of their duties would use if confronted with a similar circumstance.
  - C. Section 1798.200(c)(12)(B): The failure to maintain confidentiality of patient medical information, except as disclosure is otherwise permitted or required by law in Part 2.6 (commencing with Section 56) of Division 1 of the Civil Code.

- D. Section 1798.200(c)(11): Demonstration of irrational behavior or occurrence of a physical disability to the extent that a reasonable and prudent person would have reasonable cause to believe that the ability to perform the duties normally expected may be impaired.
- E. Section 1798.200(c)(1): Fraud
- F. Section 1798.200(c)(2): Gross Negligence
- G. Section 1798.200(c)(3): Repeated Negligent Acts
- H. Section 1798.200(c)(4): Incompetence
- I. Section 1798.200(c)(5): The commission of any fraudulent, dishonest, or corrupt act that is substantially related to the qualifications, functions, and duties of prehospital personnel.
- J. Section 1798.200(c)(6): The conviction of any crime that is substantially related to the qualifications, functions, and duties, of prehospital personnel.
- K. Section 1798.200(c)(7): Violating or attempting to violate directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provision of this division or the regulations adopted by the authority pertaining to prehospital personnel.
- L. Section 1798.200(c)(8): Violating or attempting to violate any federal or state statute or regulation that regulates narcotics, dangerous drugs, or controlled substances.
- M. Section 1798.200(c)(9): Addiction to, the excessive use of, or the misuse of, alcoholic beverages, narcotics, dangerous drugs, or controlled substances.
- N. Section 1798.200(c)(10): Functioning outside the supervision of medical control in the field care system operating at the local level, except as authorized by any other license or certification.
- 8. Topics for December 7, 2023 Meeting Agenda
- 9. Adjournment

Government Code section 11125.7 provides the opportunity for the public to address each agenda item during discussion or consideration by the Board prior to the board taking any action on said item. Members of the public will be provided appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue before the Board, but the Board Chairperson may, at their discretion, apportion available time among those who wish to speak. Individuals may appear before the Board to discuss items not on the agenda; however, the Board can neither discuss nor take official action on these items at the time of the same meeting. (Government Code section 11125, 11125.7(a).) Government Code section 11126. (Government Code section 11125.7(e)(1).)

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