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Board of Registration of Hearing Instrument Specialists

Date: April 25, 2025 Location: Virtual on Webex Time: 9:00 AM

Cisco Webex Meeting <u>Click here to join the meeting</u> Meeting Number: 2532 963 1143 Password: DPH123 **Or call in (audio only)** 1-844-621-3956 United States Access code: 2532 963 1143

Notice of Meeting Recording (Lisa Guglietta)

Call Meeting to Order (Rony Soto)

- Attendance roll call
- Approval of agenda

General Business

• Minutes from Public Meeting of January 17, 2025

Correspondence

• Email dated 1/29/25 from Suzanne Younker, Au.D. regarding Hearing Instrument Specialist scope of practice and cerumen removal

Discussion

• 265 CMR 2.00 through 10.00: Regulation Review

Investigative Process (Lauren McShane, Investigations Supervisor)

Executive Session [Closed Session: G.L. c. 30A, § 21(a)(1) for the purpose of discussing the reputation, character, physical condition, or mental health, rather than professional competence, of an individual, or to discuss the discipline or dismissal of, or complaints or charges brought against, a public officer, employee, staff member or individual. Specifically, to evaluate the Good Moral Character as required for registration for a pending applicant.]

Investigative Case Conference [Closed Session: G.L. c. 112, § 65C]

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