



Health Licensing Office  
Respiratory Therapist and Polysomnographic Technologist Licensing Board



August 5, 2015  
700 Summer Street NE, Suite 320  
Salem, Oregon

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**MINUTES**

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**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Joel Glass, chair  
Tony Garberg  
Michael Lefor  
Nicholas Gaffney

**STAFF PRESENT**

Sylvie Donaldson, fiscal services and licensing manager  
Samie Patnode, policy analyst  
Maria Gutierrez, board specialist

**MEMBERS ABSENT**

Mark Olsen, vice-chair  
Joe Dwan

**GUESTS PRESENT**

**Call to Order**

Joel Glass called the meeting of the Respiratory Therapist and Polysomnographic Technologist Licensing Board to order at 8:05 a.m... Roll was called.

**Approval of Proposed rules:**

- Legislature passed HB 2305 allowing applicants to obtain polysomnography licensure if they have education and training, if the applicant holds an active credential from passing the registered polysomnographic technologist examination administered by the Board of Registered Polysomnographic Technologists. Education may be obtained through self-study as of March 1, 2013. Also, if the applicant passed the registered polysomnographic technologist before the Board of Registered Polysomnographic Technologists required certain education or training, but the applicant has since obtained the education or training a license may be issued. The requirements of HB 2305 become effective on January 1, 2016.

**MOTION:**

Michael Lefore made a motion with a second by Tony Garberg to approve the proposed rules. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 8:12 a.m.

Minutes prepared by: Maria Gutierrez, board specialist