### **Burgos, Alexander N**

**Subject:** FW: [External] Re: Changes to proposed amendments of 21 NCAC 42B .0304

From: Janice Peterson < janice@ncoptometry.org>

Sent: Tuesday, August 15, 2023 8:08 AM

To: Duke, Lawrence < lawrence.duke@oah.nc.gov>

Cc: Burgos, Alexander N <alexander.burgos@oah.nc.gov>; Johnny Loper <jloper@loper-law.com>;

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Good morning, Mr. Duke.

Thank you, again, for your help. I have updated the effective date and re-submitted it to OAH.

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On Fri, Aug 11, 2023 at 1:49 PM Duke, Lawrence <a href="mailto:lawrence.duke@oah.nc.gov">lawrence.duke@oah.nc.gov</a> wrote:

Ms. Peterson,

Thank you for sending this updated rule. One thing that I missed in the request for changes is the effective date. Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3(b), "a permanent rule approved by the [RRC] becomes effective on the first day of the month following the month the rule is approved" unless there are letters of objection. Can you please change the effective date to September 1, 2023, and then resubmit the rule to <a href="mailto:oah.rules@oah.nc.gov">oah.rules@oah.nc.gov</a>? Otherwise, the rule looks good, and I will be recommending approval.

Thank you,

Lawrence Duke

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# **Burgos, Alexander N**

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Thank you,

#### Lawrence Duke

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From: Janice Peterson < janice@ncoptometry.org>

**Sent:** Thursday, August 10, 2023 1:29 PM **To:** Rules, Oah <oah.rules@oah.nc.gov>

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Additionally, below I have comments by the Board's attorney, Mr. Loper, relating to the amended Rule.

Mr. Duke:

After considering your comments to our proposed amendments to 21 NCAC 42B .0304 and reviewing our license renewal form, we concluded that spelling out those several things that the applicant "shall show" is not necessary, since all of those things are specifically requested by the application. Therefore, in order to avoid redundancy and to simplify the Rule, in this iteration we have struck the redundant language and added the requirement that the applicant fully and accurately complete the application. We hope you find this to be an acceptable solution.

Happy to discuss.

### Johnny

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On Thu, Aug 10, 2023 at 1:26 PM Janice Peterson < <u>janice@ncoptometry.org</u>> wrote:

Good afternoon.

Attached is 21 NCAC 42B .0304 with changes.

Thank you.

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### **Burgos, Alexander N**

From: Duke, Lawrence

Friday, August 4, 2023 2:39 PM Sent:

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Cc: Burgos, Alexander N

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**Attachments:** Board of Optometry Examiners - 08.2023 - 21 NCAC 42B .0304 - Change Requests.docx

Mr. Loper,

I hope you are doing well. I have reviewed the Rule submitted by the State Board of Examiners in Optometry. Please see the attached request for changes. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Have a good weekend!

Thank you,

# Lawrence Duke



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