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July 16<sup>th</sup>, 2002

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Dear Mr. Malkiewich:

Pursuant to SB 420, please be advised as follows:

1. The Board of Optometry met once during the quarter beginning April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2002, and ending June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2002;
2. The Board reviewed eleven complaints filed against licensees;
3. The Board dismissed three of the complaints. One dismissal was based on resolution;
4. Two of the complaints were withdrawn by the complainant;
5. Three complaints were continued for further consideration. Subpoenas were issued to respondents in two of the complaints;
6. One complaint was found to have merit and an accusation was filed against the respondent; and
7. Two complaints were disposed of by stipulation. The stipulation provided for a probationary period of three years. If a meritorious complaint is filed against the respondent[s] during their probationary period, they/he/she will be subject to, in addition to any other discipline imposed relative to the complaint, a 30 day suspension and a \$1,000 fine.

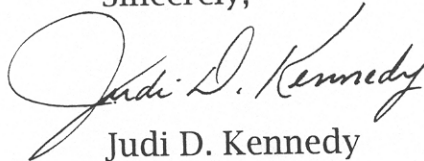
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A formal hearing on an accusation was held. During the hearing, the respondent expressed, through his counsel, the desire to dispose of the accusation by stipulation. The respondent stipulated to a no contest plea to the allegations of the accusation, to reimburse the Board for its costs incurred in connection with the hearing, and a five year probationary period. The respondent further agreed to appear before the Board at its July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2002, meeting at which time the Board would establish the parameters of his probation

If you need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Judi D. Kennedy". The signature is fluid and elegant, with a large initial "J" and a long, sweeping underline.

Judi D. Kennedy  
Executive Director

cc: All Board Members  
Hal Taylor, Esq.