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Subject: Legislative Update

BOARD-SPONSORED LEGISLATION

The Board is pursuing of the following legislative proposals this year.

1. AB 232 (Aguiar-Curry) Temporary Practice Allowances

This bill proposal would permit a person with a current, active, and unrestricted license in another state in a profession equivalent to the Board's marriage and family therapist, clinical social work, or professional clinical counselor professions to obtain a temporary practice allowance to provide services to a client travelling in or relocating to California for a period of 30 consecutive days in a calendar year, if certain specified conditions are met. The Board approved this proposal at its November 4, 2022 meeting.

2. Omnibus Bill Proposal (Senate Business, Professions and Economic Development Committee) (No Bill Number Assigned at This Time)

This bill proposal, approved by the Board at its November 4, 2022 meeting, makes minor, technical, or non-substantive amendments to add clarity and consistency to current law.