

PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 1 THROUGH 15, INCLUSIVE, OF ARTICLE 15A OF THE CODE, TITLE "BUDGET AND PROCUREMENT", AS AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME.

(E) THE BOARD SHALL MEET AT LEAST ONCE EACH YEAR FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXAMINING ALL APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE UNDER THE TERMS OF THIS SUBTITLE. NOTICE OF THE MEETING SHALL BE PUBLISHED IN A NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN THE STATE AND A NURSING JOURNAL AT LEAST 30 DAYS PRIOR TO THE EXAMINATION MEETING.

[[ (F) MATTERS CONCERNING GENERAL DUTIES OF THE BOARD OTHER THAN DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS SHALL BE VOTED UPON BY ALL MEMBERS. MATTERS CONCERNING THE LICENSING OR DISCIPLINING OF INDIVIDUAL NURSES SHALL BE VOTED UPON ONLY BY THE REGISTERED NURSE AND LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD. SIX OF THESE MEMBERS CONSTITUTE A QUORUM WITH NO LESS THAN THREE REGISTERED NURSE MEMBERS PRESENT TO COMPLETE A QUORUM IN A DISCIPLINARY MATTER CONCERNING A REGISTERED NURSE OR NO LESS THAN TWO LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES PRESENT TO COMPLETE A QUORUM IN A DISCIPLINARY MATTER CONCERNING A LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE. ]]

(F) IN MATTERS CONCERNING LICENSING OR DISCIPLINING OF INDIVIDUAL NURSES THE QUORUM SHALL CONSIST OF NO LESS THAN THREE REGISTERED NURSES IN MATTERS CONCERNING A REGISTERED NURSE OR NO LESS THAN TWO LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES IN MATTERS CONCERNING A LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE.

(G) (1) ALL RECORDS OF THE BOARD PERTAINING TO ANY LICENSES, FORMER LICENSES OR APPLICANT FOR A LICENSE BY NAME OR IDENTIFYING NUMBER OR SYMBOL SHALL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL EXCEPT FROM MEMBERS OF THE BOARD, ITS DULY AUTHORIZED EMPLOYEES, THE INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED AND HIS EXPRESSLY AUTHORIZED AGENTS, AND SHALL BE EXEMPT FROM PROCESS AND FROM THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 76A, TITLE, "PUBLIC INFORMATION", SECTIONS 1 THROUGH 5, OF THIS CODE EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING:

(I) RECORDS OF SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF AN EXAMINATION;

(II) RECORDS OF LICENSURE OR RENEWAL OF A LICENSE;

(III) RECORDS SHOWING THE FACT THAT A PARTICULAR INDIVIDUAL IS NOT LICENSED OR WAS NOT LICENSED AT A PARTICULAR TIME;

(IV) THE RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS UNDER SECTION 299 UNLESS THE FINAL DECISION IN THE PROCEEDING