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Via Electronic Submission

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RE: Annual Report on Rule Making
2016-17 Fiscal Year

Dear Senator Alario, Senator Mills, Representative Barras and Representative Hoffmann:

In accordance with La. R.S. 49:968(K), the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists (LSBEP) hereby submits the following annual report with respect to the action taken by this agency concerning the adoption, amendment, or repeal of each rule and fee schedule proposed for adoption, amendment, or repeal for the 2016-17 fiscal year. Further, I affirm that the posting requirements established under La. R.S. 49:968(B) have been met for each rule as follows:
Louisiana Administrative Code
Title 46, Part LXIII. Psychologists

**RULE:** Subpart I. Chapter 7 and Subpart 2. Chapter 33 (Supervision of Psychologists and Licensed Specialists in School Psychology)

**PUBLICATION SUMMARY and FINAL STATUS:**
- Rule making was initiated to amend these Chapters in order to provide consistency and clarity to the rules governing the supervised practice experience required for licensure in accordance with R.S. 37:2356.(A)(6) and R.S. 27:2356.3.(A)(1)(f) and (g)
- Notice of Intent was published March 20, 2017.
- Final rule published June 20, 2017.

**RULE:** Subpart I. Chapters 6. Fees

**PUBLICATION SUMMARY and FINAL STATUS:**
- Rule making was initiated to amend this Chapter in order to reinstate, eliminate and raise certain specific fees charged by the Board of Examiners of Psychologists in accordance with LA R.S 37:2354 and the Administrative Procedures Act §968 and 971.
- Notice of Intent was published March 20, 2017.
- Final rule published June 20, 2017.

**RULE:** Subpart I. Chapter 13. Ethics

**PUBLICATION SUMMARY and FINAL STATUS:**
- Rule making was initiated to amend this Chapter, which specifically referenced the national (APA) code of conduct for psychologists, and promulgate each standard into the Louisiana Administrative Code. The amendment is in accordance with R.S. 37:2353 and R.S. 37:2359(B)(12).
- Notice of Intent was published March 20, 2017.
- Final rule published June 20, 2017.

Please contact me at 225-925-6511 with any questions or if you require any additional information for this report.

Sincerely,

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Executive Director