

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY  
REGULATORY COMMITTEE  
MEETING MINUTES  
April 19, 2021**

**TIME AND PLACE:** The Regulatory Committee of the Virginia Board of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology virtual meeting was called to order at 2:03 p.m. on Monday, April 19, 2021.

**PRESIDING OFFICER:** Kyttra Burge, Citizen Member

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Alison Ruth King, Ph.D., CCC-SLP  
Erin G. Piker, Au.D., Ph.D., CCC-A

**QUORUM:** With all three members of the Committee present, a quorum was established.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Leslie L. Knachel, Executive Director  
Elaine Yeatts, DHP Senior Policy Analyst  
Heather Pote, Discipline Case Specialist  
Celia Wilson, Discipline Case Specialist  
Amy Davis, Administrative Assistant

**COMMITTEE PURPOSE:** Ms. Burge stated that pursuant to Executive Order 14 as amended July 16, 2018 and §§2.2-4007.1 and 2.2-4017 of the *Code of Virginia*, the Regulations Governing the Practice of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology is undergoing a periodic review. The Committee has been tasked with determining whether the regulations should be repealed, amended, or retained in its current form and make recommendations to the Board of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology.

**ORDERING OF AGENDA:** No changes were made to the agenda.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** There was no public comment.

**DISCUSSION ITEMS:** Ms. Knachel and Ms. Yeatts reviewed the document in the agenda packet which contained suggested changes made by staff.

After review and discussion of the regulations, the Committee agreed on recommended changes which will be presented to the Board of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology at its next meeting in order for the Board to move forward with issuing a Notice of Intended Regulatory Action (NOIRA).

**NEW BUSINESS:** No new business was presented.

**NEXT MEETING:** The Committee is not scheduled to meet, unless deemed, necessary prior to the Board meeting.

**ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting adjourned at 3:50 p.m.

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Kyttra Burge, Citizen Member  
Chair

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Leslie L. Knachel, M.P.H  
Executive Director

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