

**BOARD FOR HEARING AID SPECIALISTS AND OPTICIANS
DRAFT MINUTES OF MEETING**

The Board for Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians met on Wednesday, August 12, 2020, at the Offices of the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation, Perimeter Center, Board Room 3, 2nd Floor, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia 23233. The following members were present for the meeting:

Judith M. Canty
Beth Lynn Connors, AuD
Edward L. DeGennaro
Mark Grohler
Lakshminarayanan Krishnan
David M. Lambert
Debra Ogilvie, AuD
June H. S. Rogers
Laura Lee Thompson
Bruce R. Wagner

The following members were not present:

Alidad Arabshahi, MD, MBA
Pamela S. Chavis, MD
Melissa Gill
Teresa D. Leeper

DPOR staff present for all or part of the meeting included:

Mary Broz-Vaughan, Acting Director
Stephen Kirschner, Regulatory Operations Administrator
Tamika Rodriguez, Licensing Operations Administrator
Cathy Clark, Administrative Assistant

A representative from the Office of the Attorney General was present by teleconference for the meeting.

Elizabeth B. Peay, Assistant Attorney General

Mr. Wagner determined that there was a quorum present, and called the **Call to Order** meeting to order at 9:07 a.m.

Upon a motion by Ms. Canty and seconded by Mr. DeGennaro, the **Approval of Agenda** Board moved to approve the Agenda.

The members voting 'yes' were Ms. Canty, Dr. Connors, Mr. DeGennaro, Mr. Grohler, Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Lambert, Dr. Ogilvie, Ms. Rogers, Ms. Thompson, and Mr. Wagner. There were no negative votes. The motion passed unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Krishnan and seconded by Mr. Grohler, the Board voted to approve the minutes of the August 6, 2019 Ad Hoc Committee on Apprenticeships Meeting, and the August 7, 2019 Board for Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians Meeting and Hearing Aid Specialists Training Committee Meeting.

The members voting 'yes' were Ms. Canty, Dr. Connors, Mr. DeGennaro, Mr. Grohler, Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Lambert, Dr. Ogilvie, Ms. Rogers, Ms. Thompson, and Mr. Wagner. There were no negative votes. The motion passed unanimously.

The Board was provided with a letter from the Opticians Association of Virginia dated July 2, 2020 (See Addendum 1)

Mr. Wagner asked for public comments. There were none.

In the matter of **File Number 2020-01569, Robert Gerard Anderson**, the Board reviewed the record, which consisted of the application files, transcript, exhibits, and the Summary of the Informal Fact-Finding Conference. The Board reviewed an emailed statement from Robert Gerard Anderson who did not appear at the meeting in person, by counsel or by any other qualified representative.

Upon a motion by Ms. Canty and seconded by Mr. Krishnan, the Board voted to accept the recommendation in the Summary of the Informal Fact-Finding Conference and approve Robert Gerard Anderson's application for an Optician license.

The members voting 'yes' were Ms. Canty, Dr. Connors, Mr. DeGennaro, Mr. Grohler, Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Lambert, Dr. Ogilvie, Ms. Rogers, Ms. Thompson, and Mr. Wagner. There were no negative votes. The motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Minutes:
August 6, 2019 Ad Hoc Committee on Apprenticeships Meeting;
August 7, 2019 Board for Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians Meeting; and August 7, 2019 Hearing Aid Specialists Training Committee

Communications

Public Comment

CASES

File Number 2020-01569, Robert Gerard Anderson

In the matter of **File Number 2020-02357, John Paul Schaeffer**, the Board reviewed the record, which consisted of the application files, transcript, exhibits, and the Summary of the Informal Fact-Finding Conference. John Paul Schaeffer did not appear at the meeting in person, by counsel or by any other qualified representative.

File Number 2020-02357, John Paul Schaeffer

Upon a motion by Mr. Grohler and seconded by Ms. Rogers, the Board voted to accept the recommendation in the Summary of the Informal Fact-Finding Conference and approve John Paul Schaeffer's application for a Hearing Aid Specialist license.

The members voting 'yes' were Ms. Canty, Dr. Connors, Mr. Grohler, Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Lambert, Dr. Ogilvie, Ms. Rogers, Ms. Thompson, and Mr. Wagner. The member voting 'no' was Mr. DeGennaro. The motion passed by a majority.

REPORTS

Mr. Kirschner reviewed Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians licensing statistics with the Board. **(See Addendum 2)**

Licensing Statistics

Shannon Webster, Director of Examination for DPOR, addressed the Board regarding examinations. She informed the Board about the critical service Dawn Cooper, hearing aid specialist proctor, had performed for the Board. She also announced that the laws and regulations portion of the hearing aid specialist exam would now be administered at multiple locations throughout the Commonwealth.

Examination Report and Exam Statistics

Ms. Rodriguez reviewed the Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians examination statistics with the Board for all exams administered between August 2019 and July 2020. **(See Addendum 3)**

REGULATORY ACTION AND BOARD GUIDANCE

Mr. Kirschner advised the Board that the fast-track regulatory change regarding a correction to obsolete language in the Opticians Regulations related to technical instruction for optician apprenticeships, approved by the Board at the August 7, 2019 meeting, is proceeding through the regulatory review process.

Regulatory Report

Mr. Kirschner reported on the ongoing hearing aid specialist fee action. Hedirected the Board's attention to the hand-out entitled, "Analysis of

Fee Structure and Financial Position” (See Addendum 4) for its consideration of a proposed fee increase for Hearing Aid Specialist licenses. Mr. Kirschner explained to the Board that the fee increase had first been proposed and approved by the Board would no longer be adequate to comply with the Callahan Act requirements. The Board then reviewed and discussed the three proposed fee schedules.

Upon a motion by Mr. Krishnan and seconded by Ms. Thompson, the Board voted to approve the fee structure in Proposal 3.

The members voting ‘yes’ were Ms. Canty, Dr. Connors, Mr. Grohler, Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Lambert, Dr. Ogilvie, Ms. Rogers, Ms. Thompson, and Mr. Wagner. The member voting ‘no’ was Mr. DeGennaro. The motion passed by a majority.

Mr. Kirschner directed the Board’s attention to his memo dated July 30, 2020 regard a recommendation made by the Hearing Aid Specialist Training Committee following its meeting on August 7, 2019. The committee’s recommendation is to amend Regulation 18 VAC 80-20-80.C.2 to allow a two-year window in which to pass all sections of the Hearing Aid Specialist examination and remove the requirement to achieve passing scores on all sections in three successive scheduled examinations.

**Fast-Track
Regulatory Change –
Hearing Aid
Specialist Duration
of Passing Score
Validity**

Upon a motion by Dr. Connors and seconded by Dr. Ogilvie, the Board voted to submit a fast-track regulatory action to amend the regulation to allow a two-year window in which to pass all sections of the Hearing Aid Specialist examination.

The members voting ‘yes’ were Ms. Canty, Dr. Connors, Mr. DeGennaro, Mr. Grohler, Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Lambert, Dr. Ogilvie, Ms. Rogers, Ms. Thompson, and Mr. Wagner. There were no negative votes. The motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Kirschner directed the Board’s attention to his memo dated July 30, 2020 that recapped recommendations by the Hearing Aid Specialist Training Committee following its meeting on August 7, 2019. Mr. Kirschner summarized the recommendations of the committee around improving hearing aid specialist training.

**Regulatory Action –
Hearing Aid
Specialist Training
and Temporary
Permit Requirements**

The first recommendation of the committee is to add a registered apprenticeship as an optional, alternative training method.

The second recommendation was to extend the hearing aid specialist temporary permit from 12 months to 18 months and requiring

completion of a minimum of number of months of training under the temporary permit before testing. The Board discussed these proposals.

Upon a motion by Dr. Connors and seconded by Dr. Ogilvie, the Board voted to begin a regulatory action to add registered apprenticeship as a training method, to extend the hearing aid specialist temporary permit to 18 months, and to require temporary permit holders practice at least 9 months prior to becoming eligible for the examination.

The members voting 'yes' were Ms. Canty, Dr. Connors, Mr. DeGennaro, Mr. Grohler, Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Lambert, Dr. Ogilvie, Ms. Rogers, Ms. Thompson, and Mr. Wagner. There were no negative votes. The motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Ms. Darla All, President of the Opticians Association of Virginia, addressed the Board, outlining the Association's position on the need for continuing education for licensed opticians and included statistics on continuing education in other states as well as other DPOR professions. Ms. All then answered questions from the Board, with the assistance of William Cox, also a member of the Opticians Association.

Opticians Association of Virginia Presentation

Mr. Kirschner provided a printed slide presentation to outline the purpose of the Board and its role and responsibilities for issuing licenses, determining minimum standards for entry, and enforcing the standards of professional conduct. The Board discussed the possibility of implementing continuing education requirements for opticians and hearing aid specialists, and addressed questions to Mr. Kirschner and Director Broz-Vaughan.

Continuing Education Requirements

After discussion, upon a motion by Mr. DeGennaro and seconded by Mr. Lambert, the Board voted to form a committee to explore the topic of continuing education for Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians.

Committee Formed To Consider Continuing Education for Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians

The members voting 'yes' were Ms. Canty, Dr. Connors, Mr. DeGennaro, Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Lambert, Dr. Ogilvie, Ms. Rogers, Ms. Thompson, and Mr. Wagner. The member voting 'no' was Mr. Grohler. The motion passed by a majority.

Mr. Kirschner asked for a show of hand of Board members who wished to volunteer to serve on the Continuing Education Committee. Members responding were Ms. Canty, Mr. DeGennaro, Ms. Rogers, Mr. Krishnan, Ms. Thompson, and Mr. Lambert.

After discussion, it was determined that the Committee should arrange to meet prior to the December 2020 Board Meeting, so that information could be provided to the full Board at the meeting. Staff will work with the Committee to establish a date, time, and location for the committee meeting.

There being no other business to be brought before the Board, Mr. **Adjourn**
Wagner adjourned the meeting at 11:32 a.m.

Bruce R. Wagner, Chair

Mary Broz-Vaughan, Board Secretary



ADDENDUM 1

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Dear Mr. Kirschner:

The Opticians Association of Virginia respectfully requests that the Virginia Board of Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians (HASOPT) adopt a regulation for licensed opticians to obtain continuing education (CE) hours for relicensure.

Opticianry is a profession deeply rooted in optics, ocular anatomy and physiology, and other hard and soft sciences. It is a profession that has become remarkably complex because contemporary eyewear products are highly technical, especially lens designs and materials. While consumers benefit from opticians being trained and licensed by the State of Virginia to ensure basic competency, the demands of modern opticianry practice require that opticians have continued learning to maintain their knowledge and skills. As the intricacy of products and services in the ophthalmic world increase each year, so does the necessary competency level of opticians. That is why the Opticians Association of Virginia is proposing that the board of HASOPT adopt a regulation requiring licensed opticians to obtain continuing education for relicensure.

CE IS A NATIONAL REQUIREMENT

CE is a requirement throughout the profession of opticianry and has been for over 40 years. The American Board of Opticianry (ABO) created and implemented a national opticianry certification in 1976 that provided opticians across the country a mechanism by which they could voluntarily demonstrate their professional knowledge and skills by taking a certification examination. Once certified, the certificate holder must obtain 12 hours of continuing education within a three-year period to maintain that certification. Contact lens certified opticians have similar continuing education requirements for recertification.

ABO certification has become the recognized standard of competency for opticianry across the country. Opticians in every state hold this certification, in fact, 27,616 opticians are ABO certified nationwide in eyeglass dispensing, with 10,320 certified in contact lens dispensing.

VIRGINIA IS SUBSTANDARD

There are 21 states that license or somehow regulate opticians (see Appendix A). All but three do not require continuing education for relicensure; Virginia is one of those three. This is a critical problem for Virginia opticians because they are out of sync with mainstream opticianry credentialing. In 1954, Virginia protected the public's health, safety and welfare by licensing opticians. The state requires trainees to have classwork and clinical training to obtain a license, but it does not require opticians to have continuing education while the entire rest of the country does through national certification or licensing. This means that Virginia has a lesser standard than the entire country and protects the consumer to a lesser degree. This is an oversight that needs to be

corrected.

The Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation (DPOR) already has many professions that require continuing education for licensure renewal (See Appendix B). This precedent establishes guidance for how opticianry may obtain this regulatory task. It also demonstrates that this regulatory effort is well within the administrative authority of the DPOR. Such a large number of professions requiring CE implies that opticianry has fallen behind other professions within the DPOR and needs to be on par with them.

It is also important to note that opticianry is recognized as a health profession by the Federal Government through Medicare and Medicaid. Nearly all health professions in our state and in the country have a continuing education requirement for relicensure or recertification but opticianry does not. This keeps Virginia opticians less prepared than nearly all the other health care professions in the Commonwealth and in the country.

CE AVAILABILITY AND ADMINISTRATION

Continuing education is a substantial part of opticianry competency. Thousands of opticians take continuing education courses across the county and according to the ABO, approximately 53,000 courses are taken each year. The courses are readily available and there are many free courses through optical journals, magazines, industry suppliers and manufacturers, and professional organizations. Many courses are also available online. This makes obtaining courses and course credits easy and cost effective.

The number of course hours required per licensing renewal period varies among the licensed states but in all cases it is modest. The methods of auditing compliance also vary across the licensed states. The guiding principle for Virginia should be to develop a CE requirement that is cost effective, easy to implement, easy for license holders to accomplish, is not burdensome, and easy for government to administer.

Virginia opticians are called on every day to protect the consumer's health, safety and welfare by analyzing and interpreting prescriptions in order to provide consumers visually functional and cosmetically fashionable eyewear, contact lenses and other ophthalmic appurtenances. In order for them to do this to the standard recognized by the profession nationally, the Virginia Board of HASOPT needs to adopt a CE regulation for relicensure. The Opticians Association of Virginia respectfully requests the board to do this.



Darla All, President
Opticians Association of Virginia

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APPENDIX A

Opticianry Licensed States That Require Continuing Education

Continuing Education Required?

STATE	YES	NO
Alaska	Y	
Arizona	Y	
Arkansas	Y	
California		N
Connecticut	Y	
Florida	Y	
Georgia	Y	
Hawaii		N
Kentucky	Y	
Massachusetts	Y	
Nevada	Y	
New Jersey	Y	
New York	Y	
North Carolina	Y	
Ohio	Y	
Rhode Island	Y	
South Carolina	Y	
Tennessee	Y	
Vermont	Y	
Virginia		N
Washington (state)	Y	

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APPENDIX B

List of Professions in the DPOR that Require Continuing Education for Rec licensure in Virginia

- Tradesman (journeyman and master plumbers, HVAC, electricians, gas-fitters)
- Certified Elevator Mechanics
- Certified Water Well System Providers
- Certified Accessibility Mechanics
- Certified Fire Sprinkler Inspectors
- Waste Management Facility Operators (all classes)
- Real Estate Brokers and Salespersons,
- Real Estate Appraisers

as onsite soil evaluators, onsite sewage system installers, and onsite sewage system operators)

- Asbestos, Lead, and Home Inspectors.
- Certified employees under CIC
- Auctioneers,
- Architects,
- Professional Engineers,
- Land Surveyors,
- Landscape Architects, and
- Soil Scientists
- Tattooers and Permanent Cosmetic Tattooers
- Body Piercers

**Data provided by Steve Kirschner, HASOPT Board Administrator – June 2020*

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GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT - PRACTICAL

EXAM DATE	TOTAL			FIRST TIME			RE-EXAM			TOTAL EXAMINEES SCHEDULED
	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
AUG 2019	17	04	23.52%	08	02	25.00%	09	02	22.22%	17

CONTENT DESCRIPTION	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED
AUDIOMETRIC	14	06	42.85%
MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR	10	08	80.00%
SPEECH TESTING	11	06	54.54%
EARMOLD IMPRESSIONS	10	10	100.00%

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GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT – WRITTEN

EXAM DATE	CONTENT DESCRIPTION	EXAMS TAKEN	TOTAL EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED
AUG 2019	RULES & REGULATIONS	09	07	77.77%
**AUG 1st - SEPT 30th, 2019 CBT Cycle	HAS THEORY	13	05	38.46%

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GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT - PRACTICAL

EXAM DATE	TOTAL			FIRST TIME			RE-EXAM			TOTAL EXAMINEES SCHEDULED
	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
NOV 2019	18	07	38.88%	10	04	40.00%	08	03	37.50%	18

CONTENT DESCRIPTION	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED
AUDIOMETRIC	15	06	40.00%
MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR	12	07	58.33%
SPEECH TESTING	13	10	76.92%
EARMOLD IMPRESSIONS	10	09	90.00%

HEARING AID SPECIALISTS

GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT – WRITTEN

EXAM DATE	CONTENT DESCRIPTION	EXAMS TAKEN	TOTAL EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED
NOV 2019	RULES & REGULATIONS	10	09	90.00%
**NOV 1st - DEC 31st, 2019 CBT Cycle	HAS THEORY	11	08	72.72%

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GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT - PRACTICAL

EXAM DATE	TOTAL			FIRST TIME			RE-EXAM			TOTAL EXAMINEES SCHEDULED
	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
OVERALL FEB & JUNE 2020	22	14	63.63%	11	06	54.54%	11	07	63.63%	22
							EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
	CONTENT DESCRIPTION									
	AUDIOMETRIC						21	13	61.90%	
	MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR						15	14	93.33%	
	SPEECH TESTING						13	13	100.00%	
	EARMOLD IMPRESSIONS						12	12	100.00%	

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GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT – WRITTEN

EXAM DATE	CONTENT DESCRIPTION	TOTAL		
		EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED
OVERALL FEB & JUNE 2020	RULES & REGULATIONS	14	13	92.85%
OVERALL FEB & JUNE 2020	HAS THEORY	25	12	48.00%

DUE TO COVID19, TESTING STOPPED IN MARCH 2020

OPTICIANS

GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT - WRITTEN

EXAM DATE	TOTAL			FIRST TIME			RE-EXAM			TOTAL EXAMINEES SCHEDULED
	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
Overall ABO/DPOR AUG- 2019	18	13	72.22%							18

GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT – PRACTICAL

EXAM DATE	TOTAL			FIRST TIME			RE-EXAM			TOTAL EXAMINEES SCHEDULED
	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
AUG 1-15, 2019	11	07	63.63%							11

3rd CBT Exams for Practical

OPTICIANS

GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT - WRITTEN

EXAM DATE	EXAMS TAKEN	TOTAL		FIRST TIME			RE-EXAM			TOTAL EXAMINEES SCHEDULED
		EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
ABO NOV 1-30, 2019	13	06	46.15%							13

GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT – PRACTICAL

EXAM DATE	EXAMS TAKEN	TOTAL		FIRST TIME			RE-EXAM			TOTAL EXAMINEES SCHEDULED
		EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
Practical NOV 1-30, 2019	12	07	58.33%							12

4th CBT Exams for Practical – 1st extended testing window

OPTICIANS

GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT - WRITTEN

EXAM DATE	EXAMS TAKEN	TOTAL		FIRST TIME			RE-EXAM			TOTAL EXAMINEES SCHEDULED
		EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
Overall ABO FEB, MAY, JUNE & JULY 2020	23	16	69.56%							23

GENERAL EXAM STATISTICS REPORT – PRACTICAL

EXAM DATE	EXAMS TAKEN	TOTAL		FIRST TIME			RE-EXAM			TOTAL EXAMINEES SCHEDULED
		EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	EXAMS TAKEN	EXAMS PASSED	PERCENT PASSED	
Overall Practical FEB, MAY, JUNE & JULY 2020	20	09	45.00%							29

DUE TO COVID19, TESTING STOPPED IN MARCH 2020

**Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians
BOARD STATISTICS**

Licenses & Temporary Permits Issued – 8-1-2019 through 7-31-2020

Hearing Aid Specialists by Exam	20
Hearing Aid Specialist – Doctor of Audiology – Exam Waived	19
Hearing Aid Specialists by Reciprocity	0
Hearing Aid Specialists Temporary Permits	32
Optician by Exam	35
Optician by Reciprocity	0
CLE by Exam	0
CLE by Reciprocity	0
Optician License App Criminal History Review (Pass Matrix)	1

Regulant Population	7-1-2019	7-1-2020
Hearing Aid Specialist Temp Permits	49	48
Hearing Aid Specialists	750	794
Opticians	1,852	1,852

ADDENDUM 4

Board for Hearing Aid Specialists and Opticians Analysis of Fee Structure and Financial Position

Callahan Percentage Previous Biennium -0.3%

Date of Last Fee Increase:
Date of Last Fee Decrease:

Fee Structure

<u>Fee Type</u>	<u>Current Fees</u>	<u>Proposal A</u>	<u>Proposal B</u>	<u>Proposal C</u>
New Applicant Specialist	30	85	115	125
New Applicant Reciprocity	140	85	115	125
New Applicant Temporary Permit	30	85	60	125
Renewal Specialist	20	100	115	125
Reinstatement Specialist	30	85	115	125
Exam Specialist	125	125	125	125
Re-exam Specialist	125	125	125	125
Duplicate Wall Certificat Specialist	35	35	35	35
Certificate of Licensure Specialist	35	35	35	35
Bad Check Fee Specialist	50	50	50	50
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0
New Applicant Optician	100	100	115	100
Renewal Optician	100	100	115	100
Late Renewal Optician	25	25	35	25
Reinstatement Optician	100	100	115	100
Volunteer Filing Fee Optician	0	0	0	0
Contact Lens Practical ex Optician	25	25	50	25
Contact Lens Written ex Optician	175	175	175	175
Optician Practical exam/ Optician	25	25	50	25
Optician Written exam/r Optician	225	225	225	225
Duplicate Wall Certificat Optician	35	35	35	35
Certificate of Licensure Optician	35	35	35	35
Bad Check Fee Optician	50	50	50	50
0	0	0	0	0

Financial Position

	<u>Actual 2018-20 Biennium</u>	<u>Projected 2020-22 Current Fees</u>	<u>Projected 2022-24 Current Fees</u>	<u>Projected 2022-24 Proposal A</u>	<u>Projected 2022-24 Proposal B</u>	<u>Projected 2022-24 Proposal C</u>
Cash Carryforward	56,621	-866	-43,355	-43,355	-43,355	-43,355
Revenues	236,835	254,067	253,690	325,929	369,612	354,299
Expenditures	294,322	296,556	299,228	299,228	299,228	299,228
Balance	-866	-43,355	-88,893	-16,654	27,028	11,716
Projected Callahan Percentage Close of Biennium			-29.7%	-5.6%	9.0%	3.9%

NOTES: