

# FORENSIC SCIENCE BOARD

Wednesday, January 3, 2024 at 9:30 a.m.

All Virtual via WebEx

## Draft Agenda

- I. **Call to Order and Welcome** – *Board Chair Chief Maggie DeBoard*
- II. **Adoption of Agenda**
- III. **Approval of Draft Minutes of the October 12, 2023 Meeting**
- IV. **Board Chair’s Report, if any**
- V. **DFS Director’s Report** – *Director Linda Jackson*
  - Facilities
  - Agency Updates
  - Workloads/Backlogs
  - Resources
  - Grants
- VI. **Report from the Microscopic Hair Review Subcommittee** – *Amy Jenkins, Department Counsel*
- VII. **Old Business**
  - **Proposed Revisions to the Regulatory Requirement Reduction Action for 6 VAC 40-60 DNA Data Bank Regulation (Proposed Fast Track)** – *Amy C. Jenkins, Department Counsel*
  - **Formation of National Association of Forensic Science Boards (update)** – *Mason Byrd, Chief Deputy Director*
- VIII. **New Business**
  - **DISC Presentation** – *Brad Jenkins, Forensic Biology Program Manager*
  - **“Reasonable Degree of Scientific Certainty”** – *Amy C. Jenkins, Department Counsel*
  - **Legislative Update** – *Mason Byrd, Chief Deputy Director*
- IX. **Public Comment, if any**
- X. **Confirm Next Meeting Date**
  - April 10, 2024
- XI. **Adjourn**

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