

TEXAS STATE BOARD OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT EXAMINERS
LONG RANGE PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
APRIL 26, 2002

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by the Chairman, G. Al Bendeck, PA-C. Committee members present were G. Al Bendeck, PA-C and Timothy Webb, J.D. The following staff were also present: Jerry T. Walker, Deputy Executive Director; Jennifer Soffer, J.D., Assistant General Counsel; Jaime Garanflo, Director of Customer Affairs; and Pat Wood, Executive Assistant.

Agenda item #2, regarding proposed rule changes relating to the annual registration fee, was considered. Ms. Garanflo explained that the proposed rule change would increase the physician assistant annual registration fee by \$5. This fee would be used to fund on-line registration as required by SB187 of the 77th legislature. Following discussion, **Mr. Webb moved, Mr. Bendeck seconded, and the motion passed to approve the proposed rule change that would increase the annual registration fee to \$155.**

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:41 a.m.