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Office of the Governor

October 31, 2018

Mr. Dave Wuest
Nevada Board of Pharmacy
431 West Plumb Lane
Reno, Nevada 89509

Dear Deputy Secretary Wuest:

I am writing to thank you for your ongoing commitment to the Opioid State Action Accountability Task Force and the citizens of our great state. Much work has been done in this fight for the families of Nevada, and this progress could not have been made without your expertise, ideas and diligence in supporting the goals of this Task Force. I commend your efforts, and I know you will remain dedicated to asking the hard questions and developing innovative solutions to this complicated problem.

I believe the work that has been done serves as a national model and many states are looking to Nevada as an example to help their citizens. You are making a life-changing impact on our communities, and will help families for generations to come. As members of this Task Force continue working to create a Nevada solution, I hope you will take a moment to reflect on your accomplishments while also looking ahead to what must still to be done to eradicate this epidemic that has changed the lives of so many.

As Governor Sandoval’s administration ends and a new administration begins, it is vital that you continue to work to develop solutions to this complex problem that impacts our friends, neighbors and loved ones. Your participation and expertise is greatly appreciated and I thank you again for coming together to share your ideas and insights to help address this most critical challenge.

I am hopeful that the new administration will continue the Accountability Task Force. Until a decision is made, please commit to this important process under the leadership of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Mike Wildgen
Governor’s Chief of Staff
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ACTIVITIES REPORT

OCTOBER 10-11, 2018 BOARD MEETING HELD IN RENO, NEVADA

This report is prepared and presented to keep interested legislators and others abreast of the activities of the Nevada State Board of Pharmacy. Following is a summary of the October 2018 Board meeting.

Licensing Activity:

- 3 licenses were granted for Out-of-State MDEG (Medical Devices, Equipment and Gases) companies.
- 1 license was granted for a Nevada MDEG company pending receipt of a favorable inspection.
- 16 licenses were granted for Out-of-State pharmacies.
- 15 licenses were granted for Out-of-State wholesalers.
- 3 licenses were granted for Nevada pharmacies.
- 1 license was granted for Out-of-State Outsourcing Facilities.
- 1 license was granted for pharmacy intern with allegations of past criminal activity or drug use (after evaluation by PRN-PRN).
- 1 pharmacist license renewal was granted with conditions.

Disciplinary Actions:

- Physician DA’s Controlled Substance license was revoked. The revocation was stayed and the license placed on probation for 5 years and ordered to pay fees and fines.
- Physician RG was ordered to pay fees and fines and submit new policies and procedures regarding proper PMP access and use.
- Pharmacist TN and LM were ordered to pay fines and fees and complete additional CEU regarding supervising pharmacist responsibilities.
- Walgreens Pharmacy was ordered to pay fines and fees and provide updated Policies and Procedures to Board Staff regarding readily retrievable records and posting expiration dates. After Board Staff has approved the Policies & Procedures, Walgreens Pharmacy will re-train all Nevada employees.

Other Activity:

- The usual Board business reports were given, including recent and future speaking engagements; reports on national meetings; and collaboration with other state agencies.
- Licensing software updated was provided.
- Legal staff offered updates on present litigation and audits.

Workshop:

Amendment of Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 639.250: Restrictions on supervision.

The proposed amendment to NAC 639.250 will allow for an increase in pharmaceutical technician to pharmacist ratio in certain pharmacy settings.