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Date: December 11, 2010
From: Ken Neal, Licensure Committee Chair [kengneal@aol.com]
To: Section Chairs

RE: Sections Discussions on Licensure

The AEG Licensure Committee (LC) was given the task of developing and providing a framework for discussion of licensure at the section level. We are asking each section to dedicate part or all of one of their meetings to discuss issues related to licensure, and, depending on the circumstances of states within the section, the financial implications of establishing and/or protecting licensure programs, and fending off legislation that might have adverse effects on the profession.

Please find attached a PowerPoint slide show that contains the outline discussed above. The outline contains slides introducing our committee, providing the legal basis for licensure, financial issues that are part of legislative efforts, and possible solutions to avoiding operating in a “crisis mode” should a need for legislative effort develop. The slides are divided into an introductory section that should require about 10 to 15 minutes to present, and a final slide with a list of questions for discussion by section members. Please feel free to add or modify slides to meet the local needs of your particular section.

As the leader of your Section, you represent our national committee’s link to the local membership. Please provide us feedback on the results of your meeting, as well as any contemplated or expected legislative activity within your section. These will topics for discussion at next year’s midyear board meeting in April.

If you have any questions, please contact me. My email is listed above. Thank you for your attention.

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