Consideration of Proposed Amendments to 22 Tex. Admin. Code §215.5, Pertaining to Philosophy/Mission and Objectives/Outcomes

Background: The proposed amendment to Rule 215 is necessary to correct a typographical error in the rule text regarding the title of the Differentiated Essential Competencies of Graduates of Texas Nursing Programs (DECs). A copy of the proposed amendment is attached hereto as Attachment “A”.

Board Action: Move to approve the proposed amendment to 22 Tex. Admin. Code §215.5, Pertaining to Philosophy/Mission and Objectives/Outcomes, with authority for the General Counsel to make editorial changes as necessary to clarify rule and Board intent and to comply with the formatting requirements of the Texas Register. If no negative comments and no request for a public hearing are received, move to adopt the proposed amendment to 22 Tex. Admin. Code §215.5, Pertaining to Philosophy/Mission and Objectives/Outcomes, as proposed.
Attachment “A”

§215.5. Philosophy/Mission and Objectives/Outcomes

(a) (No change.)

(b) Program objectives/outcomes derived from the philosophy/mission shall reflect the Differentiated Essential Competencies of Graduates of Texas Nursing Programs Evidenced by Knowledge, Clinical Judgment, and Behaviors: Vocational [Professional] (VN), Diploma/Associate Degree (Diploma/AND), Baccalaureate Degree (BSN), October 2010 (DECs).

(c) - (e) (No change.)