DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS Title 16. Board of Pharmacy

PROPOSED REGULATORY LANGUAGE Disciplinary Guidelines

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Amend section 1760 of Article 8 of Division 17 of Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations to read as follows:

§ 1760. Disciplinary Guidelines.

In reaching a decision on a disciplinary action under the Administrative Procedure Act (Government Code sections 11400, et seq.) the <u>b-Board</u> shall consider the disciplinary guidelines entitled "Disciplinary Guidelines" (Rev. <u>2/2017-1/2022</u>), which are hereby incorporated by reference.

Deviation from these guidelines and orders, including the standard terms of probation, is appropriate where the <u>b-Board</u>, in its sole discretion, determines that the facts of the particular case warrant such a deviation--the presence of mitigating factors; the age of the case; evidentiary problems.

Note: Authority cited: Sections 315, 315.2, 315.4, and 4005, Business and Professions Code; and Section 11400.20, Government Code. Reference: Sections 315, 315.2, 315.4, and 4300-4313, Business and Professions Code; and Sections 11400.20 and 11425.50(e), Government Code.