

PROPOSED RESOLUTION #10

Submitted by: Policy & Bylaws Task Force

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BE IT RESOLVED THAT AzDHA:

Rescind Policy 1-04

~~The ASDHA support the concept of scope of practice violations being reported to the Arizona State Board of Dental Examiners anonymously.~~

Justification:

In theory, this seems desirable. In reality, an anonymous complaint is extremely difficult to investigate and adjudicate without support from the complainant. Our law already provides a degree of whistleblower-type protection. A.R.S. §32-1263.02(B) reads: "At the request of the complainant, the Board shall not disclose to the respondent the complainant name unless the information is essential to proceedings conducted pursuant to this article."

RECOMMENDATIONS

General Assembly Task Force	Board of Directors	General Assembly
Acceptable for consideration	<u>X</u> Adopt	Adopt
Makers were asked to withdraw	Adopt as amended	Adopt as amended
Administrative	Refer	Refer
Ongoing procedure	Reject	Reject
Included in budget	Other	Other
Conflict with the Bylaws		
Conflict with existing policy		
Duplication of current policy		
<u>X</u> Not Reviewed		