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STANDING ORDER

PART Opt 402 CONTINUING EDUCATION

Due to the worldwide COVID-19 public health pandemic affecting New Hampshire and the world, the NH Board of Optometry ("Board") issues the following standing order.

By Motion and Approval of the Board:

- The Board recognizes that the COVID-19 public health pandemic constitutes circumstances beyond a licensee's control.
- The Board hereby authorizes licensees to submit up to 100% of all Credit Hours of Continuing Education, obtained in calendar year 2021 and required in Opt 402.01 (a), Opt 402.02, through virtual/or alternative Continuing Education courses for the current renewal period ending June 30, 2022,

This Standing Order shall terminate on June 30, 2022.

Date: January 11, 2022

By Order of the Board

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Guy Lessard, O.D.", written over a horizontal line.

Guy Lessard, O.D.

Board Chair