

# OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA

## FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

**Hearing Date:** November 20, 2019

**Subject Matter of Proposed Regulations:** Postgraduate Training License Fee

**Sections affected:** Division 16 of Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations, Section 1690.

### **Updated Information**

The Initial Statement of Reasons is included in the file. No changes have been made which would warrant a change to the information contained therein.

Additionally, no comments were received in response to the written comment period or at the public hearing.

### **Local Mandate**

A mandate is not imposed on local agencies or school districts.

### **Small Business Impact**

This regulatory action does not impact any small businesses. The fee only impacts individual postgraduate trainees, which are not small businesses. Postgraduate trainees would not own their own small business because they only have a training license; not a full license.

This proposal will generate revenue that the Board needs to provide this new license. Without the new fee, the added expenditures would exacerbate the Board's structural deficit. Additionally, the increased revenue will ensure that the Board can appropriately regulate and enforce the PTL license. This will be consistent with the Board's mission of protecting the public.

### **Consideration of Alternatives**

No reasonable alternative which was considered or that has otherwise been identified and brought to the attention of the Board would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which it was proposed or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons that the adopted regulation or would be more cost effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provision of law.