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Senator Joel T. Chaisson, II, President
Louisiana Senate
P. O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Re: **Annual Report on Rulemaking Activities**

Regulatory Project 2008-1 ~ Pharmacy Interns

Regulatory Project 2008-2 ~ Pharmacies

Regulatory Project 2008-3 ~ Controlled Dangerous Substances

Dear Senator Chaisson:

In compliance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedures Act, more specifically at La. R.S. 49:968(K), please accept this letter as our third and final report relative to these projects, all of which were completed during calendar year 2008.

- *Regulatory Project 2008-1 ~ Pharmacy Interns*

We submitted our first report on April 7, 2008; the Notice of Intent was published in the April 20, 2008 Louisiana Register. As advertised in the notice, we conducted a public hearing on May 28, 2008 to receive comments and testimony. The Board received no comments or testimony relative to the proposed amendments.

We submitted our second report on June 2, 2008. With no request from the legislature, the Board published the Final Rule in the July 20, 2008 Louisiana Register.

- *Regulatory Project 2008-2 ~ Pharmacies*

We submitted our first report on April 7, 2008; the Notice of Intent was published in the April 20, 2008 Louisiana Register. As advertised in the notice, we conducted a public hearing on May 28, 2008 to receive comments and testimony. The Board received no comments or testimony relative to the proposed amendment.

We submitted our second report on June 2, 2008. With no request from the legislature, the Board published the Final Rule in the July 20, 2008 Louisiana Register.

- *Regulatory Project 2008-3 ~ Controlled Dangerous Substances*

We submitted our first report on June 10, 2008; the Notice of Intent was published in the June 20, 2008 Louisiana Register. As advertised in the notice, we conducted a public hearing on July 30, 2008 to receive comments and testimony. The Board analyzed the three comments received and determined that, while multiple clarification amendments were in order, no substantive revision was necessary.

We submitted our second report on August 21, 2008. With no request from the legislature, the Board published the Final Rule in the October 20, 2008 Louisiana Register.

We trust that copies of our first and second reports for all three of these completed projects reside in your archives, but if you need additional copies or any other information, please contact me directly at 225.925.6481 or exec@labp.com.

For the Board:

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