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**Licensing Operations**



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**MIDWIFERY ADVISORY  
COUNCIL**

**January 15, 2009**

Medical Board of California  
Lake Tahoe Room  
2005 Evergreen Street, Suite 1200  
Sacramento, CA 95815  
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*Action may be taken on any item  
listed on the agenda.*

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**AGENDA**

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
(or until conclusion of business)

**ALL TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

1. Call to Order/Roll Call
2. Approval of Minutes of the October 23, 2008 Meeting
3. Licensed Midwife Annual Report
  - A. Proposed Summary of 2007 Report
  - B. 2008 Report
  - C. Recommendations for Change
  - D. Timeframe to Implement Changes
4. Licensed Midwife Complaints – Statistical Data
5. Licensed Midwife Remediation/Re-entry to Practice
6. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda
7. Agenda Items for Next Meeting
8. Adjournment

*The mission of the Medical Board of California is to protect healthcare consumers through the proper licensing and regulation of physicians and surgeons and certain allied healthcare professions and through the vigorous, objective enforcement of the Medical Practice Act, and to promote access to quality medical care through the Board's licensing and regulatory functions.*

*Meetings of the Midwifery Advisory Council are open to the public except when specifically noticed otherwise in accordance with the Open Meetings Act. The audience will be given appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue presented in open session before the Council, but the Chair may apportion available time among those who wish to speak.*

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