Format and Procedures for the Public Hearing on the Optometry Proposal

Date: Wednesday, July 27, 2022, 9:30 a.m. to Noon

- A. <u>Proponent Testimony</u>:
 - One Hour, total, for all proponent testimony
- B. <u>Opponent Testimony</u>:
 - One Hour, total, for all other testimony
- C. Follow-up Comments / Questions / Rebuttals:
 - Fifteen Minutes, total
- D. <u>Time Management</u>:
 - Times can be extended at the discretion of the Committee members
 - Committee members are asked to hold their questions for a given testifier until after they have completed their testimony
 - The Chair, at their discretion, may limit duplicative testimony
- E. <u>Testifiers are asked to do the following</u>:
 - Send electronic copies of prepared testimony to Program staff in advance of the date of the public hearing, if possible <u>matthew.gelvin@nebraska.gov</u> and/or <u>ron.briel@nebraska.gov</u> and/or jessie.enfield@nebraska.gov
 - Avoid duplicating the comments of those who have already testified
 - Clearly state and spell their name for the record immediately prior to presenting their testimony