

**PUBLIC RISK INNOVATION, SOLUTIONS, AND MANAGEMENT  
(PRISM)**

**MEDICAL MALPRACTICE**

**FINAL AGENDA**

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Web Conference/Telephonic Meeting	Tuesday, February 27, 2024
<a href="https://zoom.us">https://zoom.us</a>	1:00 p.m.
Teleconference Number: Use Call Me Option or 669-444-9171	
Meeting Number: 882 9057 1172	<b>Second Meeting – 2024</b>

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As to each agenda item, the Committee may take action and/or receive informational reports as appropriate.

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**ROLL CALL/INTRODUCTIONS**

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1.A. Establishment of Quorum/Introductions .....5

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**CONSIDERATION OF OFF AGENDA ITEMS**

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Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2(b), except as provided in this paragraph, no action or discussion shall be taken at a regular meeting on any item which does not appear on the posted Final Agenda. Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2 (b)(2) an item may be added to the Final Agenda after the Final Agenda has been posted upon a determination by a two-thirds vote of the Committee (or an unanimous vote if less than two-thirds of the Committee is present); the vote shall be on a motion stating that there is a need to take immediate action and that the need for action came to the attention of the Committee subsequent to the Final Agenda being posted. Any such motion shall be accompanied by distribution of a written statement on a form provided by the office of the Chief Executive Officer/Secretary of the Board, to be included in the record, stating the facts upon which it can be determined that the need to take action arose after the Final Agenda was posted. In addition, action may be taken on an item not on the posted Final Agenda under the circumstances stated in Government Code Section 54954.2 (b)(1) [emergency] and 54954.2 (b)(3) [continued regular meetings].

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**PUBLIC COMMENT**

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This portion of the agenda is reserved for members of the general public to address the Committee on any matter not on this agenda that is under the jurisdiction of the Committee.

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**CONSENT AGENDA**

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The following Consent Agenda is expected to be routine and non-controversial. It will be acted upon by the Committee without discussion. Any Committee member, staff member, or interested party may request that any item be removed from the Consent Agenda for later discussion.

2.A. Approval of Minutes, January, 08, 2024.....6  
*An action to approve the Minutes of the above meeting.*

2.B. Code of Conduct.....9  
*An action to acknowledge receipt of the Code of Conduct.*

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## **GENERAL BUSINESS**

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- 3.A. Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) (Sarah)..... 14  
*An informational report regarding the Committee's SOP.*
- 3.B. Medical Malpractice Program Claims Guidelines Update (Heather) ..... 31  
*An action to approve the recommended updates to Program's Claims Guidelines.*
- 3.C. 2023 Strategic Planning Retreat Recap (Gina)..... 69  
*An informational report regarding the 2023 Fall Retreat.*
- 3.D. Return of PRISM ARC Additional Capital Contribution (Gina)..... 76  
*An informational report regarding return of the additional contribution made by the GL2 Program.*
- 3.E. Medical Malpractice Claims Audits (Heather)..... 77  
*An informatioanal report regarding the Claims Audits.*
- 3.F. Medical Malpractice Program Memorandum of Coverage Update (Heather).... 78  
*An action to approve the Amendments to the Program's MOC.*
- 3.G. Staff Report (Sarah)  
*Staff will report on matters of interest to the Committee.*

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## **FUTURE MEETINGS**

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The next meeting will be at the call of the chair.

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## **CLOSED SESSION**

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*For the following claim(s)/litigation item(s), those in attendance may include members of the Committee and their alternates, legal counsel, as well as authorized staff, which may include the CEO, COO, CCO, claims manager and the primary claims handler and their supervisor.*

*Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1), the Committee will hold a closed session to discuss the following:*

### **CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION**

- 4.A. Alejandre v San Joaquin County**
- 4.B. McMillian v Shasta County**
- 4.C. Shoar v Santa Clara County**

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**ADJOURNMENT**

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