Executive Appointments Legislative Review Compiled by Oregon Legislative Committee Services

OFFICE: Respiratory Therapists and Polysomnographic Therapist Licensing Board

**APPOINTEE:** Tony Garberg of Hermiston; New appointment replacing Barclay

**APPOINTMENT/CONFIRMATION AUTHORITY: ORS 688.820** 

**TERM:** Garberg: four- year term: June 5, 2013 – May 31, 2017

ECONOMIC INTEREST FILING (ORS 244.050): Not required.

#### STATUTORY QUALIFICATIONS: ORS 688.820

Affirmative action policy: See ORS 182.100. Diversity criteria: See ORS 236.115.

- The board has 7 members appointed by the governor for 4 year terms:
  - o Must have 3 must be respiratory care practitioners (**GARBERG**, LEFOR, NURRE, OLSEN)
  - o Must have 2 individuals who practice polysomnography (GAFFNEY, GLASS)
  - One must be a qualified medical director for polysomnography or for respiratory care
  - o Must have one public member (PARKS)
- Individuals appointed as respiratory care practitioners or polysomnography are required to have practice five years or more immediately preceding appointment
- A member is eligible for reappointment and may serve two consecutive full terms, a period of four years must elapse before being eligible to serve on the board again
- A board member shall be removed immediately if the member is not a resident of the state, has been absent from three consecutive board meetings, without at least one excused absence, and not licensed and good standing at time of retirement

### **DUTIES AND AUTHORITY: ORS 688.825 and ORS 688.830**

- The Board will organize and elect as chairperson and vice chairperson
- Establish standards of practice and professional responsibility for licensed respiratory therapists
- Select the licensing examination that meets the standards of the National Commission for Certifying Agencies or equivalent test
- Establish continuing education requirements for renewal of a license
- Provide for waivers of examinations, grandfathering requirements, and temporary licenses

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## **Executive Appointments Board Roster**

# Respiratory Therapist and Polysomnographic Technologist Licensing **Board**

Agency: None

Authorization: ORS 688.820

Members: Min: 7 Max: 7 Term Length: 4 years Limit: 2

Senate confirmation required? Yes

Policy Area: Unknown

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### **Current Appointments:**

Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)

Marilyn W Barclay

Respiratory Care Practitioner

Term(s): 12-01-2008 - 11-30-2012

12-01-2004 - 11-30-2008

Nicholas H Gaffney

Polysomnographic Tech

Term(s): 03-01-2012 - 02-28-2015 Position Number: 6

Position Number: 1

Tony T Garberg

Respiratory Care Practitioner

Term(s): 06-05-2013 - 05-31-2017 Position Number: 1

Joel R Glass

Polysomnographic Tech

Term(s): 03-01-2012 - 02-29-2016 Position Number: 7

Position Number: 3

Michael J Lefor, MD

Qualified Medical Director For Polysomnography or Respiratory

Care

03-01-2012 - 02-29-2016 Term(s):

Michael S Nurre

Respiratory Care Practitioner

12-01-2009 - 11-30-2013 Term(s):

05-08-2006 - 11-30-2009

Position Number: 2

Mark S Olsen

Respiratory Care Practitioner

Term(s): 12-01-2011 - 11-30-2015

05-01-2008 - 11-30-2011

Kevin E Parks

Public Member

Term(s): 12-01-2010 - 11-30-2014 Position Number: 4

Position Number: 5

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