

DISPENSING OPTICIANS BOARD (0279)
FISCAL YEAR 2018
As Enacted by Act 20 of 2017

I) AGENCY SUMMARY & REVENUE SOURCES

MISSION

The Dispensing Opticians Board is a nine member Board appointed by the Governor. The board's purpose is to protect the public from untrained and unqualified persons in the business of dispensing ophthalmic materials. Ophthalmic dispensing covers the preparation of lab work orders as well as verification and dispensing of spectacle lenses and eyeglasses prescribed by a licensed physician or optometrist. The board evaluates the qualifications and supervises the examination of applicants for licensure or registry. The board investigates complaints, allegations, and charges of practices violating the provisions of the establishing act.

TOTAL APPROPRIATION

The total appropriation for FY2018 is \$48,205.

FUNDING SOURCE

The appropriations for the Board are funded through license and permit fees, which are deposited as special revenue.

II) CHANGE LEVEL REQUESTS

No Change Level Requests

III) ADDITIONAL POSITIONS (Total Authorized Positions FY2017: 1)

Total Authorized Positions FY2018: 1

Total Base Level Positions: 1

Increase / (Decrease) from Base Level: 0

Extra Help Positions FY2018:1 (Base Level Extra Help: 1)

IV) SPECIAL LANGUAGE

None

Revised: April 2017