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**BPM Board and Stakeholder-Oriented Training  
Technology Enhancements & Innovations**

Rapid technology advances in the workplace have transformed ways of acquiring and learning new information. Training and development programs at both state and federal levels have begun taking advantage of these emerging technology advancements as a way to reduce training costs, increase the availability of outside classroom learning in addition to cutting the carbon footprint. Many organizations tout, focus and discuss technology based training options as a way to maintain and improve the intellectual capital for the agency, its members and stakeholders.

BPM needs to make a commitment to provide greater and convenient access to efficient and cost effective instructional methods for producing organizational results that aid to advance the mission of the Board. Technological innovation and implementation of these developments will assist the agency to enhance BPM training efficiencies for the Board.

Challenging our staff to focus on the array of newer technologies that other government agencies have integrated into their training and development programs will be vital to open the door for proactive identification of innovative technologies and strategies to broaden the discussion of what BPM can do to improve and enhance training efficiencies for its members and stakeholders.

WE, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Podiatric Medicine:

1. Instruct the Executive Officer to explore innovative and reasonable options and report back, at a minimum to the Executive Management Committee in May 2015, with a "top five" list of five or more innovative ways to use technology to enhance BPM training efficiencies for Board members, licensees and consultants/experts.

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