

South Dakota State Board of Dentistry's
Regional Board Exam Declaratory Ruling

Understanding that Dr. Richard Earnest Mounce became licensed prior to the establishment of regional board exams.

Realizing that there exist certain highly qualified and competent dentists that, because they became licensed prior to the establishment of regional board exams, have not taken a regional board exam but instead have taken and passed multiple state board exams.

Be it resolved, that the South Dakota State Board of Dentistry determines that in the case of Dr. Richard Earnest Mounce, the Oregon, California and Hawaii state board exams, together, are equivalent to the regional board exam required in South Dakota Administrative Rule 20:43:03:04(4).

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