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TO: EXECUTIVE OFFICERS – STATE BOARDS OF PHARMACY
FROM: Carmen A. Catizone, Executive Director/Secretary
DATE: October 1, 2015
RE: Nominations for the 2016 Lester E. Hosto Distinguished Service Award, 2016 Fred T. Mahaffey Award, 2016 NABP Honorary President, and the 2016 John F. Atkinson Service Award to be presented at the NABP 112th Annual Meeting

Nominations are currently being accepted for the following NABP awards: 2016 Lester E. Hosto Distinguished Service Award (DSA), 2016 Fred T. Mahaffey Award, 2016 NABP Honorary President, and the 2016 John F. Atkinson Service Award. The awards presentation will take place at the NABP 112th Annual Meeting, May 14-17, 2016, at the Hilton San Diego Bayfront in San Diego, CA.

Lester E. Hosto DSA

Named in memory of the 1990-1991 NABP President Lester E. Hosto, this award is the highest honor bestowed by the Association. The DSA is awarded in recognition of exemplary service in protecting the public health and significant involvement with NABP. Any individual who meets these criteria may be nominated for the DSA, regardless of his or her member affiliation with NABP.

During the NABP Annual Meeting, the recipient of the DSA is presented with a distinguished plaque and pin acknowledging the Association's recognition of the recipient's meritorious efforts.

Fred T. Mahaffey Award

Named in honor of the late NABP executive director emeritus, the Fred T. Mahaffey Award recognizes a member board of pharmacy that has made substantial contributions to the regulation of the pharmacy profession during the past year. The nominated board's efforts must have contributed to the protection of the public health and welfare through the enforcement of state and federal laws and regulations, and to the advancement of NABP goals and objectives as specified in the Association's Constitution and Bylaws.

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Honorary President

Nominees must meet the following criteria:

- service on one or more NABP committees or task forces;
- participation in district and Annual Meetings;
- exemplary services for, or on behalf of, NABP
- strong commitment to NABP, the mission of the Association to protect the public health, and the profession of pharmacy; and
- affiliation, (either current or past,) as a board member or as an administrative officer of an active or associate member board.

John F. Atkinson Service Award

The John F. Atkinson Service Award is awarded in recognition of exemplary service in protecting the public health and should encompass pharmacy law, inspectors, and compliance officers. It is awarded to an individual(s) who has supported the goals and objectives of the Association and the state boards of pharmacy to protect the public health and advanced the need to maintain the safety and integrity of the distribution and dispensing of medications. The extraordinary achievement must have resulted in an accomplishment as exceptional and outstanding as to clearly set the individual apart from his colleagues.

Nominations for these awards must be received at NABP Headquarters no later than December 31, 2015. Letters of nomination, along with a brief biography and current resume or curriculum vitae of the nominee, must include an account explaining why the nominee should be considered for an award.

A nomination form is available on the NABP Web site in the Meetings section, or via the following link: http://www.nabp.net/system/rich/rich_files/rich_files/000/001/131/original/2016-nomination-form-fillable.pdf.

The NABP Executive Committee will review the nominations and select the award recipients. Please submit your nomination to my attention at NABP Headquarters, 1600 Feehanville Dr, Mount Prospect, IL 60056. For more information, please contact Lisa Braddy, executive office supervising coordinator, via e-mail at [REDACTED] or via phone a [REDACTED].

cc: NABP Executive Committee