-----Original Message-----From: sundrupal@capitol.local [mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local] Sent: Tuesday, December 06, 2016 1:11 PM To: Sunset Advisory Commission Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

Opposed: NCTs are not equipped to handle the real life tasks that LMRTs and RT go to school to learn. There is too much to learn about radiology that can be accomplished in only 120 hours of class. I believe that is not enough class time to safely learn how to make an xray and also to understand the needs of patients. The LMRT programs provide us with all the material and skills needed for this career and also drive into us the importance of professionalism in the work place.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I think they should streamline the LMRT courses and open more campuses so that there are more LMRTs with the knowledge and passion for radiology, this way NCTs can be excluded from medical facilities because I feel they are not nearly as qualified to use this potentially dangerous equipment as we are. The temporary license should be taken away and there should be one comprehensive test

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree