From: Sunset Advisory Commission

To: <u>Janet Wood</u>

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Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: TEXAS STATE BOARD EXAMINERS PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

Opposed: None of the other boards that regulate health professionals are composed exclusively of public members. Including one private and one public member would be highly beneficial to the profession and the efficiency of the board.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency:

Instead of one public member appointed by each of the four boards, appoint one professional and one private representatives for each board in order to get a better view of the needs and demands of the profession and what we will need from the board going forward.

An addition of an executive counsel for Behavioral Health would be an improvement and helpful in moving the profession forward.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree