-----Original Message-----From: sundrupal@capitol.local [mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local] Sent: Tuesday, November 08, 2016 2:33 PM To: Sunset Advisory Commission Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: TEXAS BOARD NURSING BON

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed:

1. APRNs should not need to explain what they do to a committee deciding if they violated their scope of practice. The committee should be made up of mostly APRNs who practice in the same field, so that the proceedings can be focused on the nuances of role-specific APRN practice.

2. When an APRN is called before the BON for possible disciplinary action, those sitting on disciplinary committees should be peers, who are already experts in that APRN's specific area of practice.

3. Whenever an APRN is under disciplinary investigation, the majority of those doing the investigating should be APRNs in the same specialty.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: See above

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree