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Agency: TEXAS STATE BOARD SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINERS

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: It takes over two years for an ethics complaint against a Social Worker to be handled by the licensing board. Mean while, that Social Worker is still practicing and working with clients. There needs to be a quicker response time and the only way that is going to happen is by creating a board that has the best interest of the profession and the professionals they serve.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Consolidate the Board of Examiners of Marriage and Family Therapists, Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors, and Board of Social Worker Examiners with the Board of Examiners of Psychologists to create the Texas Behavioral Health Executive Council.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree