From: Sunset Advisory Commission
To: Brittany Calame; Cecelia Hartley

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

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Agency: STATE BAR TEXAS

First Name: Patricia

Last Name: Harkins

Title: ms

Organization you are affiliated with: retired

City: LaPorte

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

Opposed: I would like to attend the hearing - I feel that the grievances should be answered as to why the grievance was not picked up on the attorney or the judge - An explanation as why the grievance was rejected - Not a blanket form letter

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency:

Here again I feel that an explanation should be given as to why the grievance was not acted upon - An acknowledgement saying the reasons would be nice - Here again NOT a form letter - That many grievances are not acted upon percentage wise. The grievances should not have to in a legal format since most of the people sending the grievance are lay people.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree

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Opposed: This agency needs to have people on the grievance board who are not attorneys. When people submit grievances they are lay people and not attorneys. The State of Texas has the lowest rating of grievances in the U.S. that action is taken on. The State of Texas also has the lowest rating of corrupt Judges and little to no action is ever taken on them. This tells me that the State Bar of Texas is a joke and needs to be completely revamped.

Starting with the Grievance part of this agency toward attorney's and judges. Would you want these attorneys taking care of you in a hospital? Why should attorneys get by with ripping off their clients?

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Yes this agency needs to be revamped and watched by the Feds until they get a full understanding that Attorneys in the State of Texas are running a muck and not following Texas Laws. They are also ripping off their paying clients

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree