From: <u>Sunset Advisory Commission</u>

To: <u>Brittany Calame</u>

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From: sunset@sunset.texas.gov < sunset@sunset.texas.gov > On Behalf Of Texas Sunset Commission

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Agency: TEXAS BOARD PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS TBPG

First Name: Jacob

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

Opposed: I'm strongly for the licensing and regulations of geoscientists.

Working in the engineering geology/geotechnical engineering realm, a geologist's seal is exceedingly important in foundation and slope stability when in rock. In North Carolina, the NCDOT prefers PGs to be involved with their geotechnical inventory reports and will allow sealing by a PG instead of a PE. The public's safety and wellbeing are directly affected by applied geoscience.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: None.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree