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Sent: Tuesday, April 24, 2018 1:06 PM  
To: Sunset Advisory Commission  
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Agency: TEXAS MEDICAL BOARD

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State: Texas

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

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency:

1. The Sunset Commission should consider asking the legislature to investigate alleged retaliation by the TMB against Dr. Robert Van Boven, and recommend reforms to prevent such retaliation in the future.
2. Physicians sanctioned by the TMB should have the right to a "trial de novo" in the county in which the physician resides if he or she disagrees with the findings/sanctions issued by the TMB.
3. Physicians should have a right to see a copy of any complaint about them filed with the TMB. This is a reasonable interpretation of the 6th Amendment right to know of what one is accused and by whom.
4. The Commission should not endorse adoption of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact, This agreement is contrary to SB 1148, signed into law in 2017, which prohibits the board from discriminating against physicians based on whether or not they participate in Maintenance of Certification requirements. The Compact also diminishes the regulation of medicine at the state level and drastically weakens physician's due process rights.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree