From: Sunset Advisory Commission

To: <u>Janet Wood</u>

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

I support the creation of the BHEC through the transformation of the psychology board.

I oppose the classification of professional appointees on the BHEC as ex officio members.

The TSBSWE is not operating efficiently & effectively under HHSC.

Each board must remain independent under the BHEC.

The TSBSWE must have more money to operate effectively.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: The BHEC should be made up of nine voting members – one public and one professional from each of the four boards, with a final public member appointed by the Governor.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree