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

To: <u>Trisha Linebarger</u>

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

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

Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 11:39 AM

To: Sunset Advisory Commission <Sunset@sunset.texas.gov>

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Agency: TEXAS DEPARTMENT LICENSING AND REGULATION

First Name: Marty

Last Name: Rodriguez

Title: Mr.

Organization you are affiliated with: Cosmetology

Email:

City: Laredo

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

Opposed: In section 3.2 of your publication it says eliminating Barbers and Cosmetology Licenses and return to the original License... To what original license you're talking about? is it the one when TDLR took over in 2005? Now why would you recommend to eliminate the Instructors license? I've been a licensed instructor since 1989 ... in 1988 I enrolled in the instructor program for an additional 750 hours aside from the 1,500 hours .. I took teaching methods, classroom management, lesson plan training, clinic floor supervision, learn students learning styles, deliver effective lesson plans and to identify students needs know their comprehensions... then after I successfully finished the instructor program I took my 3 exams.... 1. Written exam...2. Practical Exam... 3. Present my lesson in front of other students instructors and examiners and to wait 30 days for my results because back then technology was not advance as today? I went through all this and for what for now any stylist with an operator license can teach? when they didn't even took an instructor course or tested to become instructors? I don't agree for your harsh recommendation especially for us that had our Instructors licensed way before TDLR took over in 2005. I hope there's options or grandfathered certain individuals to keep the Instructor licensed?

Imagine all those individuals who are instructors license since early 60's, 70's, 80's, 90's, and early 2000's before TDLR took over?

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I recommend for TDLR to weight all options before accepting or considering Sunset recommendation in regards eliminating Instructors license? Hopefully grandfathered certain Instructors license due to the aged obtained before TDLR took over the industry in 2005 or renamed the Instructors license into Educator or Teacher license?...

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree