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Good Afternoon,

I would like to voice my concern at the idea of consolidating TBPTE into TDLR against the advice of the recommendation made by the Sunset Staff. We, as a profession, have some of the most extensive schooling programs with continued emphasis on advancing our clinical skills and knowledge. We work directly with our patients and provide hands on care and this decision to consolidate state boards will eventually affect our quality of care.

I request you to not consolidate our board with TDLR and let us operate independently to better serve our patients. Thank you for your time.

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