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Sent: Monday, April 02, 2018 10:08 AM  
To: Sunset Advisory Commission  
Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: TEXAS STATE BOARD SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINERS

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: AN agency managing a profession should have adequate funding and staffing to ensure prompt, effective, and equitable service to the profession and public.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency:

Question 1: 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 Question 2: 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