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From: sundrupal@capitol.local [<mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local>]  
Sent: Tuesday, June 21, 2016 6:33 PM  
To: Sunset Advisory Commission  
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Agency: TEXAS BOARD PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS

First Name: Kyle

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Title:

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

My name is Kyle Tanner. I am part of UMHB's first DPT class that is set to graduate in December of 2017. I have been keeping up with the latest news in the physical therapy field and have recognized the significance of this sunset review on the profession I am pursuing. I strongly support the Sunset Commission's recommendation that the Texas Board of Physical Therapy Examiners join the National Li-censure Compact. In doing so, this would open many doors for DPTs practicing in Texas to transition to practicing in other states; as well as, make it easier for out of state DPTs to bring their expertise to our great state. While I agree with the above recommendation, I strongly disagree with the recommendation to strip the Continuing Competence Approval Program (CCAP) program administration away from the TPTA and the Texas Board of Physical Therapy Examiners (TBPTE). This is a major source of revenue for the TPTA (about 40%) that, if taken away, would drastically affect the organizations ability to provide the necessary service for which it operates. Secondly, I oppose the recommendation to remove the statutory authority of the TBPTE that would allow them to engage in any future arrangements, such as the one above. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Kyle Tanner SPT

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Not at this time

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree