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From: sunset@sunset.texas.gov [<mailto:sunset@sunset.texas.gov>] On Behalf Of Texas Sunset Commission  
Sent: Saturday, August 22, 2020 4:15 PM  
To: Sunset Advisory Commission <Sunset@sunset.texas.gov>  
Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: TEXAS DEPARTMENT LICENSING AND REGULATION

First Name: Christy

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Title:

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Email:

City: Dallas

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: Please keep the breeder licensing in place. My precious silver lab has spent all 8 1/2 years of her life battling congenital issues that are the result of an unlicensed and inexperienced breeder. The breeder meant well but had no experience and as a result I've spent at least \$15,000 on this precious dog who deserves the best quality of life despite her unfortunate start in life. She has had multiple surgeries and takes multiple daily medications. I'm thankful that I have the means to provide a quality life for her. I shudder to think of what happens to most puppies who are sold by unlicensed breeders.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Please strengthen by closing the loopholes from 11 breeders to five and by removing the sales requirement.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree