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

Issue 4: The TSBEP should continue to monitor and regulate the practice of psychology in the state of Texas. If consolidated I think it would be detrimental to the very public we serve. If consolidation were to happen there would be a lack of understanding of the regulations to be drafted because of unfamiliarity with the services provided.

Issue 5: I agree with recommendations for a proposed definition of psychology based on the 5th Circuit Court's decision.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency:

Rename licensure from "Licensed Specialist in School Psychology" to "School Psychologist". If changed it would help to alleviate any confusion with the parents and the public that we work with.

Allow LSSPs to work in private schools.

The way things currently stand it limits the amount of services/interventions that are made available to children that are in private school. LSSP can bring important information and services to these students who are otherwise missing out.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree