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Subject: FW: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)
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From: sunset@sunset.texas.gov <sunset@sunset.texas.gov> On Behalf Of Texas Sunset Commission
Sent: Monday, December 10, 2018 8:01 PM
To: Sunset Advisory Commission <Sunset@sunset.texas.gov>
Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: TEXAS STATE BOARD PLUMBING EXAMINERS

First Name: Seth

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Title: Master plumber

Organization you are affiliated with:

Email:

City: San Antonio

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: Very opposed and threatened. All licensed plumbers in the state of Texas have worked very hard to get where we are. We protect the health of it's inhabitants and take pride in that fact. I agree that there are problems with the TSBPE, but think these issues need to be handled within the agency. Folding the plumbing trade into another agency undermines our credibility as a profession and furthermore dilutes the view of plumbers as keystones of our great nation. You are asking for health outbreaks and future problems if you are allowed to loosen the high standards of this upstanding profession. TSBPE has had its funding slashed and the been told to keep up the status quo. This is like complaining the dog you beat it's whole life won't come when you call him. I believe these radical changes will bring down the living wage of all skilled plumbers statewide.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Address the funding of the TSBPE, and please help reform the agency not destroy it

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree