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Agency: TEXAS STATE BOARD SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINERS

First Name: Amelia

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Title:

Organization you are affiliated with:

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I oppose the recommendation to give the TX State Board of Social Work Examiners advisory status under the TDLR. Clear and appropriate training and practice standards can only be set by professionally specialized boards familiar with the field. Social workers understand mental health and the TDLR does not have the experience to regulate an occupation that works with this population.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Keep the social work board as an autonomous board using the licensing fees to support its work.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree