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Agency: DEPARTMENT STATE HEALTH SERVICES DSHS

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

I am strongly in opposition to the Board of Licensed Professional Counseling and Board of Licensed Marriage and Family Therapists being made advisory committees to the TDLR. We as a profession have worked hard to obtain our advanced degrees and licensure status. We do not want our board to be mixed in with all other licenses, especially those that do not impact the mental health and safety of the general public in mental health.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Suggestion: To have these 3 boards be the only ones that remain under DSHS.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree