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From: sundrupal@capitol.local [<mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local>]
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Agency: DEPARTMENT STATE HEALTH SERVICES DSHS

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Title: Dr.

Organization you are affiliated with:

City: Brenham

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I have had seven children at home with the services of a midwife. I have been very pleased with their level of training and professionalism. Please do not make any changes in how they are governed and ruled. They should remain under the authority of the Texas Midwifery Board which is controlled by midwives who know the business of being born better than anyone else. The medical board should stick with medical issues within their own profession. Competition is good for the customer and good for the women and babies of the state of Texas.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: The Texas Midwifery Board should not be moved to the Department of Licensing and Regulation. Let them stay where they are doing what they do best. Let the Doctors control the Doctors and Nurses and let the Midwives control the Midwives.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree