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Agency: DEPARTMENT STATE HEALTH SERVICES DSHS

First Name: Casey

Last Name: King

Title: Mr.

Organization you are affiliated with:

City: Mesquite

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I am against the deregulation of radiologic technology in the state of Texas. Radiation equipment when not properly used can be extremely hazardous to the public. With the Texas Medical Radiologic Technologist license in place provides another barrier for people that are not qualified to use radiation equipment away from the public.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Keep the medical radiologic technologist (MRT) licensure to help combat people that are not qualified from using radiation equipment. The fact the word radiation is included in the background of what a radiologic technologist does should be reason enough to keep the regulations around.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree

**From:** [Sunset Advisory Commission](#)  
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First Name: Casey

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Organization you are affiliated with: ASRT

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State: Texas

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

Please do not discontinue the licensure of the medical radiologic technologist (MRT) license. The state makes a big deal on radiation from CT scans but yet wants to open the door by deregulating who can administer radiation.

By keeping the license ensures that workers dispensing radiation have obtained the proper education to do so.

Radiation is an invisible danger to humans. It is a carcinogen. Educated technologist have the training to obtain quality imaging with the lowest dose possible. By discontinuing the MRT license opens the door for anyone to be hired to dispense radiation which is just dangerous and highly irresponsible.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Help to keep the public safe and keep the MRT license alive.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree