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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: The idea that any random person off of the street can perform radiographic procedures that are exposing patients to radiation is acceptable is ridiculous..In the state that health care is in today how is this even a possibility? I have done mammography for 17 years and have endured yearly inspections by the state/FDA to prove that my facility is following all of the state and federally mandated rules. I have spent countless hours obtaining American College of Radiology Accreditation to ensure to patients that they are having there exam performed at a facility that can provide safe and quality mammography exams. Some Insurance providers are even requiring technologist sto be certified/registered in any modality that they perform. These are all changes that were made over many years to ensure that safe quality exams are being provided to patients. Lets not destroy all the work that has been done by many to protect the public. Without this there would be no accountability of a personnel and no way to stop them from performing poor harmful exams to patients. All radiologic technologist are specifically trained in radiation safety and the many long term effects.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: This agency has a responsibility to the general public to continue with the current licensing of all persons performing any exams that emit ionizing radiation by trained professionals.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree