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Agency: DEPARTMENT STATE HEALTH SERVICES DSHS

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City: Plano

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: The recommendation to remove title acts and enabling statutes relating to the state regulation of the Code Enforcement profession is opposed. The Code Enforcement profession directly attributes to the public safety and welfare of communities. Having a state regulated licensure, certification and registration practice in place favorably impacts the credibility of the profession in the community at large, the court systems and other environments governed by regulatory authority.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: To preserve various enactments to establish and sustain the veracity of the Code Enforcement profession, as well as minimize the anticipated detriment that would be created by the deregulation of the profession, it is recommended that full administration of the Code Enforcement Officers regulatory program be transferred to the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation (TDLR) if administration of the program is no longer feasible by the Department of State Health Services (DSHS).

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree