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October 20, 2005

John R. McGinley, Jr., Chairman  
Independent Regulatory Review Commission  
14<sup>th</sup> Floor, Harristown 2  
333 Market Street  
Harrisburg, PA 17101

Dear Chairman McGinley:

The House Professional Licensure Committee held a meeting on October 18, 2005, to consider the following:

Regulation 16A-5116 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Nursing relating to prescriptive authority fees. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Regulation 16A-5414 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Pharmacy relating to biennial renewal fees. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Regulation 16A-5612 – Final rulemaking of the State Real Estate Commission relating to biennial renewal fee increase. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Regulation 16A-4512 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Cosmetology relating to biennial renewal fees. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Regulation 5118 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Nursing relating to approval of programs in transition to degree-granting status. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Regulation 489 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Funeral Directors relating to continuing education. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Please feel free to contact my office if any questions should arise.

Sincerely,

Thomas P. Gannon  
Chairman, House Professional Licensure Committee

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