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April 6, 2006

John R. McGinley, Jr., Chairman
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Dear Chairman McGinley:

The House Professional Licensure Committee held a meeting on April 4, 2006, to consider the following:

Regulation 16A-447 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Podiatry relating to licensure applications. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Regulation 16A-5315 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine relating to the deletion of exam fees. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Regulation 16A-5127 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Nursing relation to fees for approval of nursing education programs. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Regulation 16A-5121 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Nursing relation to temporary practice permits. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

Regulation 16A-5410 – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Pharmacy relating to technology and automation. 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

cc: The Honorable Pedro A Cortes, Secretary of the Commonwealth
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The Honorable Kenneth A. Rapp, Deputy Secretary
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