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Dear Dr Hummer:

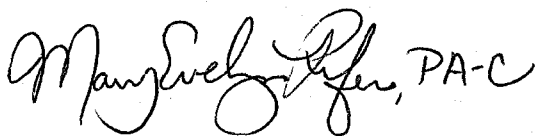
I am a Physician Assistant practicing under the supervision of Dr. Bernard Proy M.D. in Corry Pa. I am writing in support of the proposed changes to the PA Code Title 49, Chapter 18, relating to physician assistants. The proposed changes would allow me and my supervising physician to work more efficiently and effectively.

The proposed regulations will update my profession and allow my supervising physician and myself more time for our patients, as well as better access to appropriate treatments and medications.

The regulatory revisions represent a forward motion into the future of modern healthcare. The proposed regulations are appropriate for patient care, as well as for physicians to adequately utilize physician assistants.

I am asking as a practicing and licensed physician assistant in Pennsylvania that you consider these proposed revisions. Thank you for time and consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,



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