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*House of Representatives*  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
HARRISBURG

October 5, 2006

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

The House Professional Licensure Committee held a meeting on October 3, 2006, to consider the following:

**Regulation 16A-5317** – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine relating to respiratory care therapists. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

**Regulation 16A-4916** – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Medicine relating to physician assistants. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

**Regulation 16A-6910** – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors relating to child abuse reporting requirements. The committee voted to approve the regulation.

**Regulation 16A-4513** – Final rulemaking of the State Board of Cosmetology relating to removal of the term “manager.” The committee voted to approve the regulation.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Thomas P. Gannon".

Thomas P. Gannon, Chairman  
House Professional Licensure Committee

TPG/lls

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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