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Subject: FW: apology

KARLA,

This needs to be printed, distributed and logged in. Thanks.

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Dear Eileen:

Please allow me to humbly extend an apology on behalf of Steven J. Triantafyllou M.D. and Orthopaedic and Spine Specialists. Based on what we now know is the wrong interpretation, we drafted the attached letter to lobby against the proposed medical cost containment regulations. The Pennsylvania Orthopaedic Society contacted Sandra Eckard, COO, today and provided the correct interpretation of the proposal. We are embarrassed that we unknowingly acted on incorrect information and apologize for the harsh tone of our letter. The POS assures us they have our best interest at heart, and we will not be in attendance at tomorrow's forum. Thank you for the opportunity to be heard. We look forward to a continued good working relationship with the Bureau.

Sincerely,

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