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Mr. Arthur Coccodrilli, Chairman, IRRC 333 Market St. 14th Floor Harrisburg, PA 17101

Dear Sir:

On behalf of the Westmoreland, Indiana, and Armstrong County Funeral Directors Association we are writing to let you know that our association which represents 49 funeral homes fully supports Regulation 16A-4816 and that unlicensed employees of funeral homes should not be able to arrange preneed funeral arrangements.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

John M. Bacha, President