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NOTICE OF REGULATION

March 10, 2009

Joseph C. Gallagher Jr., D.O.  
Chairman, Osteopathic Board of Medicine  
P.O. Box 2649  
Harrisburg PA 17105-2647

Dear Dr. Gallagher:

I am an osteopathic physician working in a large rural health clinic in western Pennsylvania and have employed the same physician assistant for the last nineteen years. We have a very busy practice which is often hampered by her need to wait on my signature for prescriptions.

The passage of this legislation will greatly assist us in our practice. I strongly support the prescribing regulations with the same wording as the allopathic regulations. I urge you to support this regulation also. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,



Michael P. Ondich D.O.

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