

P. MICHAEL STURLA, MEMBER  
MAJORITY DEPUTY WHIP  
333 MAIN CAPITOL BUILDING  
P.O. BOX 202096  
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA 17120-2096  
PHONE: (717) 787-3555  
FAX: (717) 705-1923



House of Representatives  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
HARRISBURG

COMMITTEES  
PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE – MAJORITY CHAIRMAN  
FINANCE  
RULES  
MAJORITY POLICY  
CAPITOL PRESERVATION

THE GRIEST BUILDING  
8 NORTH QUEEN STREET  
SUITE 1100  
LANCASTER, PENNSYLVANIA 17603  
PHONE: (717) 295-3157  
FAX: (717) 295-7816

#2720

September 17, 2008

Mr. Kim Kaufman  
Executive Director  
Independent Regulatory Review Commission  
333 Market Street, 14<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Harrisburg, PA 17101

RE: Final Regulation 16A-4617  
State Board of Dentistry  
Scope of Practice/Local Anesthesia

Dear Mr. Kaufman:

The House Professional Licensure Committee on this date voted to take no formal action on Regulation 16A-4617 until final regulation is promulgated and submit the following comment:

1. The Committee requests that the Board clarify whether a newly graduated dental hygienist can apply for an initial license and a local anesthesia permit simultaneously.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "P. Michael Sturla".

P. Michael Sturla  
Chairman, House Professional Licensure Committee

RECEIVED  
2008 SEP 17 PM 2:43  
INDEPENDENT REGULATORY  
REVIEW COMMISSION