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SECTION I: PROFILE

(1) Agency:

**Department of State, Bureau of Professional and Occupational
Affairs, State Board of Chiropractic**

(2) Agency Number: **16A**

Identification Number:

4316

IRRC Number:

2832

(3) Short Title:

Assistance by unlicensed supportive personnel

(4) PA Code Cite:

49 Pa. Code § 5.54

(5) Agency Contacts (List Telephone Number, Address, Fax Number and Email Address):

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(All Comments will appear on IRRC'S website)

(7) Type of Rulemaking (check applicable box):

- Proposed Regulation
- Final Regulation
- Final Omitted Regulation
- Emergency Certification Regulation;
 - Certification by the Governor
 - Certification by the Attorney General

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(8) Briefly explain the regulation in clear and nontechnical language. (100 words or less)

Section 601 of the Chiropractic Practice Act (63 P.S. § 625.601) authorizes utilization of “the assistance of unlicensed supportive personnel performing under the direct on-premises supervision of a licensed chiropractor” but prohibits a licensed chiropractor from delegating “any activity or duty to such unlicensed individuals which requires formal education or training in the practice of chiropractic or the knowledge and skill of a licensed chiropractor.” This proposed rulemaking would add § 5.54 to implement section 601 by identifying many activities and duties that unlicensed supportive personnel may perform under the supervision of a licensed chiropractor and those activities and duties that cannot be delegated.

(9) Include a schedule for review of the regulation including:

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| A. The date by which the agency must receive public comments: | 30 days after publ. |
| B. The date or dates on which public meetings or hearings will be held: | N/A |
| C. The expected date of promulgation of the proposed regulation as a final-form regulation: | within two years of publ. |
| D. The expected effective date of the final-form regulation: | final promulgation |
| E. The date by which compliance with the final-form regulation will be required: | effective date |
| F. The date by which required permits, licenses or other approvals must be obtained: | effective date |

(10) Provide the schedule for continual review of the regulation.

The Board continually reviews the efficacy of its regulations, as part of its annual review process under Executive Order 1996-1. The Board reviews its regulatory proposals at regularly scheduled public meetings, generally the third Thursday of each odd-numbered month. More information can be found on the Board’s website (www.dos.state.pa.us/chiro).

SECTION II: STATEMENT OF NEED

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(11) State the statutory authority for the regulation. Include specific statutory citation.

This rulemaking is proposed under sections 302(3) and 601 of the Chiropractic Practice Act (63 P.S. §§ 625.302(a) and 625.601).

(12) Is the regulation mandated by any federal or state law or court order, or federal regulation? Are there any relevant state or federal court decisions? If yes, cite the specific law, case or regulation as well as, any deadlines for action.

The proposed rulemaking is not mandated by any federal or state law or court order or federal regulation.

(13) State why the regulation is needed. Explain the compelling public interest that justifies the regulation. Describe who will benefit from the regulation. Quantify the benefits as completely as possible and approximate the number of people who will benefit.

Section 601 of the Chiropractic Practice Act (63 P.S. § 625.601) permits assistance of unlicensed supportive personnel performing under the direct on-premises supervision of a licensed chiropractor, but prohibits delegation of any activity or duty that requires formal education or training in the practice of chiropractic or the knowledge and skill of a licensed chiropractor. In the absence of regulation, licensees have no additional guidance in applying this statutory provision to determine what duties or activities unlicensed supportive personnel may perform. Without promulgating a regulation, a licensed chiropractor who is not sure whether a certain activity could be performed by unlicensed supportive personnel would have to either refrain from delegation or risk disciplinary action. Regulation would provide more clarity and certainty to the regulated community.

(14) If scientific data, studies, references are used to justify this regulation, please submit material with the regulatory package. Please provide full citation and/or links to internet source.

This proposed rulemaking is not based upon any scientific data, studies, or references.

(15) Describe who and how many will be adversely affected by the regulation. How are they affected?

The Board has not identified any group of individuals or entities that would be adversely affected by the proposed rulemaking.

(16) List the persons, groups or entities that will be required to comply with the regulation. Approximate the number of people who will be required to comply.

All licensed chiropractors would be required to comply with the rulemaking, but it would affect only those licensees who utilize the assistance of unlicensed supportive personnel. There are approximately 4,150 currently licensed chiropractors.

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SECTION III: COST AND IMPACT ANALYSIS

(17) Provide a specific estimate of the costs and/or savings to the **regulated community** associated with compliance, including any legal, accounting or consulting procedures which may be required. Explain how the dollar estimates were derived.

Those members of the regulated community who have previously been delegating to unlicensed supportive personnel duties or activities that may not be delegated may have some cost associated with compliance with the proposed rulemaking. There should be savings for those members of the regulated community who begin to take greater advantage of the use of unlicensed supportive personnel as provided in the proposed rulemaking. There are no other costs or savings to members of the regulated community associated with compliance with the rulemaking.

(18) Provide a specific estimate of the costs and/or savings to **local governments** associated with compliance, including any legal, accounting or consulting procedures which may be required. Explain how the dollar estimates were derived.

There are no costs or savings to local governments associated with compliance with the rulemaking.

(19) Provide a specific estimate of the costs and/or savings to **state government** associated with the implementation of the regulation, including any legal, accounting, or consulting procedures which may be required. Explain how the dollar estimates were derived.

There are no costs or saving to state government associated with implementation of the proposed rulemaking.

(20) In the table below, provide an estimate of the fiscal savings and costs associated with implementation and compliance for the regulated community, local government, and state government for the current year and five subsequent years.

	Current FY Year	FY +1 Year	FY +2 Year	FY +3 Year	FY +4 Year	FY +5 Year
SAVINGS:	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Regulated Community						
Local Government						
State Government						
Total Savings	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
COSTS:						

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Regulated Community						
Local Government						
State Government						
Total Costs	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
REVENUE LOSSES:						
Regulated Community						
Local Government						
State Government						
Total Revenue Losses	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

(20a) Provide the past three year expenditure history for programs affected by the regulation.

Program	FY -3 (FY 06-07) actual	FY -2 (FY 07-08) actual	FY -1 (FY 08-09) projected	Current FY (FY 09-10) budgeted
Pa. State Board of Chiropractic	\$386,836	\$397,552	\$538,000	\$565,000

(21) Explain how the benefits of the regulation outweigh any cost and adverse effects.

No adverse effects or costs have been associated with compliance with the rulemaking. Therefore, the above-identified benefits outweigh any cost.

(22) Describe the communications with and input from the public and any advisory council/group in the development and drafting of the regulation. List the specific persons and/or groups who were involved.

By letter dated June 5, 2007, the Board provided an exposure draft of the proposed rulemaking and solicited input from interested parties. The Board received input from Wesley S. Mullen, Jr., DC; Michael D. Miscoe of Practice Masters, Inc.; the American Clinical Board of Nutrition; James J. Kutz, Esquire; and the Pennsylvania Chiropractic Association. The Board incorporated many of these comments into its proposed rulemaking, which was also discussed in public session during the Board's meetings in July, 2007.

(23) Include a description of any alternative regulatory provisions which have been considered and rejected and a statement that the least burdensome acceptable alternative has been selected.

No alternative regulatory schemes were considered.

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(24) Are there any provisions that are more stringent than federal standards? If yes, identify the specific provisions and the compelling Pennsylvania interest that demands stronger regulations.

The proposed rulemaking is not more stringent and does not overlap or conflict with any federal requirements.

(25) How does this regulation compare with those of other states? How will this affect Pennsylvania's ability to compete with other states?

The proposed rulemaking would not put Pennsylvania at a competitive disadvantage.

(26) Will the regulation affect any other regulations of the promulgating agency or other state agencies? If yes, explain and provide specific citations.

This proposed rulemaking will not affect other regulations of the Board or other state agencies.

(27) Submit a statement of legal, accounting or consulting procedures and additional reporting, recordkeeping or other paperwork, including copies of forms or reports, which will be required for implementation of the regulation and an explanation of measures which have been taken to minimize these requirements.

This proposed rulemaking would not require any additional recordkeeping or other paperwork.

(28) Please list any special provisions which have been developed to meet the particular needs of affected groups or persons including, but not limited to, minorities, elderly, small businesses, and farmers.

The Board has determined that there are no special needs of any subset of its applicants or licensees for whom special accommodations should be made.

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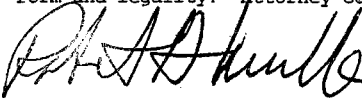
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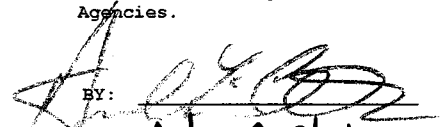
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DATE OF APPROVAL

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(Deputy General Counsel
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BY: 
Kathleen G. McConnell, DC

[] Check if applicable
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TITLE: Chairperson
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PROPOSED RULEMAKING

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
BUREAU OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC

49 Pa. Code § 5.54
ASSISTANCE OF UNLICENSED SUPPORTIVE PERSONNEL

The State Board of Chiropractic (Board) proposes to amend its regulations to add § 5.54 (relating to assistance by unlicensed supportive personnel), to read as set forth in Annex A.

Effective date

The amendments will be effective upon publication of the final-form rulemaking in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*.

Statutory Authority

The proposed rulemaking is authorized under sections 302(3) and 601 of the Chiropractic Practice Act (act) (63 P.S. §§ 625.302(3) and 625.601).

Background and Need for the Amendment

Under section 601 of the act (63 P.S. § 625.601), a licensed chiropractor may utilize “the assistance of unlicensed supportive personnel performing under the direct on-premises supervision of a licensed chiropractor.” That section also prohibits a licensed chiropractor from delegating “any activity or duty to such unlicensed individuals which requires formal education or training in the practice of chiropractic or the knowledge and skill of a licensed chiropractor.” This rulemaking is intended to identify the more common activities and duties that unlicensed supportive personnel may perform under the supervision of a licensed chiropractor and to identify those activities and duties that may not be delegated to supportive personnel. Those activities and duties not listed in the regulation would be permitted or prohibited in accordance with the statutory standard.

Description of the Proposed Amendments

The proposed rulemaking would first define in § 5.54(a) the term “direct supervision” as supervision provided without any intermediate supervision and define the term “unlicensed supportive personnel” as any person not licensed to practice chiropractic who is regularly employed by a chiropractor to assist a chiropractor. The proposed rulemaking would provide in § 5.54(b) that a licensed chiropractor may utilize the assistance of unlicensed supportive personnel as authorized in the regulation and that the chiropractor is professionally responsible for the actions of the supportive personnel. Under proposed § 5.54(f), the chiropractor must be physically on the premises and able to intervene whenever necessary while utilizing the assistance of unlicensed supportive personnel. Under proposed § 5.54(g), supportive personnel must be qualified by training, education or experience to perform any activity or duty that is delegated. Proposed § 5.54(h) would require the licensed chiropractor to make a diagnosis and evaluation, specify the treatment regimen and perform any aspect of the procedure that may not be delegated to unlicensed supportive personnel.

Proposed § 5.54(c) would list those duties and activities that the Board has recognized do not require formal education or training in the practice of chiropractic or the knowledge or skill of a licensed chiropractor and could be performed by unlicensed supportive personnel under the direct on-premises supervision of a licensed chiropractor. Under proposed § 5.54(c)(1), unlicensed supportive personnel could record the patient’s chief complaint and presenting illness or condition; assist the patient in completing office forms; obtain pre-authorization for diagnostic testing; obtain

and record the patient's vital signs; develop x-rays; instruct and monitor therapeutic exercises; help complete a physical activity readiness questionnaire; help prepare the patient for diagnostic studies; assist the chiropractor in performing electrocardiograms; assist in applying a cast, brace, appliance or orthotic; prepare laboratory specimens; perform range of motion testing; perform muscle testing; relay home care instructions to the patient; relay instructions for cast, brace, appliance or orthotic; elicit the patient's activities of daily living; set up and break down rehabilitation equipment; use rehabilitation equipment; clear rooms and clean/sterilize equipment; maintain the patient file and prepare for therapeutic encounter; perform extremity measurements; perform postural screening; render first aid; and perform therapeutic exercises and activities to include provision of direct one-on-one contact or constant attendance necessary to achieve the desired therapeutic results of the exercise. Because only a chiropractor certified to do so may perform adjunctive procedures, proposed § 5.54(c)(2) would separately list those adjunctive procedure activities or duties that may be performed by unlicensed supportive personnel under the direct on-premises supervision of a licensed chiropractor certified to use adjunctive procedures. Under proposed § 5.54(c)(2), unlicensed supportive personnel could: apply hot packs and cryotherapy; provide the contact required for the provision of whirlpool therapy and perform any necessary setup of equipment; perform electrical stimulation therapy to include provision of the supervision or constant attendance necessary during delivery of the therapy, placement of the electrodes and necessary setup of the electrical stimulation unit; perform ultrasound therapy to include provision of the supervision or constant attendance necessary during delivery of the therapy, actual delivery of the ultrasound therapy, and necessary setup of the ultrasound unit; perform mechanical traction therapy to include provision of the supervision necessary during delivery of the therapy, placement of the patient and necessary setup of the traction unit; perform therapeutic laser therapy to include provision of the supervision or constant attendance necessary during delivery of the therapy, actual delivery of the laser therapy, and necessary setup of the laser therapy unit; and perform other therapeutic modalities classifiable as adjunctive procedures to include provision of the supervision or constant attendance necessary during delivery of the therapy, actual application of the therapy when required, and necessary setup of the laser therapy unit.

Proposed § 5.54(d) would list those duties and activities that the Board has recognized require formal education or training in the practice of chiropractic or the knowledge or skill of a licensed chiropractor and may not be delegated to unlicensed supportive personnel. Under proposed § 5.54(d)(1), unlicensed supportive personnel may not perform chiropractic adjustment or manipulation, evaluate or manage a treatment plan, discharge a patient, order x-rays or other diagnostic tests, refer a patient to another practitioner, or perform venipuncture. Under proposed § 5.54(d)(2), unlicensed supportive personnel may not place needle electrodes.

Because this list is not exhaustive, under proposed § 5.54(e) any activity or duty not listed in the regulation would be evaluated under the terms of section 601 of the act (63 P.S. § 625.601) to determine whether the activity or duty could be delegated to unlicensed supportive personnel.

Fiscal Impact and Paperwork Requirements

The proposed amendments will have no adverse fiscal impact on the Commonwealth or its political subdivisions. The amendments will impose no additional paperwork requirements upon the Commonwealth, political subdivisions or the private sector.

Sunset Date

The Board continuously monitors the effectiveness of its regulations. Therefore, no sunset date has been assigned.

Regulatory Review

Under section 5(a) of the Regulatory Review Act (71 P.S. § 745.5(a)), on April 8, 2010, the Board submitted a copy of this proposed rulemaking and a copy of a Regulatory Analysis Form to the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (IRRC) and to the Chairpersons of the Senate Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure Committee and the House Professional Licensure Committee. A copy of this material is available to the public upon request.

Under section 5(g) of the Regulatory Review Act, IRRC may convey comments, recommendations or objections to the proposed rulemaking within 30 days of the close of the public comment period. The comments, recommendations or objections shall specify the regulatory review criteria which have not been met. The Regulatory Review Act specifies detailed procedures for review, prior to final publication of the rulemaking, by the Board, the General Assembly and the Governor of comments, recommendations or objections raised.

Public Comment

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments, suggestions or objections regarding this proposed rulemaking to Regulatory Unit Counsel, Department of State, by mail at P.O. Box 2649, Harrisburg, PA 17105-2649, or by email at st-chiropractic@state.pa.us, within 30 days following publication of this proposed rulemaking in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*. Please reference No. 16A-4316 (assistance by unlicensed supportive personnel). when submitting comments.

Kathleen G. McConnell, DC
Chairperson

ANNEX A

TITLE 49. PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL STANDARDS

PART I. DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Subpart A. PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL AFFAIRS

CHAPTER 13. STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC

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Subchapter E. MINIMUM STANDARDS OF PRACTICE

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§ 5.54. Assistance by unlicensed supportive personnel.

(a) The following words and terms, when used in this section, have the following meanings, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

Direct supervision – Supervision without any intermediate supervisory person.

Unlicensed supportive personnel – Any person not licensed by the Board to practice chiropractic who is regularly employed by a licensed chiropractor or chiropractic practice to assist one or more licensed chiropractors.

(b) A licensed chiropractor may utilize the assistance of unlicensed supportive personnel as authorized in this section. The chiropractor is professionally responsible for all actions of unlicensed supportive personnel providing assistance under this section.

(c) Performing the activities or duties identified in this subsection does not require formal education or training in the practice of chiropractic or the knowledge and skill of a licensed chiropractor.

(1) A licensed chiropractor may delegate the following activities or duties to

unlicensed supportive personnel performing under the chiropractor's direct on-premises supervision:

- (i) Recording patient's chief complaint and presenting illness or condition.
- (ii) Assisting patient in completing office forms.
- (iii) Obtaining pre-authorization for diagnostic testing.
- (iv) Obtaining and recording a patient's vital signs.
- (v) Developing x-rays.
- (vi) Instructing and monitoring therapeutic exercises in the office.
- (vii) Helping complete physical activity readiness questionnaire.
- (viii) Helping prepare patient for diagnostic studies.
- (ix) Assisting the chiropractor in performing an electrocardiogram.
- (x) Assisting in applying a cast, brace, appliance or orthotic.
- (xi) Preparing laboratory specimens.
- (xii) Performing range of motion testing.
- (xiii) Performing muscle testing.
- (xiv) Relaying home care instructions to patients.
- (xv) Relaying instructions for cast, brace, appliance or orthotic.
- (xvi) Eliciting patient's activities of daily living.
- (xvii) Setting up and breaking down rehabilitation equipment.
- (xviii) Using rehabilitation equipment.
- (xix) Clearing rooms and cleaning or sterilizing equipment.

(xx) Maintaining patient file and preparing for therapeutic encounter.

(xxi) Performing extremity measurements.

(xxii) Performing postural screening.

(xxiii) Rendering first aid.

(xxiv) Performing therapeutic exercises and activities to include provision of direct one-on-one contact or constant attendance necessary to achieve the desired therapeutic results of the exercise.

(2) A licensed chiropractor who is certified to use adjunctive procedures may delegate the following adjunctive procedures activities or duties to unlicensed supportive personnel performing under the chiropractor's direct on-premises supervision:

(i) Applying hot packs and cryotherapy.

(ii) Providing the contact required for the provision of whirlpool therapy and performing any necessary setup of equipment.

(iii) Performing electrical stimulation therapy to include provision of the supervision or constant attendance necessary during delivery of the therapy, placement of the electrodes, and necessary setup of the electrical stimulation unit.

(iv) Performing ultrasound therapy to include provision of the supervision or constant attendance necessary during delivery of the therapy, actual delivery of the ultrasound therapy, and necessary setup of the ultrasound unit.

(v) Performing mechanical traction therapy to include provision of the supervision necessary during delivery of the therapy, placement of the patient and necessary setup of the traction unit.

(vi) Performing therapeutic laser therapy to include provision of the supervision or constant attendance necessary during delivery of the therapy, actual delivery of the laser therapy, and necessary setup of the laser therapy unit.

(vii) Performing other therapeutic modalities classifiable as adjunctive procedures to include provision of the supervision or constant attendance necessary during delivery of the therapy, actual application of the therapy when required, and necessary setup of the laser therapy unit.

(d) Performing the activities or duties identified in this subsection requires formal education or training in the practice of chiropractic or the knowledge and skill of a licensed chiropractor.

(1) A chiropractor may not delegate the following activities or duties to unlicensed supportive personnel:

(i) Performing chiropractic adjustment or manipulation.

(ii) Evaluating or managing a treatment plan.

(iii) Discharging a patient.

(iv) Ordering x-rays or other diagnostic tests.

(v) Interpreting x-rays or other diagnostic tests.

(vi) Referring a patient to another practitioner.

(vii) Performing venipuncture.

(2) A chiropractor may not delegate the following adjunctive procedure activities or duties to unlicensed supportive personnel:

(i) Placing needle electrodes.

(e) Unlicensed supportive personnel may assist a licensed chiropractor by performing an activity or duty not identified in subsections (b) or (c) if the activity or duty does not require formal education or training in the practice of chiropractic or the knowledge and skill of a licensed chiropractor and the unlicensed supportive personnel act in accordance with the other requirements of this section. A chiropractor may not delegate to unlicensed supportive personnel any activity or duty not identified in subsections (b) or (c) if the activity or duty requires formal education or training in the practice of chiropractic or the knowledge and skill of a licensed chiropractor.

(f) An unlicensed supportive person may perform an activity or duty delegated by a chiropractor under this section only while the chiropractor supervising the unlicensed supportive person is physically present on the premises and able to intervene whenever necessary.

(g) A chiropractor may not permit an unlicensed supportive person to perform any activity that the supportive person is not qualified by training, education or experience to perform.

(h) The licensed chiropractor shall make the diagnosis and evaluation, specify the treatment regimen, and perform any aspects of the procedures that may not be delegated to unlicensed supportive personnel.



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April 8, 2010

The Honorable Arthur Coccodrilli, Chairman
INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
14th Floor, Harristown 2, 333 Market Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17101

Re: Proposed Regulation
State Board of Chiropractic
16A-4316: ASSISTANCE OF UNLICENSED SUPPORTIVE PERSONNEL

Dear Chairman Coccodrilli:

Enclosed is a copy of a proposed rulemaking package of the State Board of Chiropractic pertaining to Assistance of Unlicensed Supportive Personnel.

The Board will be pleased to provide whatever information the Commission may require during the course of its review of the rulemaking.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kathleen G. McConnell".

Kathleen G. McConnell, DC, Chairperson
State Board of Chiropractic

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Enclosure

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**TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR REGULATIONS SUBJECT TO THE
REGULATORY REVIEW ACT**

I.D. NUMBER: 16A-4316
 SUBJECT: ASSISTANCE OF UNLICENSED SUPPORTIVE PERSONNEL
 AGENCY: DEPARTMENT OF STATE
 STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC

TYPE OF REGULATION

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		MAJORITY CHAIRMAN <u>Robert M. Tomlinson</u>
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