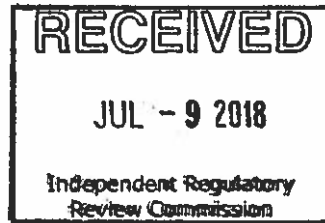


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There is no justification for the increase of the professional massage therapy license renewal. Our profession was informed of licensing and the illegitimate places would close. That didn't happen. Our profession is looked down upon by insurance companies and medical doctors. We are not respected. And still, not many people in society know how we help the whole body. I work in a medical facility and still only make minimum for what I do. There are many professionals who still owe on their school loans, among the every day bills. This increase does not help matters.