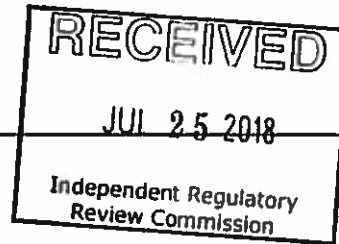


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This is in regard to reg.# 16A-724 (IRRC # 3203) which wants an increase to massage biennial licensure.

The majority of massage therapists do not have a steady income, we have busy times and some very slow

times where very little income is generated. We are not in high income brackets. If an increase is needed

then make it reasonable, not more then double what we already pay. An increase from \$ 75 to \$ 200 is a

bit excessive, a more reasonable increase would have been to \$100. Raising it to \$200 will cause a

hardship on many therapists who are small business owners , and those who work in hotels or spas .

Thank you for considering the effect it will have on so many.

Sincerely .

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