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Jacqueline,

I just received official word that the PA massage licensing board is planning on increasing our renewal fee from \$75 to \$200. That's insane! Most therapists are single or trying to support themselves and/or a family on their massage income. Our CEU classes are expensive enough, but to add this increase will cause many to let their license lapse. I've talked to many who will either stop massage or, unfortunately, do it illegally. Wrong as it may be, most just won't be able to afford the increase.

I plead with you and the board to reconsider. At least make it a gradual increase of maybe \$25 per renewal, not \$125.

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