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Dear Commission:

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I wholeheartedly support registration of Naturopathic Doctors in Pennsylvania. Registration of Naturopathic Doctors fortifies distinction of their education and training from an accredited naturopathic medical college by the Council on Naturopathic Medical Education (CNME). Registration further assures Pennsylvania residents their Naturopathic Doctor with the N.D. title has the competencies to practice in PA.

***I have been to ND's and have only positive experiences with them. The Naturopathic Doctors I have seen spend much time with the patient and run appropriate tests to discover the underlying issue causing the health problem. I have had many conditions treated and reversed by these dynamic clinicians and have seen much improved health as a result.

I recommend whole heartedly that they be licensed in PA. It would benefit all PA residents to have the choice to see an ND and/or a MD and many would be healthier as a result. I have seen much benefit when my ND has worked along side my MD to resolve health challenges.

Sincerely,

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