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To Whom it May Concern,

I am writing in reference to the proposed fee changes, 16A-5142—Fees. I believe other means should be utilized to increase revenue for the board. Licensing fees already contribute a large portion of the revenue. Many new nurses are faced with other financial obligations when pursuing licensure and to increase these fees could be discouraging to timely licensing. To propose increasing costs to educational centers is also a disservice to the community. For example nursing programs in Career and Technology Centers are funded by the school district in which they reside, they are already faced with tight budgets. Therefore proposing any additional monetary strain through extra credentialing may force the district to cut programs and therefore contribute to nursing shortages. Please consider other means to increase revenue for the state board.

Thank you,
Alycia Seelig BSN RN

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