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Minnesota Academy of Physician Assistants  
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To Whom It May Concern:

The Minnesota Board of Medical Practice (Board) is currently authorized to license and regulate Physician Assistants and enforce their practice act, Minn. Stat. §147A.

Please accept this letter as confirmation that, at its business meeting on January 13, 2024, the Board passed a motion to support the repeal of Minn. Stat. §147A.09, subd. 5. This section of statute limits the scope of practice for a physician assistant specific to psychiatric care for children with emotional disturbance or adults with serious mental illness. That repealing language is now HF3494.

Kind regards,



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