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September 11, 2019

Commissioner Galen Hollenbaugh
Montana Department of Labor & Industry
P.O. Box 1728
Helena, MT 59624

by intraoffice mail

Dear Commissioner Hollenbaugh,

During its September 11, 2019, meeting, a majority of the members of the Economic Affairs Interim Committee (EAIC) objected to MAR Notice 24-138-76. This notice partly relates to the Board of Dentistry's proposed New Rule II relating to denturists. This letter formalizes the EAIC's objection.

The EAIC has made its objection under Montana Code Annotated section 2-4-305(9). This statute requires the Department of Labor and Industry (Department) to delay the adoption of the proposed rule until the next committee meeting. To that end, the EAIC intends to address the rule notice at its next meeting in November, 2019. Specifically, the EAIC would like to hear from the Department relating to the purpose, intent, and history of the proposed rule.

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Vince Ricci".

Rep. Vince Ricci, vice presiding officer on behalf of Rep. Stewart Peregoy, presiding officer

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