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Jeffrey Thomas
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RE: ASSIGNMENT OF LIAISON DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

Dear Mr. Thomas:

On behalf of the Attorney General's Health Quality Enforcement Section (HQE), I would like to express that our section is committed to providing you with excellent legal service. It brings us great pride and motivation to see that our legal work meets and exceeds your expectations. I would like to ensure that we have a great working relationship with you, and that you know that we are interested in being part of your overall success in protecting the public.

With the above in mind, HQE has reinvigorated its liaison deputy program. I have assigned Deputy Attorney General Klint McKay to your agency as a liaison with the overall goal to provide you with a personal point of contact in your dealings with our office, and to ensure that our legal services to you will be enhanced.

This assignment will allow us to better anticipate your future expectations of our office. Deputy Attorney General Klint McKay has been trained in the role of acting as your liaison deputy, and due to his litigation experience and knowledge of your licensing and enforcement programs, will be available to render legal advice to you as needed.

Deputy Attorney General McKay's duties as your liaison attorney include (1) making sure your policies and procedures are communicated to the 50 lawyers working in our six offices; (2) acting in an advisory role on licensing issues; (3) assisting assigned deputies on any matters that may be helpful to the successful prosecution of the assigned case; (4) periodically reviewing your caseload in our office to ensure that it is being handled efficiently and economically; (5) keeping me informed regarding changes in client employee contact rosters and key agency personnel; (6) keeping abreast of your legislative proposals, and changes to the laws and regulations governing your profession so that our legal documents remain fresh and accurate; and (7) interfacing as necessary with the Departmental counsel assigned to you to assure coordinated and consistent legal advice. Liaisons will be available to attend Board meetings, and

to make him or herself available to train new Board members or experts on administrative procedures as needed.

Deputy Attorney General Klint McKay works in our Los Angeles Office. He can be reached at (213) 576-1327, and is supervised by Supervising Deputy Attorney General Robert Bell. Deputy Attorney General McKay received his Bachelor of Arts from the University of Michigan in Psychology (with Honors and Distinction) and Women's Studies (with Distinction) in 1976. He received his law degree from Wayne State University in 1981. He then received an MBA in Finance and Real Estate from the University of California, Berkeley in 1986. He is admitted to practice law in California, Michigan, New York, England and Wales. He is a published author in litigation topics, and has taught continuing legal education courses in California pleading, trial practice, discovery and the use of computers in litigation. He worked as a psychiatric social worker in Michigan, and the University of Michigan published his senior honors thesis on the effect of parental frustration on the severity of discipline. For fourteen years, he was the founding and senior partner of the Century City law firm of McKay and Meyer before joining the California Department of Justice in the Health Quality Enforcement section in 2006. He has also been an arbitrator for the American Arbitration Association for over twenty years and sat as a judge *pro tempore* in Superior Courts in Los Angeles, Van Nuys and Inglewood, including being assigned as presiding judge in the unlawful detainer division of (then) Los Angeles Municipal Court. DAG McKay is looking forward to assuming the duties and responsibilities as Liaison Deputy Attorney General to the Board of Psychology and helping to foster good relations between, and advance the common public protection goal shared by, the Board and the Attorney General's Office.

Should you ever have any concerns about our legal services, I would like to hear from you personally. Your work is a top priority because we share the same public protection goals and objectives. With this in mind I welcome your feedback and suggestions for improvement. If you have any questions or thoughts about how we can better meet your needs, please contact me directly at (213) 897-6804.

Sincerely,

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For KAMALA D. HARRIS
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