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Subject: Withdrawing Proposed Rule

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Ms. Cooper,

On June 21, 2005 the West Virginia Board of Examiners in Counseling submitted a proposed rule change. The comment period was to end July 21, 2005 at 12:00 Noon.

Title Number 27
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Series being amended Licensing Rule Series 1

Fifty-six comment letters were received. There were both positive and negative comments. However, after reviewing all the comment letters, it was obvious to the board members that a lot of individuals submitting comments either did not read the proposed rule correctly or possibly did not understand the proposed rule. Some of the comments opposed changes that were not even mentioned in the proposed rule.

Therefore, the board of counseling is **withdrawing this proposed rule this year** so we can spend time over the next 12 months helping people to understand the proposed rule change.

If you need anything else, please email or call.

Sincerely,

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