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TO: Mark Hamlin, Director of Regulatory Policy

FROM: Jeffrey M. Rosa, Executive Director

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SUBJECT: Memorandum of Response to CSI Review – Occupational Therapy Section Rules

On February 2, 2015, the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board (“Board”) received the Common Sense Initiative Office’s Recommendation Memorandum (“CSI Recommendation”) for the 2015 Occupational Therapy Section rules packages (OAC 4755-3-10, 4755-7-01 through 4755-7-04, 4755-7-08, 4755-7-09, and 4755-9-01). The Board appreciates the timely issuance of this memo.

As noted in the CSI Recommendation, the Board modified three of the four Business Impact Analyses that were submitted for the various packages filed by the Occupational Therapy Section of the Board. In addition, the Board modified the language in rule 4755-7-04, to address some of the comments submitted by stakeholders.

The CSI Recommendation stated that “For the reasons described above, the SCI Office has no recommendations regarding this rule package.” The CSI Recommendation also stated that “Based on the above comments, the CSI Office concludes that the Board should proceed with the formal filing of this rule package with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review.”

At this time, the Board will continue moving forward with its filing of the rules packages identified above with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at jeff.rosa@otptat.ohio.gov or at 614-466-3474.