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Dear Dr. Stuberg and Members of the Committee:

On behalf of the 39,000 members of the Academy of General Dentistry, of which 246 are members of our chapter, the Nebraska AGD, I am pleased to convey to you the AGD's support of the NDA/NDAA 407 application. We understand that the Nebraska AGD is also in support of this application.

The AGD is supportive of the use of expanded function dental assistants to address barriers to oral health care. With that understanding however, comes the need for such auxiliaries to be under the direct/indirect supervision of a licensed dentist within the licensing jurisdiction, and in addition, the application of appropriate educational standards for all such auxiliaries as promulgated by the Board of Dentistry.

The AGD, along with its Nebraska chapter, looks forward to working with you and the committee to ensure the optimal outcomes of improved access to care for the entire population, served by exceptionally well trained dentists and auxiliaries.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'W. Carter Brown', written in a cursive style.

W. Carter Brown, DMD, FAGD  
President

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