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Members of WSBA Administrative Law Section

Re: Administrative Law Section Executive Committee Statement of Interest

Dear Members:

At the invitation of a fellow member, I am applying for the Executive Committee positions of Secretary and At-Large Member. I have been practicing administrative law in Washington State for over fifteen years, representing licensees and other private entities and individuals who have been subjected to adverse agency actions. I have represented such parties in proceedings involving DSHS, Department of Health, Labor & Industries, DCYF, the Board of Nursing, the Medical Commission, the Office of the Insurance Commissioner, and other agencies. I have experience with numerous administrative law hearings, and I have a particular interest in appeals and judicial review.

I believe that my broad range of experiences and record of success through these proceedings qualifies me to serve on the Executive Committee. I feel that it is important to balance to current composition of the Executive Committee to include more attorneys who are not agency employees. Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

Benjamin Justus