

SB 2770

**PRESENTATION OF THE
BOARD OF PHARMACY**

TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON
COMMERCE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE
Regular Session of 2010

Friday, February 19, 2010
9:15 a.m.

WRITTEN COMMENTS ONLY

**TESTIMONY ON SENATE BILL NO. 2770, S.D. 1, RELATING TO REMOTE
DISPENSING PHARMACY.**

TO THE HONORABLE ROSALYN H. BAKER, CHAIR,
AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:

My name is Dr. Elwin Goo, Chair of the Board of Pharmacy ("Board") and I appreciate the opportunity to present written comments on behalf of the Board.

The Board met yesterday and could not come to a consensus on this bill that would remove the restriction that the drugs dispensed from a remote dispensing machine need not be acquired pursuant to section 340B of the Public Health Service Act, Title 42 United States Code section 256b. Three members supported and one member opposed the bill, and another member recused himself for a possible conflict of interest. Two members were excused.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on Senate Bill No. 2770, S.D. 1.