

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Mindy Franks, Ohio State Dental Board

**FROM:** Sophia Papadimos, Regulatory Policy Advocate

**DATE:** April 4, 2016

**RE:** **CSI Review – 2015 Chapter Three (OAC 4715-3-01)**

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On behalf of Lt. Governor Mary Taylor, and pursuant to the authority granted to the Common Sense Initiative (CSI) Office under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) section 107.54, the CSI Office has reviewed the abovementioned administrative rule package and associated Business Impact Analysis (BIA). This memo represents the CSI Office's comments to the Agency as provided for in ORC 107.54.

**Analysis**

The proposed rule package consists of one amended rule being reviewed by the Ohio State Dental Board pursuant to the five-year review requirement in statute. The rule package was submitted to the CSI Office, along with 18 other proposed Dental Board packages, on December 8, 2015 and the comment period was held open through January 4, 2016. No comments were received during this time.

The proposed rule sets forth all definitions for terms used throughout Chapter 4715 of the ORC. The Board explains in the BIA that the definitions outline the parameters of licensed personnel, levels of education for specific dental auxiliary, and terms to describe specific practices. The rule is being amended to include definitions for active duty service members, veterans, and continuing education.

The definitions create an adverse impact by defining terms that are utilized in specific requirements found elsewhere in this chapter. However, no comments were received in opposition

to the definitions. Therefore, after reviewing the proposed rule, the CSI Office has determined the purpose of the rule is justified.

**Recommendations**

For the reasons discussed above, the CSI Office does not have any recommendations for this rule package.

**Conclusion**

Based on the above comments, the CSI Office concludes that the Ohio State Dental Board should proceed with the formal filing of this rule package with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review.