March 1, 2019

The Honorable Thomas Killion

The Senate of Pennsylvania

351 Main Capitol Building

Senate Box 203009

Harrisburg, PA 17120-3009

RE: Senate Bill 341, Genetic Counselor

Dear Senator Killion,

I write to share with you the Pennsylvania Osteopathic Medical Association’s (POMA’s) opposition to Senate Bill 341, P.N. 321. POMA believes that when a genetic counselor is ordering tests, they should do so under the direction and supervision of a licensed physician.

I appreciate your consideration of POMA’s concerns. Please do not hesitate to contact me or our contract consultant, Bruce Hironimus.



Sincerely,

Joan Grzybowski, DO

President, Pennsylvania Osteopathic Medical Association