

EXHIBIT B

RESOLUTION

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3 INITIATING A STUDY BY THE HOUSE PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE,
4 AND LABOR COMMITTEE CONCERNING PREVENTIVE DENTAL CARE
5 SERVICES PROVIDED BY PHYSICIANS, REGISTERED NURSES, AND
6 DENTAL HYGIENISTS.

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8 WHEREAS, the possibility of expansion of the scope of practice for physicians,
9 registered nurses, and dental hygienists to provide basic preventive dental health care could
10 allow for more accessibility to this type of care to people who might otherwise not receive it,

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12 NOW THEREFORE,

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14 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE, AND LABOR
15 COMMITTEE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

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17 THAT a study is hereby initiated concerning the scope of practice of physicians,
18 registered nurses, and dental hygienists to provide certain preventive dental care, including:

- 19 (1) Application of fluoride varnish by physicians who meet certain conditions;
20 (2) Application of fluoride varnish by registered nurses who meet certain conditions; and
21 (3) Provision of dental cleaning services, application of sealants, and other preventive
22 dental care outside a dentist's office by dental hygienists without prior examination by a dentist
23 for children, senior citizens, and disabled persons under certain conditions.

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