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Assemblymember Sharp-Collins 1021 O Street, Suite 4130 Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: Change of Position to Neutral – AB 847 (Sharp-Collins) – Peace Officers: Confidentiality of Records

Dear Assemblymember Sharp-Collins,

We write to inform you of our change in position on AB 847 from "Oppose" to "Neutral," following the recent amendments accepted by your office. We believe these amendments more carefully address the scope of records accessible to civilian oversight commissions and inspectors general, striking a careful balance between transparency, accountability, and the critical need to protect officer safety and privacy.

We appreciate your willingness to engage in thoughtful dialogue and compromise. This collaborative approach results in better public policy, and we thank you for your leadership. We look forward to continuing to work with you and your office in the future.

Sincerely,

Alan Wayne Barcelona Special Agent, DOJ President, CSLEA