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Dear Doctor Kinney

The Council on Professional Services met on March 7-8, 1974, and at this meeting they reviewed the work of the Special Committee on the Role of the Physician's Assistant in the Hospital and, deeming its work completed, voted to discharge the committee.

Mr. John Alexander McMahon, President of the American Hospital Association and Mr. Donald G. Shropshire, Chairman of the Council on Professional Services, have asked me to extend on their behalf and upon behalf of the Association, sincerest thanks for a job well done.

I enclose a final version of the statement as it emerged after revisions by the Council on Professional Services and the Council on Manpower and Education. Although you will note textual changes, I hope you will agree that the essential substance remains unaltered.

Sincerely



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Enclosure