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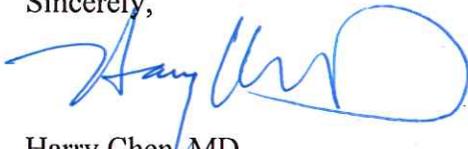
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Michael Casarico
Burlington Laboratory
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Dear Michael:

I write to you concerning the Burlington Labs Certificate of Public Need. The types of testing, such as urine screening, that a laboratory such as Burlington Labs provides is critical for entities providing treatment for substance use disorder to ensure client compliance with treatment objectives. In addition, the courts often order urinalysis as a condition for release; individuals requiring such testing require the availability of testing facilities.

Sincerely,



Harry Chen, MD
Commissioner

