



November 6, 2006

The Honorable Arlen Specter
Chairman
Senate Committee on the Judiciary
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chairman Specter:

On behalf of the physicians and student members of the American Medical Association (AMA), I am sending to you answers to questions you submitted to the AMA after the September 6, 2006 hearing in your Committee entitled "Examining Competition in Group Health Care." We appreciated the opportunity to testify at this hearing on this important subject.

We look forward to working with you and your staff on this issue in the future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Edward L. Langston MD". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Edward L. Langston, MD