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Willie B. Sims Jr., CPA, Chair
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National Association of State Boards of Accountancy
150 Fourth Avenue North, Suite 700
Nashville, TN 37219

RE: AICPA and NASBA Exposure Draft Regarding the Statement on Standards for Continuing Professional Education Programs and the NASBA Fields of Study Document

Dear Mr. Sims:

On behalf of the California Board of Accountancy (CBA), I am pleased to submit a statement of support on the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and National Association of State Boards of Accountancy's Exposure Draft on the Statement on Standards for Continuing Professional Education Programs (Standards) and the Fields of Study document that pertain to education requirements for those wishing to maintain an active Certified Public Accountant (CPA) license.

The CBA reviewed the proposed changes at its January 26-27, 2023 meeting and have no specific comments. The CBA supports the enhancements to the Standards and the Fields of Study document that assist the CBA in meeting our consumer protection mission by ensuring licensees are maintaining a currency of knowledge when practicing public accountancy.

The CBA looks forward to monitoring the changes proposed by this Exposure Draft and may make comments on any future versions submitted for public comment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Katrina L. Salazar'.

Katrina L. Salazar, CPA
President

c: Members, California Board of Accountancy
Dominic Franzella, Acting Executive Officer