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Senate of Pennsylvania

TO: All Senators

FROM: Senator Edwin B. Erickson 

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SUBJECT: Cosponsorship of Legislation - Physician Loan Forgiveness

I plan to reintroduce Senate Bill 527 of 2009, legislation that will establish the Physician Retention Loan Forgiveness Program, providing up to \$75,000 in individual loan forgiveness for full and part-time physicians and dentists.

In order to qualify for the loan forgiveness, the doctor or dentist must agree to practice in a medically underserved or primary care health professional shortage area for at least ten years.

If you are interested in cosponsoring this legislation, please contact Linda Kauffman at 7-1350 or [lkauffman@pasen.gov](mailto:lkauffman@pasen.gov).