March 30, 2022

Lawrence Molt, PhD
Chair
Executive Committee
Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology
Interstate Compact Commission

RE: Audiology Ex-Officio Seat

Dear Chair Molt and Members of the Executive Committee:

On behalf of the American Academy of Audiology, the Academy of Doctors of Audiology and the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, we write jointly to offer a proposal on the seating of the national audiology organization ex-officio to the ASLP-IC Executive Committee.

It is our understanding that the ASLP-IC Executive Committee will meet on April 1 to discuss, among other things, the seating of the ex-officios representing a national audiology association. Given there are three organizations qualified to hold the national audiology association seat, by this letter, we are indicating our collective interest in representing this seat on the ASLP-IC Executive Committee on an annual rotating basis in alphabetical order (i.e. AAA, ADA, ASHA). Our three organizations would agree to work together in a similar manner and make decisions cooperatively, regardless of which organizations is currently seated.

If this agreement if accepted by the ASLP-IC Executive Committee, each national audiology association would appoint their ex-officio.

Thank you for your consideration of this proposal. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Susan Adams with ASHA, (sadams@asha.org), Kathryn Werner with AAA (kwerner@audiology.org), or Adam Haley with ADA (ahaley@audiologist.org).

Sincerely,

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