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AMA Department of Medical Student Services
330 North Wabash Avenue
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Re: Pauline Huynh - AMA Resident & Fellows Section Chair

Dear AMA-RFS Governing Council & Assembly:

It is my pleasure to write this letter in strong recommendation and support for Pauline Huynh's candidacy for Chair of the AMA Resident & Fellows Section. Dr. Huynh is currently a PGY2 in good standing within our residency program, with an anticipated graduation date in 2026. We had discussed the time commitment required to serve in this position, including the expected dates for travel and participate.

Dr. Huynh has consistently demonstrated a strong commitment to organized medicine, health policy, and leadership as evidenced by her extensive involvement in the AMA, Maryland State Medical Society, and now our CMA. She has shown a shown an understanding that systems beyond the hospital have tremendous impact on her patients' health, and how policy can affect access and disparities. She also appreciated the immediate effect that policy changes can have and wished to continue this work even when she interviewed with us for residency. Pauline is passionately committed to her advocacy interests and health issues, and her previous leadership experience and attention to detail will serve her well as Chair of the Resident & Fellows Section. I support her application without reservation.

Please contact me if you need any further information.

Sincerely,



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