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To Whom It Concerns:

In review of the proposed changes to the requirements of Notaries in the State of Colorado, the one that stands out to me, and that I am strongly against, is testing requirements for renewals. I can (perhaps) understand continued training (webcasts, or other) in order to stay abreast of regulatory changes, but to then be required to test to maintain certification seems a bit much.

I hold 2 State Licenses in the field of public health, both requiring a set number of continued education credits between renewals, but neither requiring testing for renewal. Continued education in that career field makes perfect sense since I am a part of team that provides a daily consumable to the public. I mean no disrespect, but if the State can successfully operate a certification program for licensing in public health (and it is successful), I don't see why a license to be a Notary would be more stringent than the field of public health.

Respectfully,

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