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Dear Mr. Brown:

The Oregon Board of Dentistry (OBD) has reviewed with their Senior Assistant Attorney General the most recent iteration of contractual agreements with prospective Oregon Dentists and Living Social and find that the contract that we received a copy of on September 12, 2011 does not violate the prohibition on splitting fees in the ODB rules.

The ODB is not approving a specific contract, but is approving a model which includes an agreement between the practitioner and Living Social that all fees paid by the customer will be passed through to the practitioner and the practitioner will pay an advertising fee directly to Living Social.

If you have any additional questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

Patrick D. Braatz
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