Subject: Oppose CRNA Unsupervised Practice:  Protect Patient Safety

Dear [Legislator’s Name],

As a physician anesthesiologist practicing in Florida, I strongly oppose HB649 which grants unsupervised practice to CRNAs. Anesthesia care is complex and requires the depth of training and critical decision-making that only physician-led teams can provide. Removing physician oversight jeopardizes patient safety and lowers the standard of care for Floridians. **The physician-led model is not only the safest way to practice anesthesia medicine but also the most cost-effective.**

CRNAs are valuable team members, but they are not trained to independently manage high-risk complications that can arise in anesthesia.

***I urge you to vote against this bill to protect patient safety and uphold the highest standards of care in our state.***

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

[Your Full Name]

[Your Credentials]

[Your City/Hospital/Practice Name (if applicable)]