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3 **Title: Capturing Physician Sentiments of Hospital Quality**

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14 **Whereas, there is a wide array of quality measures and rating systems for**
15 **hospital performance, and**

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17 **Whereas, these ratings are often touted by their respective facilities on**
18 **billboards, commercials, and other advertising venues, and**

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20 **Whereas, the methodology for these measures are often unclear and**
21 **difficult for the general public to comprehend, and**

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23 **Whereas, in some instances these measures are in conflict with the**
24 **experience of the medical staff of the facility, and**

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26 **Whereas, one of the stated aims of health care transformation is the**
27 **alignment of hospitals and physicians, and**

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29 **Whereas, the current measures used to measure quality and rate**
30 **performance do not adequately capture the sentiment of physicians; therefore**
31 **be it**

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33 **RESOLVED: That the AMA explore the possibility of creating a quality**
34 **measure and rating system that incorporates the satisfaction and perspective**
35 **of the medical staff regarding individual hospitals.**

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38 **WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE: NONE**