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To the Relevant Decision Makers,

I am a psychologist in my 10th year of practice. I write this note to you now to express my support of the Counselling Psychology College's revised definition of our foci, approaches and associated competencies. I feel that the attached document compiled by the college more accurately reflects the training of counselling psychology and its practice than is currently recognised by the Psychology Board of Australia.

I truly hope that your review process is a thorough and respectful one as I believe that, regrettably, the profession in Australia has experienced enough division for a generation over recent years. Things like this can represent an encouraging start to turning that trend around.

My Best to You with Your Efforts,

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