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SUBMITTED TO: American Osteopathic Association House of Delegates

SUBMITTED BY: Michigan Osteopathic Association

SUBJECT: Academic Osteopathic Educators, Researchers or Administrators
Educational Program Development

1 **Whereas**, the rapid proliferation and expansion of osteopathic medical schools has
2 occurred without an adequate increase in appropriately trained non-clinical and/or
3 academic osteopathic educators, researchers or administrators; and

4 **Whereas**, osteopathic physicians who may choose to pursue a role in non-clinical
5 medical academia must maintain clinical licensure and certification.

6 **Therefore, Be it Resolved** that the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) encourage
7 each College of Osteopathic Medicine to develop a masters level medical education
8 program that is available during or after the completion of a osteopathic residency
9 training program that will appropriately prepare practicing osteopathic physicians for
10 future academic careers as educators, researchers and administrators.