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The Nevada State Board of Oriental Medicine  
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Dear Board Members,

I am writing to request your consideration regarding my application for an Oriental Medical Doctor's license in Nevada. I am a licensed acupuncturist in Maryland and have completed the entire acupuncture program at Maryland University of Integrative Health (MUIH), as well as the Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Chinese Herbal Medicine program, and have successfully passed all NCCAOM exams.

Regrettably, the didactic hours provided by MUIH do not meet the full requirements of the Nevada Board of Oriental Medicine. As such, I respectfully request the following:

1. The Nevada State Board of Oriental Medicine accept my continuing education (CE) hours from the National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine (NCCAOM) as part of the required didactic hours for my application. I have completed 17 CE units so far through NCCAOM and would appreciate your confirmation as to whether the board accepts these hours as didactic hours, as detailed in the attachment.
2. Is there a limit to the total number of accepted NCCAOM CEU hours as didactic hours?

Thank you for considering my request. I appreciate your time and attention.

Sincerely,  
Tomoe Riekstins

<b>Date</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Reported</b>	<b>Applied</b>	<b>Cum</b>
<b>AOM-ABT-BIO Coursework</b>				
05/21/2020	Ryodoraku History and Research-BIO - PDA-497-26 - Miridia Technology, Inc.	3	3	3
06/24/2020	NCCAOM & ASA Weekly Townhall Meeting - Week 13-BIO - PDA-764-41 - NCCAOM	2	2	5
07/01/2020	NCCAOM & ASA Weekly Townhall Meeting - Week 14-BIO - PDA-764-42 - NCCAOM	2	2	7
03/16/2021	2021 NCCAOM Diplomate Webinar-BIO - PDA-764-47 - NCCAOM	1	1	8
04/21/2021	NCCAOM & ASA Weekly Townhall Meeting - Week 17-BIO - PDA-764-48 - NCCAOM	1	1	9
02/09/2022	NCCAOM - ASA Town Hall February 9, 2022-BIO - PDA-764-52 - NCCAOM	1	1	10
04/27/2022	NCCAOM - ASA Town Hall April 27, 2022-BIO - PDA-764-53 - NCCAOM	1	1	11
12/14/2022	NCCAOM Diplomate Webinar - December 14, 2022-BIO - PDA-764-59 - NCCAOM	1	1	12
01/18/2023	NCCAOM - ASA Town Hall January 18, 2023: State of the Profession - Where Do We Go from Here?-BIO - PDA-764-60 - NCCAOM	1	1	13
	<b>Category A1 Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	
<b>Coursework Other</b>				
08/19/2020	NCCAOM & ASA Weekly Townhall Meeting - Week 15-ET - PDA-764-43 - NCCAOM	2	2	15
10/26/2022	NCCAOM - ASA Town Hall: New NCCAOM Code of Ethics Unveil October 26, 2022-ET - PDA-764-57 - NCCAOM	2	2	17
	<b>Category A2 Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	
	<b>Cycle Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>17</b>	