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Mr. President:

The Health and Human Services Committee recommends **S.B. 177**, DENTAL HYGIENIST PRACTICE AMENDMENTS, by Senator S. Urquhart, be replaced and favorably recommends **1st Sub. S.B. 177**, DENTAL HYGIENIST PRACTICE AMENDMENTS with the following amendments:

1. *Page 5, Lines 143 through 149:*

- 143        (4) under a written agreement with a dentist who is licensed under this chapter and  
            who  
144        is a Utah resident if:  
145        (a) the dental hygienist practices in a public health setting;  
146        (b) the dentist is available in person, by phone, or by electronic communication;

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- 147        (c) the agreement provides that the dental hygienist shall refer a patient with a dental  
148 need **beyond the dental hygienist's scope of practice** to the licensed dentist; and  
149        (d) the dental hygienist obtains from each patient an informed consent form that

Respectfully,

Evan J. Vickers  
Committee Chair

Voting: 5-0-1

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