



SCHOOL OF MEDICINE **Department of Pediatrics**

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Jay Hess, MD Dean, Indiana University School of Medicine 240 W. 10th St. Fairbanks Hall, 6200 Indianapolis, IN 46202

RE:

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Dear Dean Hess:

for consideration to Professor of Clinical Pediatrics. Dr. I am pleased to support has declared service as her area of excellence. Since her appointment as Associate Professor of Clinical Pediatrics in 2008, she has been named the Assistant Dean of Faculty Affairs and Professional Development in 2010. She has also served as the Associate Program Director of the Pediatric Residency Program from 2007 to 2011. Dr.

is an expert in pediatric endocrinology and faculty development. Speaking to her faculty development role, she is the founding member of the Department of Pediatrics Faculty Development Committee which has proven to be very beneficial to all our faculty. She also has published 30 peer reviewed publications, published three book chapters and has authored one book. Her teaching also demonstrates her dedication to her work. She is involved in various graduate and undergraduate courses, and does at least twenty formal lectures to residents, students and fellows per year. With regards to her external letters of recommendation, Dr. received exceptional comments about her work. One letter writer commented that her "professional service is exemplary". The presence of Dr. ' as an Associate Professor has been greatly valued and as a Professor, she will continue to provide us with outstanding service and dedication.

career in a letter from Sharon Andreoli, Chair of the Department After reviewing the details of of Pediatrics Promotion and Tenure Clinical Committee, I believe Dr. meets the criteria for promotion to Professor of Clinical Pediatrics.

Sincerely,

D. Wade Clapp, M.D.

Richard L. Schreiner Professor and Chairman, Department of Pediatrics

Physician-in-Chief, Riley Hospital for Children

Professor, Microbiology & Immunology; Biochemistry & Molecular Biology

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