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Dear Colleague:

ABEM certification represents an emergency physician's highest professional credential, reflecting having met an externally developed national standard, including ACGME-accredited residency training. To stay certified, these physicians must demonstrate to the public that they are actively engaged in a program of continuous professional development that assists him or her in delivering the highest quality and most current patient care. In this way, ABEM-certified physicians uphold the ABEM mission "To ensure the highest standards in the specialty of Emergency Medicine." The attached position statement reflects ABEM's commitment to guaranteeing that its certification remains the "gold standard" for the specialty.

Thank you for all you do.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert L. Muelleman MD".

Robert L. Muelleman, M.D.  
President