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Fellow Members of the MAG House of Delegates,

I would like to announce my candidacy for re-election as Speaker of the MAG House of Delegates and ask for your vote. I am a proud graduate of the Georgia Physicians Leadership Academy, a delegate to the MAG House of Delegates, a member of the MAG Executive Committee, and a member of the MAG Foundation. For two years, I served as Vice Speaker of the MAG House of Delegates and I am currently completing my second two-year term as Speaker of the House of Delegates. I am a member of the American Institute of Parliamentarians and the National Association of Parliamentarians. I have taken numerous courses in parliamentary procedure, the most recent of which was in January of this year.

I continue to be concerned about the excessive regulation of physician by the federal government, insurance companies, and other entities. I am particularly concerned about the burdens placed on physicians by the electronic health records and the increasing incidence of physician burnout.

The role of the Speaker and Vice-Speaker of the MAG House of Delegates is a vital one. Your speakers insure that House business is conducted in a fair and expeditious manner; they protect the right of the minority to be heard on all matters coming before the House; and they see that all decisions reflect the will of the majority as specified in the MAG bylaws. I ask that you please vote for me at the MAG House of Delegates meeting on October 17-18, 2020.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Edmund R. Donoghue, M.D.", written in a cursive style.

Edmund R. Donoghue, M.D.