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**RE: ADM File No. 2013-22 – Proposed Amendment of Rule 4.201 of the Michigan Court Rules**

Dear Clerk Royster:

At its July 25, 2014 meeting, the Board of Commissioners of the State Bar of Michigan considered the above proposed rule amendment published for comment. In its review, the Board considered recommendations from the Civil Procedure & Courts Committee and the Justice Policy Initiative. The Board voted unanimously to support the amendment. The Board agreed that the amendment adds both clarity and consistency to the court rules.

We thank the Court for the opportunity to comment on the proposed amendment.

Sincerely,



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Executive Director

cc: Anne Boomer, Administrative Counsel, Michigan Supreme Court  
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