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To: Interested Persons - See Attached List

Re: Rule Petition 22-03, In re Amendment to SCRs 72.01 (8), 72.01 (9), and 72.02 (10),

Relating to Retention of Records in Eviction Cases

Greetings:

I am assisting the Wisconsin Supreme Court with its consideration of rule petition 22-03, filed on March 29, 2022 by Attorney Korey C. Lundin, on behalf of Legal Action of Wisconsin, Inc. The petition asks the court to amend Supreme Court Rules (SCR) 72.01 and 72.02 to shorten the retention period for eviction cases in which no money judgment is entered.

You have received this letter because you or your agency or organization potentially have an interest in this matter. A copy of the petition can be found on the court's website at https://www.wicourts.gov/scrules/pending/index.htm.

The court has voted to solicit written comment. The court will decide whether to conduct a public hearing on this petition after reviewing the written comments it receives. Please note, the court may take any action on a rule petition it deems appropriate, including any of the following:

- (a) Adopt the rule proposed, or a modified version, without further comment.
- (b) Reject the rule proposed without further comment.
- (c) Schedule the rule petition for a public hearing.
- (d) Refer the rule petition to another entity for its review and recommendation.
- (e) Request further information or analysis from the petitioner or interested persons or entities.

Any comment to the rule petition should be filed by Thursday, August 25, 2022 with the Clerk of Supreme Court, Attention: Deputy Clerk-Rules, P.O. Box 1688, Madison, WI 53701-1688. Please also email a Microsoft Word version of your response to *clerk@wicourts.gov*. *See* comment guidelines at the court's website at *https://www.wicourts.gov/scrules/process.htm*. The petitioner may file any response to the comments by Thursday, September 8, 2022.

You might wish to consult the court's website at https://www.wicourts.gov/scrules/pending/index.htm to follow this rule petition. Court communications on the petition and any written comments filed with the clerk's office will be posted on the website.

If you have specific questions or other comments with regard this matter, please contact me by mail at P.O. Box 1688, Madison, WI 53701-1688, by telephone at 608-266-7442, or by email at *julie.rich@wicourts.gov*.

Very truly yours,
/s/
Julie Anne Rich
Supreme Court Commissioner

cc: Chief Justice Annette Kingsland Ziegler
Justice Ann Walsh Bradley
Justice Patience Drake Roggensack
Justice Rebecca Grassl Bradley
Justice Rebecca Frank Dallet

Justice Brian Hagedorn Justice Jill J. Karofsky

Attorney Korey C. Lundin, Legal Action of Wisconsin

List of Interested Persons for Supreme Court

Badger State Sheriffs' Association, Attention: Executive Director Board of Administrative Oversight, Attention: Denis Donohoe, Chair

Board of Bar Examiners Chief Circuit Court Judges

Circuit Court Judges

Clerk of Supreme Court and Court of Appeals, Sheila T. Reiff

Court of Appeals, Attention: Chief Staff Attorney

Court of Appeals Judges

Court Operations: Diane M. Fremgen, Deputy Director of State Courts, Court Operations

Court Operations: Ann Olson, Krista Miller, Amber Peterson, Beth Barroilhet

Dean Dietrich, Attorney

Department of Administration, State Prosecutors Office, Attention: Kasey Diess, Director

Director of State Courts, Honorable Randy Koschnick

District Court Administrators

Eastern District of Wisconsin Bar Association, Attention: Katy Borowski, Executive Director

Hamilton Consulting Group, Attention: Rebecca Hogan, R.J. Pirlot, Adam Jordahl

Legal Action of Wisconsin, Attention: Deedee Peterson, Executive Director

Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee, Attention: Colleen Foley, Executive Director

Marquette University Law School, Attention: Joseph D. Kearney, Dean

Office of Lawyer Regulation, Attention: Timothy Samuelson, Director

Office of State Public Defender, Attention: Kelli S. Thompson

Office of State Public Defender, Attention: Jeremy C. Perri

Office of the Attorney General, Attention: Terri Surita

State Bar of Wisconsin, Attention: Larry Martin, Executive Director

State Bar of Wisconsin, Attention: Lisa Roys, Public Affairs Director

State Bar of Wisconsin, Attention: Margaret W. Hickey, President

University of Wisconsin Law School, Attention: Daniel Tokaji, Dean

Western District Bar Association of Wisconsin, Attention: Ann Peacock

Wisconsin Asian American Bar Association, Attention: Bryant Park

Wisconsin Association for Justice, Attention: Bryan Roessler, Executive Director

Wisconsin Association of African American Lawyers

Wisconsin Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, Attention: Peter McKeever

Wisconsin Association of Judicial Court Commissioners, Attention: Susan Schaubel

Wisconsin Bankers Association, Attention: Kris Cleven, Vice President-Legal

Wisconsin Clerks of Circuit Court Association, Attention: Regina Kolbow, Carlo Esqueda

Wisconsin Counties Association, Attention: Marcie Rainbolt

Wisconsin Defense Counsel, Attention: Jenni Kilpatrick, Executive Director;

Andrew Hebl, President

Wisconsin District Attorneys Association, Attention: Greta Mattison, Executive Director

Wisconsin Family Court Commissioners Association, Attention: David Pruhs, Exec. Secretary

Wisconsin Hispanic Lawyers Association, Attention: Pamela M. Ritger

Wisconsin Judicare, Inc., Attention: Beth Ann Richlen, Executive Director

Wisconsin Judicial Commission, Attention: Jeremiah VanHecke

Wisconsin Judicial Council, Attention: William C. Gleisner, III, Chair

Wisconsin Juvenile Court Clerks Association, Attention: Samuel Christensen

Wisconsin Municipal Judges Association, Attention: Honorable Robert Kupfer

Wisconsin Newspaper Association, Attention: Beth Bennett, Executive Director

Wisconsin Registers in Probate Association

Wisconsin Sheriffs & Deputy Sheriffs Association, Attention: Sandy Schueller

Wisconsin State Attorneys Association, Attention: John Gelhard

Wisconsin Trial Judges Association, Attention: Honorable Gregory Gill, Jr. Wisconsin Tribal Judges Association, Attention: Honorable Gwendolyn Topping, President

List of Additional Interested Persons for Supreme Court

Clerks of Circuit Court

Heiner Giese, Attorney

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Legal Action of Wisconsin, Attn: Allison Creekmur, Heidi M. Wegleitner, Carmel L. Ayers,

Niabi Schmaltz, Raphael F. Ramos, Charles Bowen

Madison Tenant Resource Center

Milwaukee Justice Center, Attn: Mary Ferwerda

Milwaukee Rental Housing Resource

Robert Brooks, Representative

Wisconsin Access to Justice Commission, Attn: Dan Hoff

Wisconsin Apartments Association

Wisconsin Justice Initiative, Attn: Craig Johnson

Wisconsin Apartments Association