

# Supreme Court of Misconsin

## OFFICE OF COURT COMMISSIONERS

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March 22, 2012

Board of Administrative Oversight Office of Lawyer Regulation State Bar of Wisconsin

Re: Rule Petition 11-07, In the Matter of the Petition for Providing Legal Services Following a Determination of Major Disaster

#### Dear Petitioners:

As you know, I am assisting the Wisconsin Supreme Court with its consideration of Rule Petition No. 11-07, In the Matter of the Petition for Providing Legal Services Following a Determination of Major Disaster, filed by the Board of Administrative Oversight, Office of Lawyer Regulation, and State Bar of Wisconsin. The court has scheduled this matter for public hearing on Wednesday, April 25, 2012. You should have received a copy of the court's order scheduling that hearing, which was issued March 2, 2012.

The court has requested additional information. Please provide a response to the following question:

• According to the cover sheet which accompanied the petition, the rule would not adversely affect any person's procedural or substantive rights. Please explain why you believe it will not affect any person's substantive rights.

Please file your response by April 13, 2012, with the Clerk of Supreme Court, Attention: Carrie Janto, Deputy Clerk, P.O. Box 1688, Madison, WI 53701-1688. If possible, e-mail a Microsoft Word version of your response to <a href="mailto:carrie.janto@wicourts.gov">carrie.janto@wicourts.gov</a> or <a href="mailto:clerk@wicourts.gov">clerk@wicourts.gov</a>.

You might wish to consult the court's Web site at <a href="http://wicourts.gov/scrules/supreme.htm">http://wicourts.gov/scrules/supreme.htm</a> 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 Web site.

If you have specific questions regarding this request, please contact me at 608-261-6642 or julie.rich@wicourts.gov.

Yours very truly,
/s/
Julie Anne Rich
Supreme Court Commissioner

cc: Chief Justice Shirley S. Abrahamson

Justice Ann Walsh Bradley
Justice N. Patrick Crooks
Justice David T. Prosser, Jr.

Justice Patience Drake Roggensack Justice Annette Kingsland Ziegler

Justice Michael J. Gableman

Interested Parties for Supreme Court Rules Matters (see attached list)

### List of Interested Parties for Supreme Court Rules Matters

Board of Bar Examiners

Chief Circuit Court Judges

Circuit Court Judges

Court of Appeals Judges

Court of Appeals, Attention: Chief Staff Attorney

Director of State Courts

Legal Action of Wisconsin, Attention: John F. Ebbott

League of Women Voters

Marquette Law School, Attention: Joseph D. Kearney

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State Bar of Wisconsin, Attention: Adam Korbitz

State Bar of Wisconsin, Attention: Natasha Fahey-Flynn

U.W. Law School, Attention: Margaret Raymond

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

Western District Bar Association of Wisconsin, Attention: Lynn M. Stathas

Wisconsin Asian Bar Association, Attention: Arman S. Rouf

Wisconsin Association for Justice, Attention: Jane E. Garrott, Executive Director

Wisconsin Association of African American Lawyers, Attn: Steven DeVougas

Wisconsin Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, Attention: Peter McKeever

Wisconsin Association of Judicial Court Commissioners, Attention: Cedric Cornwall

Wisconsin Bankers Association, Attention: Attorney John Knight

Wisconsin Clerks of Circuit Court Association, Attention: Lonnie Wolf

Wisconsin Counties Association, Attention: David Callender

Wisconsin Defense Counsel, Attention: Jane Svinicki and Andrew C. Cook

Wisconsin District Attorneys Association, Attention: Matthew Giesfeldt, Executive Director

Wisconsin Family Court Commissioners Association, Attention: Commr. Jason Hanson

Wisconsin Hispanic Lawyers Association, Attention: Adria D. Maddaleni

Wisconsin Judicare, Inc., Attention: Rosemary Elbert

Wisconsin Judicial Commission, Attention: James Alexander

Wisconsin Judicial Council, Attention: April Southwick

Wisconsin Juvenile Court Clerks Association, Attention: Vicki Gilbertson

Wisconsin Municipal Judges Association, Attention: Honorable JoAnn Eiring

Wisconsin Registers in Probate Association, Attention: Amy Franzen

Wisconsin State Attorneys Association, Attention: Francis X. Sullivan

Wisconsin Trial Judges Association, Attention: Honorable Mary M. Kuhnmuench

Wisconsin Tribal Judges Association, Attention: Amanda Rockmann, President

Christian Gossett, Winnebago County District Attorney

## List of Additional Interested Parties - if any

Office of Court Operations, Director of State Courts

Office of Management Services, Director of State Courts

Clerk of Wisconsin Supreme Court and Court of Appeals