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## VIA U.S. MAIL AND EMAIL CLERK@WICOURTS.GOV

Supreme Court of Wisconsin Attn: Deputy Clerk-Rules P.O. Box 1688 Madison, WI 53701-1688

> RE: Public Hearing on Rule Petition 14-03, Petition to Create Wis. Stat. § 801.18, Relating to Mandatory Electronic Filing in Circuit Court and Conversion to Electronic Circuit Court Records

Dear Deputy Clerk for Rules:

On January 21, 2016, by letter from its Editor, Bill Girdner, Courthouse News Service filed written comments with respect to the above-referenced rule petition. We are now authorized to state that the Wisconsin Newspaper Association, the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel, and the Wisconsin State Journal join the written comments of Courthouse News Service. Furthermore, Atty. Robert J. Dreps from our office will present testimony during the February 23, 2016 rule hearing on behalf of all four entities.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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