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Re: Correction to Proposed Amendment to Minnesota Rules for Registration of Attorneys, C9-81-1206

Dear Mr. Grittner:

The Director of the Office of Lawyers Professional Responsibility, the Director of the Boards of Law Examiners and the Board of Continuing Legal Education, as well as the Clerk of the Appellate Courts, filed a Petition to Amend the Minnesota Rules for Registration of Attorneys on March 7, 2006 proposing a comprehensive revision of the Rules. By this letter the undersigned request a non-substantive amendment to that Petition amending the title of the rules and clarifying Rule 3 language addressing the process by which attorneys' licenses will be issued.

The March 7, 2006 Petition proposes that Minnesota attorneys in good standing will have the option of choosing either active status or inactive status. Both categories of attorneys will be issued a license document, not just active status attorneys, as current rules provide. The amendments below restore existing rule language which states that the license will be issued in the form provided by the court and give the Clerk authority to issue the licence in a different form depending upon the attorney's license status.

RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT FOR REGISTRATION OF ATTORNEYS ON LAWYER REGISTRATION

RULE 63. CERTIFICATE LICENSE

A. Upon payment of the lawyer registration fee and completion of a lawyer registration statement, the Clerk of the Appellate Courts Lawyer Registration Office shall must issue and deliver mail to the person paying the same lawyer or judge a certificate-license in such form as may be provided by this

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court, showing that such individual is an attorney at law in good standing and authorized to practice in the State of Minnesota the license status of the lawyer or judge.

Thank you for permitting us to submit this proposed amendment.

Very truly yours,



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