

CRIMINAL ISSUES INITIATIVE
Respectfully submits the following position on:

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ADM File No. 2014-02

The Criminal Issues Initiative is comprised of members appointed by the President of the State Bar of Michigan.

The position expressed is that of the Criminal Issues Initiative only and is not an official position of the State Bar of Michigan, nor does it necessarily reflect the views of all members of the State Bar of Michigan.

The State Bar position on this matter is to support the proposed amendment.

The total membership of the Criminal Issues Initiative is 8.

The position was adopted after discussion and vote at a scheduled meeting. The number of members in the decision-making body is 8. The number who voted in favor to this position was 6. The number who voted opposed to this position was 0.

Report on Public Policy Position

Name of committee:

Criminal Issues Initiative

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Proposed Court Rule or Administrative Order Number:

[2014-02 - Proposed Amendment of MCR 6.106](#)

The proposed amendment of MCR 6.106(A) would clarify that a court would determine issues concerning defendant's pretrial release, if any, at the time of defendant's arraignment on the complaint and warrant.

Date position was adopted:

March 19, 2015

Process used to take the ideological position:

Position adopted after discussion and vote at a scheduled meeting

Number of members in the decision-making body:

8

Number who voted in favor and opposed to the position:

6 Voted for position

0 Voted against position

0 Abstained from vote

2 Did not vote (absent)

Position:

Support

The text of any legislation, court rule, or administrative regulation that is the subject of or referenced in this report.

http://courts.mi.gov/Courts/MichiganSupremeCourt/rules/court-rules-admin-matters/Adopted/2014-02_2015-02-04_formatted%20order_for%20comment.pdf