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State Bar of Michigan ATTN: Carrie Sharlow 306 Townsend Street Lansing, Michigan 48933

RE: Nomination of Representative Assembly Clerk

Carrie:

Please allow this correspondence to be my official nomination for State Bar of Michigan Clerk of the Representative Assembly. You will also find my bio/resume with this correspondence.

Very truly yours,

Bernard Anthony Jocuns, Jr.

Practicing law since 2003, Bernard Jocuns is a trial attorney from Lapeer, Michigan focusing on Marijuana Law, Criminal Defense & Plaintiff's Personal Injury Litigation. After receiving an Honorable Discharge from the United States Army Bernard received his Bachelor of Arts Degree from the Pennsylvania State University and Juris Doctor from the Thomas M. Cooley Law School.

Bernard is the current president of the Lapeer County Bar Association and is an active member of the following organizations: Chair of the Veterans Committee: Lapeer County Bar Association, A Founding member and Inaugural Chairperson of the Marijuana Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan, Criminal Defense Attorneys of Michigan (Board Member), Michigan Association for Justice, National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (lifetime member), Michigan OWI Defense Attorneys, National Lawyers Guild, American Association for Justice, Justice Caucus of the Michigan Democratic Party (representing the 10th Congressional District), Lapeer County Historical Society (lifetime member), (Vice-Chair) Lapeer County Democratic Party Executive Committee, Lapeer County Equal Rights Alliance, City of Lapeer Zoning Board of Appeals, Lapeer County Criminal Defense Bar Association (founding member), Veterans of Foreign Wars (Board & Lifetime Member), Iraq Veterans Against the War, American Legion (lifetime member) & NORML Legal Committee (lifetime member).

You may also find Bernard on Solid State Radio hosting the show: (the Bernard Jocuns) Holy Happy Hour Wednesday's @ 7:00 p.m.