September 23, 2020

Larry Royster Clerk of the Court Michigan Supreme Court P.O. Box 30052 Lansing, MI 48909

RE: ADM File No. 2020-11: Proposed Amendment of Rule 2.108 of the Michigan Court Rules

Dear Clerk Royster:

At its September 16, 2020 meeting, the Board of Commissioners of the State Bar of Michigan (the Board) considered the above-referenced proposed amendment published by the Court for comment. In its review, the Board considered a recommendation from the Civil Procedure and Courts Committee.

After this review, the Board voted unanimously to support the proposed rule amendment, as it clarifies the procedure for a motion for a more definite statement by defining the number of days by which a responsive pleading must be filed when such a motion is denied.

We thank the Court for the opportunity to convey the Board's position.

Sincerely,

Janet K. Welch Executive Director

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cc: Anne Boomer, Administrative Counsel, Michigan Supreme Court Robert J. Buchanan, President