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The Honorable Paul Condino
State Representative
State Capitol
P.O. Box 30014
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RE: HB 6532 DNA Evidence

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Michael Franck Building
Lansing, MI
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Dear Representative Condino:

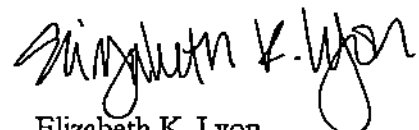
At its November 17, 2006 meeting, the Board of Commissioners unanimously voted to **support in principle*** HB 6532. This position was adopted after review of the Prisons and Corrections Section position. The Bar also recommends expanding the scope of the bill to any conviction that is finally reversed.

If you would like to discuss this position in further detail or have questions, please contact Janet Welch directly at (517) 346-6375, jwelch@mail.michbar.org; or Elizabeth Lyon directly at (517) 346-6325, elyon@mail.michbar.org.

Sincerely,



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* Definition of support in principle: pending legislation that the State Bar supports, but which is not the subject of active lobbying effort. The State Bar is on record on this position and will explain it upon request.