Order

Michigan Supreme Court
Lansing, Michigan

February 1, 2005

Clifford W. Taylor
Chief Justice

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ADM File Nos. 2002-29
2003-62

Extension of Comment Periods

On order of the Court, this is to advise that the Court is extending the comment period from February 1, 2005 to June 1, 2005, for the orders published July 29, 2003, regarding ADM File No. 2002-29 – Proposed Michigan Standards for Imposing Lawyer Sanctions (MSILS), and July 2, 2004, regarding ADM 2003-62 – the Proposed Adoption of New Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct (MRPC). Both matters will be considered at a public hearing before the Court makes a final decision, and the MRPC will be finalized prior to the publication of a final order regarding the MSILS.

Staff Comment: Due to inclement weather, the State Bar Representative Assembly was unable to discuss and vote on matters relevant to these files at its January 22, 2005, meeting. The comment period is being extended in order to maximize the participation of all members of the legal community in the development of these rules and standards.

I, CORBIN R. DAVIS, Clerk of the Michigan Supreme Court, certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the order entered at the direction of the Court.

February 1, 2005 Corbin R Davis

Clerk