

June 30, 2020

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

RE: ADM File No. 2020-06 – Proposed Amendments of Rules 2.403, 2.404, and 2.405 of the Michigan Court Rules

Dear Clerk Royster:

At its June 12, 2020 meeting, the Board of Commissioners of the State Bar of Michigan (Board) considered the above-referenced proposed rule amendments published for comment. In its review, the Board considered recommendations from the Civil Procedure & Courts Committee.

The Board appreciates the significant efforts taken by the Case Evaluation Court Rules Review Committee in formulating its recommendations to the Michigan Supreme Court. In recognition of the Committee's expertise and long-standing examination of the myriad of issues surrounding the case evaluation process, the Board supports the proposed changes to that process.

We thank the Court for the opportunity to comment on the proposed amendments.

Sincerely,



Janet K. Welch
Executive Director

cc: Anne Boomer, Administrative Counsel, Michigan Supreme Court
Dennis M. Barnes, President