Item 05-05d (011320)

December 13, 2019

VIA EMAIL

Rules Committee of the Superior Court c/o Joseph J. Del Ciampo Counsel to the Rules Committee Connecticut Judicial Branch 100 Washington Street, 3rd Floor Hartford, CT 06106

RE: Request for Comment on Proposed Amendments to Sections 2-27, 2-27A, and 2-65, and to adopt new Section 2-27B

Dear Attorney Del Ciampo:

I write on behalf of Connecticut Trial Lawyers Association ("CTLA") in response to your December 3, 2019, request for comment on the proposal to amend Sections 2-27, 2-27A, and 2-65, and to adopt new Section 2-27B regarding administrative suspension of attorneys who fail to register or comply with Connecticut's Minimum Continuing Legal Education requirements.

Thank you for seeking CTLA's input. After reviewing the proposed amendments, CTLA wishes to advise the Committee that it has no objections or other comments to the proposed amendments. Continuing legal education has long been a point of emphasis for CTLA and its members. We look forward to continuing to reinforce its important role in our profession moving forward.

Thank you for offering CTLA the opportunity to comment on these proposed amendments. We welcome the opportunity to be involved in the process of formulating and reviewing other potential rules changes in the future.

Very truly yours,

Paul A. Slager

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