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**Cc:** Carroll, Patrick; Bozzuto, Elizabeth; Ericson, Tais; Hess, Krista; McGann, Nancy  
**Subject:** RE: Referral from the Rules Committee, RC ID # 2021-023, Proposal to Amend Practice Book regarding the retention and destruction of summary process records

Dear Joe,

In response to your request, it is my considered opinion that the proposal at issue would require the Judicial Branch to make a policy decision that is far more appropriately made by other governmental entities or individuals. I am comfortable representing the fact that this opinion is shared by the various stakeholders in the Civil Division. In addition, it reflects the consensus of the members of the Judges’ Advisory Committee on E-Filing, which considered the proposal at its January 31, 2022 meeting.

Feel free to contact me with any questions or comments.

Jim Abrams

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**Subject:** Referral from the Rules Committee, RC ID # 2021-023, Proposal to Amend Practice Book regarding the retention and destruction of summary process records  
**Importance:** High

Dear Judge Abrams, Krista, and Nancy,

At its meeting on February 7, 2022, the Rules Committee considered the attached a proposal from Legal Services Associations and the associated materials concerning amendments Practice Book Sections 7-10 and 7-11 and new Section 7-11A regarding the retention and destruction of summary process records (RC ID # 2021-023).

After discussion, the Committee tabled this matter and referred it for comment to you and to the Connecticut Apartment Association, the Connecticut Landlord Association, and any other tenant and landlord associations determined to be interested.

The next meeting of the Rules Committee is scheduled for March 14, 2022. Any comments you would like to offer the Committee before its next meeting would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you.

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