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Subject: MCLE Proposed Rule Changes

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Dear Attorney Del Ciampo:

I am writing on behalf of the Connecticut Bar Association (CBA) regarding the proposed rule on administrative suspension for registration and MCLE, amendments to practice book 2-27, 2-27a, 2-65 and NEW 2-27b.

The CBA has been engaged in conversations with our members about the proposed rule since we were notified in October, 2019. We used the additional time granted following our December, 2019 request for an extension of time to engage select section and committee leadership on specific issues raised by members of the bar regarding how the rule will be implemented and administrative suspensions handled, including due process concerns related to suspensions and reinstatement.

The holidays caused some delay in responses, and we are still collecting comments. To ensure we are able to provide a complete and substantive response, we request an additional 30 to 60 days to respond.

Thank you and please fee free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Ndidi Moses CBA President

cc Justice Andrew McDonald Bill Chapman