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**RE: State Bar of Michigan Comments on the Michigan Supreme Court  
Report of the Task Force on the Role of the State Bar**

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Dear Ms. Boomer:

The Board of Commissioners of the State Bar of Michigan has considered the Report of the Task Force on the Role of the State Bar of Michigan and offers the attached document in comment.

The Board voted 25 yes, 4 no, and 2 abstentions. One Commissioner voting yes asked that his vote be recorded as preferring to leave Rule 1 of the Supreme Court Rules unchanged (page 5), and to make the threshold vote on *Keller* permissibility 75% rather than two-thirds (item 6, page 11). Of the five Commissioners who served on the Task Force, 3 voted no and 2 abstained.

We thank the Court for the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

Brian D. Einhorn  
President