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Attorney John Nicholas Schweitzer  
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Re: Rule Petition 10-09, In the matter of amendment of Supreme Court Rule Chapter 20  
Rules of Professional Conduct for Attorneys

Dear Attorney Schweitzer:

On February 24, 2011, the court discussed Rule Petition 10-09 in open administrative conference. A majority of the court voted to request that you, as the petitioner, convene a working group to obtain input on the proposals in this petition. The court recommends the working group's members include representatives from the Office of Lawyer Regulation, the Board of Administrative Oversight, Attorney Tim Pierce from the State Bar, as well as representatives from the State Bar's Professional Ethics Committee and the Family Law Section. The court anticipates that the working group will suggest changes that may result in an amended petition. Further proceedings on this petition will be held in abeyance pending receipt of a letter from you detailing the conclusions and recommendations of the working group.

Thank you for your continued work on this petition and your interest in the rules process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Shirley S. Abrahamson", written over a horizontal line.

Shirley S. Abrahamson  
Chief Justice

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cc: Justice Ann Walsh Bradley  
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