SUPREME COURT OF WISCONSIN

No. 08-01

In the matter of the Amendment of Rules of Pleading, Practice and Procedure: Wis. Stat. § Ch. 756, Juries

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On January 3, 2008, A. John Voelker, Director of State Courts petitioned this court on behalf of the Committee of Chief Judges and the Chief Judge Subcommittee on Juror Treatment and Selection for an amendment to Chapter 756 of the Wisconsin Statutes relating to juries. The petition states that the goal of the rule petition "is to improve and clarify provisions governing the management of jurors in the circuit courts."

IT IS ORDERED that a public hearing on the petition shall be held in the Supreme Court Room in the State Capitol, Madison, Wisconsin, on April 7, 2008, at 9:45 a.m.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the court's conference in the matter shall be held promptly following the public hearing.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that notice of the hearing be given by publication of a copy of this order and of the petition in the official state newspaper once each week for three consecutive weeks, and in an official publication of the State Bar of Wisconsin not more than 60 days nor less than 30 days before the date of the hearing.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 4th day of January, 2008.

BY THE COURT:

David R. Schanker Clerk of Supreme Court