SUPREME COURT OF WISCONSIN

No. 17-05

In re Wisconsin Statutes §§ 809.107 and 809.19

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On May 4, 2017, Attorney April M. Southwick filed a rule petition on behalf of the Wisconsin Judicial Council asking the court to amend certain sections of Wis. Stat. ch. 809 to clarify the current rules of appellate procedure relating to the size, number, and timing of briefs in multiparty cases. The Memorandum in Support of the petition sets forth the petitioner's reasons for seeking these changes and is available at www.wicourts.gov/scrules/pending.htm.

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 Monday, November 6, 2017, at 9:30 a.m.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that notice of the hearing be given by a 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.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the full text of the proposed rules, including changes, if any, in existing rules, shall be placed on the

Internet site maintained by the director of state courts for the supreme court. See www.wicourts.gov/scrules/pending.htm.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 22nd day of September, 2017.

BY THE COURT:

Diane M. Fremgen Clerk of Supreme Court