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Re: Rule Petition 23-05: In the Matter of proposed rules relating to appellate court proceedings from orders entered pursuant to WIS. STAT. § 971.14 regarding pretrial competency rulings in criminal cases

Dear Commissioner Barber:

This letter responds to your letter dated January 26, 2024, inquiring about the above-referenced matter and following the January 25, 2024 supreme court public hearing on the petition. In particular, you state that the court has asked us to provide a proposed title for WIS. STAT. § (Rule) 809.109. We suggest the following title: **Appeals from orders entered pursuant to s. 971.14**. We believe this title is consistent with the wording of related rules in ch. 809, provides sufficient clarity, and accurately describes the nature of the rule.

We thank you very kindly for your inquiry on behalf of the supreme court and for providing us with an opportunity to respond.

Sincerely,

Thomas M. Hrux

Electronically signed by Hon. Thomas M. Hruz Wisconsin Court of Appeals, District III Chairperson, Wisconsin Judicial Council Appellate Procedure Committee

CC: Attorney William C. Gleisner, III (via email)