SUPREME COURT OF WISCONSIN

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In the matter of the petition to amend Supreme Court Rule (SCR) 14.03(2), regarding Access to Justice Commission

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On October 29, 2018, Daniel J. Hoff, President, Wisconsin Access to Justice Commission (WATJC), filed a rule petition asking the court to amend Supreme Court Rule (SCR) 14.03(2) to add one member to its board of directors, thereby increasing the number of members on its board from 17 to 18. WATJC would like the court to permit the President of the Wisconsin Tribal Judges Association to designate a member who will serve on the WATJC board.

The court discussed this matter at a closed rules conference on November 12, 2018. The court notes that this court created the WATJC and has authority to adjust the number of board members, in its sole discretion.¹ After discussion, the court concluded that the WATJC

¹ The WATJC was created in 2009, in response to a petition from the State Bar of Wisconsin. <u>See</u> SCR Ch. 14 created pursuant to S. Ct. Order 08-17, 2009 WI 42 (issued June 5, 2009, eff. June 5, 2009).

would be well served by this addition, that no public comment or hearing is necessary, and the court voted to grant the petition. Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that, effective the date of this order:

SECTION 1. Supreme Court Rule 14.03(2)(intro.) is amended as follows:

SCR 14.03(2) The Commission shall consist of <u>a 17-member an 18-</u> member board of directors as follows:

SECTION 2. Supreme Court Rule 14.03(2)(i) is created to read as follows:

SCR 14.03(2)(i) One member designated by the President of the Wisconsin Tribal Judges Association.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that notice of the above amendments be given by a single publication of a copy of this order in the official publications designated in SCR 80.01, including the official publishers' online databases, and on the Wisconsin court system's web site. The State Bar of Wisconsin shall provide notice of this order.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 12th day of November, 2018.

BY THE COURT:

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