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Wisconsin Supreme Court
110 East Main Street, Suite 215
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RE: Petition 13-14 (relating to the Wisconsin Code of Judicial Conduct regarding self-represented litigants)

Dear Honorable Justices:

The State Bar of Wisconsin supports rule petition 13-14, as submitted by the Wisconsin Access to Justice Commission.

At its meeting on December 6, 2013, the Board of Governors voted by a vote of greater than 60%, 37-3-1, to support petition 13-14 which would give guidance to the state's judiciary in dealing with pro se litigants.

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact State Bar of Wisconsin Executive Director George Brown or Public Affairs Director Lisa Roys.

Sincerely,

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