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STATE OF WISCONSIN

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IN THE SUPREME COURT

In the Matter of  
Modification of SCR Ch 10,  
Regulation of the State Bar.

PETITION  
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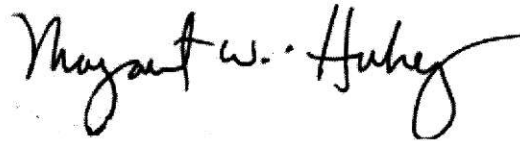
This request for modification of SCR 10.05 (1) comes before the Wisconsin Supreme Court pursuant to its authority over the State Bar of Wisconsin and its inherent authority over the legal profession of this state. See also Wis. Const. Art. VII, § 3; In re Kading, 70 Wis. 2d 508, 519-20; 235 N.W.2d 409 (1976). The State Bar is requesting these modifications to provide for a designated voting section leaders council representative to the Board of Governors of the State Bar. The Board of Governors voted to approve the matter addressed by this petition along with adoption of revised bylaws on June 9, 2021.

**SECTION 1.** Supreme Court Rule 10.05 (1), is amended to read as follows:

**SCR 10.05 Board of governors.** (1) Composition of board. The affairs of the association shall be managed and directed by a board of governors consisting of ~~the~~ 6 officers of the association, all of whom shall be ex officio members-at-large of the board, not fewer than 34 members elected from the state bar districts established under sub. (2), one member selected by the young lawyers division pursuant to its bylaws, one member selected by the government lawyers division pursuant to its bylaws, ~~five~~ 5 governors selected by the nonresident lawyers division pursuant to its bylaws, one governor selected by the senior lawyers division pursuant to its bylaws, one member selected by the section leaders council pursuant to its bylaws, and ~~three~~ 3 nonlawyers appointed by the supreme court for staggered two-year terms. No person appointed by the supreme court shall serve more than ~~two~~ 2 consecutive full terms. The rights and powers of the ex officio members of the board are the same as those of elected members. All past-presidents of the Wisconsin bar association or of the state bar of Wisconsin, the Wisconsin state delegate to the American Bar Association house of delegates and the deans of the Marquette university and university of Wisconsin law schools are entitled to floor privileges, but without voting privileges.

A memorandum setting forth the reasons for this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted this 27th day of June, 2023

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Margaret W. Hickey". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping "H" and "y".

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