SUPREME COURT OF WISCONSIN

No. 21-01

In the Matter of the Amendment of Supreme Court Rules 20:1.0 and SCR 20:1.10

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Sheila T. Reiff Clerk of Supreme Court Madison, WI

On May 25, 2021, Ben Kempinen, Chair of the State Bar of Wisconsin Standing Committee on Professional Ethics and Kelli Sue Thompson, Wisconsin State Public Defender, filed a rule petition asking the court to amend the Supreme Court Rules (SCR) to clarify that conflict of interests involving public defenders should be controlled by SCR 20:1.10 rather than SCR 20:1.11.

IT IS ORDERED that a public hearing on the petition shall be held in the Supreme Court Hearing Room in the State Capitol, Madison, Wisconsin, on Tuesday, September 28, 2021, 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 16th day of August 2021.

BY THE COURT:

Sheila T. Reiff Clerk of Supreme Court