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Members of the Court:

I am an attorney. My practice has been exclusively limited to criminal defense since being admitted to the bar in 1980. I am writing to comment on and urge adoption of proposed CrR 4.11. CrR 4.11 would provide counsel with the right to memorialize witness interviews by tape recorder or court reporter.

The proposed rule is fair, balanced, promotes the truth and should be adopted. Recording provides clarity about witnesses statement and avoids unnecessary later disputes about what was stated. Recording of witness interviews: encourages professionalism during interviews, expedites the interview process and saves costs to all parties. Neither the prosecution or the witness are unfairly prejudiced by the simple accuracy insured by recorded interviews.

For these reasons, the proposed rule should clearly be adopted.

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