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Subject: Public Comment Concerning GR31.1
Attachments: 11-30-12 GR31_1 DMCJA Judge Durr Comment.pdf

Supreme Court Justices,

I offer this comment concerning proposed General Rule GR31.1 for public distribution and display.

With respect to the Certified Professional Guardianship Board, I would recommend changes be made to mirror the transparency provided by the Washington State Department of Health with respect to investigative procedures, reports, findings, and other documentation surrounding professional conduct complaints and investigations. To shield this from the public is to deny the information many consider mandatory when selecting or aiding in the selection of a private for profit provider, this shielding appears to be unwarranted by current day standards for any other profession.

In addition I would like to file a formal objection concerning Judge Sara Durr's public comment dated November 30, 2012 posted for publication. Judge Durr attribute this comment on behalf of the DMCJA (District and Municipal Court Judges Association) which is a Washington State Non Profit Corporation as well as having Federal IRS Non Profit Designation, Judge Durr asserted on her comment that she spoke for the State of Washington by the addition of the following at the bottom of each page of her comment:

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The addition of this places common the comment at a disadvantage and unfairly predisposes the Justices to giving more than deserved weight to her comment on behalf of a run of the mill private Corporation.

If in fact this comment was made by Justice Madsen or any/all other Washington Supreme Court Justices on behalf of the State of Washington please consider my objection withdrawn and provide substantive explanation as why credit to Justices authorship was omitted.

With all respect due,

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