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Via email to supreme@courts.wa.gov

Re: Proposed Changes to RPC 8.4

Dear Chief Justice Fairhurst and Justices of the Court:

I am writing on behalf of the Access to Justice (ATJ) Board to share our support for the proposed amendments to Rules of Professional Responsibility (RPC) 8.4. The ATJ Board supports the proposed changes to add veterans and members of the military to the anti-discrimination and anti-prejudice provisions of the rule. This important change will make RPC 8.4 consistent with the state laws against discrimination and will provide protection of this very important class.

If you have any questions or need more information, please do not hesitate to contact the Access to Justice Manager, Diana Singleton, at dianas@wsba.org or at 206-727-8025.

Respectfully,

Geoffrey Revelle
Access to Justice Board Chair

Cc: Paula Littlewood, Washington State Bar Association

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Good morning,

Attached, please find a letter from the Access to Justice Board regarding the proposed changes to RPC 8.4.

Thank you,



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