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Subject: Mandatory Malpractice Insurance

I am a retired lawyer who still provides pro bono legal services to family, friends and local non-profit groups. I pay my bar dues and keep my MCLE up to date. What I dont need, or want, is mandatory malpractice insurance. I wrote opposing this last year, and am disappointed to learn that, despite the overwhelming bar opposition and your May 2019 rejection, it is back on the agenda.

Please reject this expensive and unnecessary proposal and refuse to consider it again anytime in the next five years.

Thank you.

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