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Re: Mandatory Insurance

Justices:

I wish to express my opposition to mandatory insurance for attorneys.

As a practitioner in a small community it would be extremely burdensome to a young lawyer and unnecessarily drive up costs for all clients.

Second, the cost for semi-retired lawyers would place a financial burden on them which likely could not be passed on to clients.

Thank you for burying this idea.

Yours very truly,

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