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Dear Clerk:

This email is to express concern regarding the proposed amendments to the Rules of Appellate Procedure 10.10 (RAP 10.10). The proposed change allowing defendants to request and receive the verbatim report of proceedings, clerk's papers, and exhibits transmitted to the Court of Appeals, is concerning. This proposed change would allow defendants access to trial exhibits such as, intimate images, depictions of minors engaged in sexually explicit activity, medical records, crime scene photographs, and financial information of victims. This puts crime victims in a vulnerable position. CrR 4.7 and GR 31 currently have protections in place for these issues, which the proposed amendment to RAP 10.10 does not.

I respectfully request the rejection of the proposed amendment.

Thank you,

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