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Honorable Charles W. Johnson, Co-Chair
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Supreme Court Rules Committee
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Re: Proposed new Superior Court Special Proceedings Rule 98.24W

Dear Justice Yu and Justice Johnson,

The Office of Civil Legal Aid (OCLA) appreciates the Court's continued consideration of the proposed Superior Court Special Proceedings Rule 98.24W. We reaffirm our comments from January 27, 2023, emphasizing that the rule will serve as a necessary due process safeguard for indigent tenants and provide for consistent and uniform administration of unlawful detainer practices statewide.

Sincerely,

OFFICE OF CIVIL LEGAL AID

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Dear Clerk of the Supreme Court,

Please find attached comments on behalf of the Office of Civil Legal Aid (OCLA) regarding SPR 98.24W, which was altered and made re-available for comment.

If you have any questions or require further clarification, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

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