

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

THE FLORIDA BAR,
IN RE: PETITION TO AMEND
THE RULES REGULATING THE
FLORIDA BAR -- 1-3.7;
3-5.1(G); 3-5.2; 14-1.1
AND CHAPTER 15.

CASE NO. 75,716

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JOINDER BRIEF
OF MARTIN MARIETTA CORPORATION
REGARDING PROPOSED CHAPTER 15 (Authorized House Counsel)

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COMES NOW Martin Marietta Corporation, by and through undersigned counsel, and states that rather than unnecessarily burden this Court with a separate brief in this matter, it has read, and joins in and endorses the brief submitted on behalf of CSX and UTC in this matter.

Martin Marietta Corporation ("MMC") is a Maryland Corporation having its principal place of business in Bethesda, Maryland and does business in Florida, throughout the United States and worldwide. MMC total work force approximates 65,500 people. The Corporation is a diversified enterprise which is principally engaged in the businesses of aerospace, electronics and information technology, engaging in the design, manufacture and integration of systems and products in the fields of space, defense, aviation, communication, information management, and energy; producing construction aggregates and specialty chemical products; and various other activities conducted through certain consolidated subsidiaries and nonconsolidated associated companies or joint ventures. Over 15,000 Floridians are employed by MMC at various locations throughout Florida. The Electronics and Missiles Group segment of the Corporation, headquartered in Orange County is one of the largest industrial employers in the State of Florida.

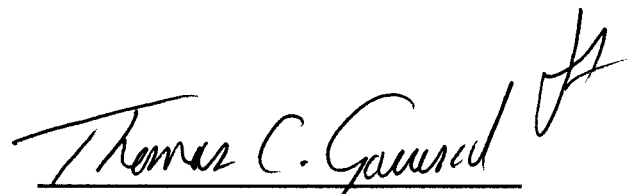
MMC's legal department has approximately forty-eight (48) attorneys practicing throughout the United States, with seven (7) lawyers located in Orange county. Of those seven, one is admitted to the Florida Bar, and of the remaining lawyers employed by the Corporation elsewhere in the United States, four are admitted to the Florida Bar. Staff attorneys in MMC's Florida operations are primarily specialists in federal government procurement law and intellectual property practices. MMC's use of Florida lawyers is very extensive primarily in the areas of environmental, worker's compensation, labor law and all state and federal litigation filed by or against the Corporation in Florida.

All MMC staff attorneys must be admitted to practice in at least one state, and if

continuing education is required by that state to remain in good stead, all staff attorneys will meet their admission state requirements. In Florida, MMC's in-house legal staff has hosted Florida bar activities and in-house attorneys have spoken at and participated in continuing education programs with Florida attorneys.

MMC periodically relocates its attorneys to other operating companies within the Corporation. At times it is necessary to bring a certain expertise to bear upon an issue in the short term, other times it is to fill a vacancy by a departing attorney. Career paths for attorneys are similar to general management within MMC in that the various assignments in the total Corporation benefit the individual as well as MMC, and better prepare the individual attorney for greater responsibilities at various and higher levels within MMC.

As a result, Martin Marietta Corporation believes it will be adversely affected by adoption of Proposed Chapter 15 as more clearly set forth in the brief filed by CSX and UTC.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Joinder Brief has been furnished by U. S. Mail this 17th day of April, 1990, to Mr. John F. Harkness, Jr., Mr. Stephen N. Zack, Mr. James Fox Miller, and Mr. John A.

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