

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

THE FLORIDA BAR RE
AMENDMENT TO RULES
REGULATING THE FLORIDA
BAR- 4-6.1 Pro Bono
Public Service

CASE NO. ' , ' _____

RESPONSE OF Joseph W. Little TO
PETITION TO AMEND THE RULES REGULATING THE
FLORIDA BAR

Respondent Joseph W. Little files this response to the Petition filed by The Florida Bar to remove the mandatory reporting requirement from Rule 4-6.1 and states:

1. Respondent is a member in good standing of The Florida Bar.
2. Respondent participated in prior cases of this Court which considered the adoption of the Pro Bono Public Service Rule and provided extensive arguments in memoranda and argument as to why the public interest is not served by the mandatory reporting requirementt.
3. Respondent submits that the enforcement of the mandatory reporting requirement would infringe Respondent's rights guaranteed by the constitutions of the State of Florida and of the United State of America.
4. For the reasons stated in paragraph 3 and stated in the arguments presented to this Court in prior proceedings as stated in paragraph 2, Respondent respectfully submits that it is in the interest of the public for this Court to grant the Petition.

Accordingly, Respondent respectfully submits that this Court should enter an order granting the petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this instrument was mailed to John F. Hardness, Jr., Executive Director, The Florida Bar, 650 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Fl. 32399-2300 this 18 day of July 1996.

Joseph W. Little