IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

CASE NO: SC04-101

IN RE:

AMENDMENTS TO THE FLORIDA RULES OF TRAFFIC COURT

RESPONSE OF THE TRAFFIC COURT RULES COMMITTEE TO COMMENTS

Brian L. Tannebaum, Chair of The Florida Bar Traffic Court Rules Committee ("Committee"), and John F. Harkness Jr., Executive Director of The Florida Bar, at the Court's direction, file this response to all comments filed in the above styled case.

COMMENTS AND OBJECTIONS PERTAINING TO THE RULES' COMPLIANCE WITH THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

The Committee did not address any of the issues brought forth in the comments and objections during the preceding amendment cycle, and without the benefit of the full committee, no substantive response to the comments and objections is presently available. The Committee would like to have the opportunity to proceed through its normal rules amendment process in order to address the issues. The Traffic Court Rules Committee's Internal Operating Procedures provide, in part, that proposed rules or amendments must be submitted in writing to be considered by the committee. The Committee would appreciate the opportunity to address these comments and objections in the normal course, in the form of a proposal, and is willing to do so beginning with the June, 2004 meeting in Boca Raton, Florida.

WHEREFORE, The Florida Bar Traffic Court Rules Committee and The Florida Bar hereby request that the Court adopt the amendments to the Florida Rules of Traffic Court as proposed, and permit the Committee to address any comments and objections filed herein beginning at the June, 2004 meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

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