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Thomas D. Hall, Clerk
The Supreme Court of Florida
500 South Duval Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1925

Re: Case Number SC06-1622
Petition to Amend the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar

Dear Mr. Hall,

I have been a paralegal for 17+ years and have always taken a great amount of pride in my career choice. I wholeheartedly support the implementation of Rule 20 and the regulation of paralegals by the Florida Bar. As paralegals we play a very important role in the legal community. A role I believe should be played only by those who are legitimately qualified to do so. I believe Rule 20 is an important step to ensuring that those individuals holding themselves out to the community (legal or otherwise) to be paralegals have not only the experience, but the qualifications, skills and ethics to back it up!

Thank you for your time.

Very truly yours,

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cc: The Florida Bar
Attn: John Harkness, Executive Director