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## Re: Support for Proposed Rule 20, Florida Registered Paralegal Program

Dear Mr. Hall:

I am a practicing attorney and wish to advise you that I fully support the above-referenced rule. It is a rule that is long over due.

Respectfully submitted,

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