CALL FOR COMMENTS March 15, 2016 – April 15, 2016

PROPOSED RULES OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT 1.17 AND 1.19

The Louisiana Supreme Court is considering the adoption of two new Rules of Professional Conduct, Rule 1.17 and Rule 1.19.

Proposed Rule 1.17 would permit an attorney to sell his or her law practice. Proposed Rule 1.19 addresses attorneys' obligation to implement succession plans in the event of their death or disability from practicing law.

The proposed rules may be accessed by following the applicable links below:

Proposed Louisiana Rule of Professional Conduct 1.17 Proposed Louisiana Rule of Professional Conduct 1.19

Before further consideration of the adoption of the proposed rules, the Supreme Court is interested in hearing comments on these documents from members of the Bar and the public.

*Please note that any comments submitted pursuant to this notice are available for public inspection.

PLEASE REVIEW THE PROPOSED RULE CHANGE AND SEND YOUR COMMENTS BY APRIL 15, 2016 TO:

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