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Notice of Submittal to Legislative Council Staff

PROPOSED ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN OFFICE OF THE STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER AMENDING RULES

Rule PD 3 (Indigency Criteria) and Rule PD 6 (Reimbursement of Legal Fees)

The State of Wisconsin Public Defender Board (SPD) announces that on November 18, 2010 it submitted to the legislative council staff for review revised administrative rules PD 3 and PD 6. Changes to PD 3 and PD 6 are made pursuant to 2009 Act 164 which directs the State Public Defender agency to "promulgate rules regarding the determination of indigency of persons entitled to be represented by counsel[.]" See sec. 977.02(3) Stats.

To carry out the Act 164 directives the central administration of the SPD has revised PD 3 and PD 6. Any questions concerning the revisions may be direct to Kathy Pakes, Legal Counsel, pakesk@opd.wi.gov, 315 N. Henry Street, 2d Floor, Madison, WI 53703, (608) 261-0633.

A public hearing is required. The State Public Defender will hold a public hearing on the revised rules at the time and place shown below:

December 13, 2010
9:30 am to 11:30 a.m.
SPD Administrative Office, Banoul Conference Room
315 N. Henry Street, 2nd Floor
Madison WI 53703

The revised rules may be viewed at <http://www.wisspd.org/CAR.asp>

Dated: November 18, 2010

WISCONSIN STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER BOARD

DANIEL M. BERKOS, Chair