Robert Webster Chairperson Richard Marino Vice Chairperson Thomas Richie Secretary

REAL ESTATE EXAMINING BOARD



1400 E Washington Ave PO Box 8366 Madison WI 53708-8366

Email: dsps@wisconsin.gov Voice: 608-266-2112 FAX: 608-251-3032

25 June 2018

Senator Stephen Nass, Senate Co-Chairperson Joint Committee for Review of Administrative Rules Room 10 South, State Capitol Madison, WI 53702

Representative Joan Ballweg, Assembly Co-Chairperson Joint Committee for Review of Administrative Rules Room 210 North, State Capitol Madison, WI 53702

RE: Petition for Authorization to Repeal Rule s. REEB 24.17 (2m)

Dear Senator Nass and Representative Ballweg:

I am petitioning for authorization to repeal rule s. REEB 24.17 (2m). A copy of the proposed rule is attached.

Section REEB 24.17 (2m) allows the Real Estate Examining Board to revoke a license or registration based on a conviction of a felony that is a bar to licensure or registration under s. 452.25 (1) (a), Stats. 2017 Act 110 repealed s. 452.14 (3) (p) which originally contained the language mirrored by s. REEB 24.17 (2m) and recreated the statute to address convictions substantially related to real estate practice. The Real Estate Examining Board currently has a rule which addresses disciplinary actions based upon convictions.

Therefore, the Real Estate Examining Board is requesting authorization to repeal the rule by utilizing the expedited process under s. 227.26 (4), Stats.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

/s/

Chairperson Real Estate Examining Board