IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

IN RE: AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES REGULATING THE FLORIDA

BAR - CHAPTERS 3 AND 14

CASE NO. SC22-1293

THE FLORIDA BAR'S MOTION TO CORRECT PETITION

The Florida Bar (the bar) respectfully requests leave to correct its petition and states as follows:

The bar filed its petition to amend chapters 3 and 14 of the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar in this case on October 3, 2022. After filing the petition, the bar discovered 2 errors in the petition. Amendments to Rules Regulating Fla. Bar 3-5.2 and 3-7.16 were not reviewed by the Program Evaluation Committee for adherence to the bar's strategic plan. The petition is silent as to strategic review on rule 3-5.2 (p. 5), but mistakenly states that Program Evaluation Committee review of rule 3-7.16 occurred on March 4, 2021 (p. 17).

On discovering the error, The Florida Bar Board of Governors voted 42-1 to waive strategic review of both rules at its October 24, 2022 virtual meeting. R. Regulating Fla. Bar 2-9.2 permits the bar's Board of Governors to waive its own policies, stating as follows: "The provision of any standing board policy or special rule of order may be waived by a two-thirds vote of those present at any regular meeting of the board of governors."

Review for adherence to the bar's strategic plan is required by the bar's Standing Board Policy 1.60(b)(4). Strategic review is not required by R. Regulating Fla. Bar 1-12.1, which sets forth this Court's requirements for amending the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar. The bar submits this deviation from its own policies have now been corrected by the October 24, 2022 waiver. However,

the bar feels compelled to correct its petition in this case to accurately reflect the status of the strategic review for rules 3-5.2 and 3-7.16 as waived by the bar's Board of Governors on October 24, 2022.

The bar requests that this Court accept this motion and correct the petition filed on October 3, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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