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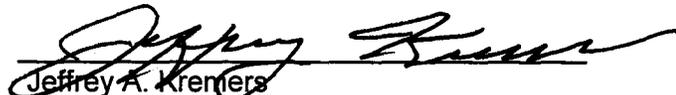
FROM: Chief Judge Jeffrey A. Kremers

RE: **PAYMENT OF EXPERT WITNESS FEES CHAPTER 980 WIS. STATS.**

IT IS HEREBY DIRECTED that for all petitions filed on or after January 1, 2012 the following rates will apply for reimbursement of expert witnesses appointed by the court pursuant to Sections 980.031(1) & (3) Wis. Stats.:

1. For all pre-trial work, no more than \$2800 at a maximum rate of \$150 per hour.
2. For trial testimony, no more than an additional \$1000 at a maximum rate of \$150 per hour.
3. The court may in its discretion deviate from these rates where appropriate.

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, this 5th day of January, 2012.


Jeffrey A. Kremers
Chief Judge

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