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Please accept this email in response to the above-notice. As an attorney, I fully support the proposal as outlined in Judge Grant's July 16 Notice to the Bar. I exclusively practice criminal law in both superior court and municipal court. Remote proceedings have allowed me to appear in numerous courts on the same date regardless of travel distance from my Monmouth County office. In my opinion, continued remote proceedings will cut down on the number of adjournments requested. Practitioners will be able to appear in multiple jurisdictions on the same date where they previously would have had to request an adjournment because of travel distances. As suggested by "stakeholders" in Judge Grant's proposal, remote proceedings "reduces money costs for attorneys, clients and court users who otherwise would be required to miss work, school and other obligations."

Thank you,

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