From: Commr Jeffrey M. Harkavy

To: Invitations

Subject: SEC Recommendations

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To Whom It May Concern:

It was with great interest that I have read the extensive and exhaustive report generated by the Committee appointed by the Chief Justice. I can only imagine the many hundreds of hours that were spent by so many dedicated and talented individuals to gather the information necessary to analyze the effectiveness of the AOC and the Judicial Counsel.

I seriously doubt that I could add anything more than my colleagues have and will be stating on whether the recommendations contained in the SEC Report should be adopted. So I will limit my comments to my opinion of the report itself.

After watching with great interest the activities of the AOC and the Judicial Counsel, I wish to go on record as strongly endorsing the recommendations made in the SEC Report. Further, I hope that the recommendations will not only be approved, but implemented as soon as possible.

Thank you for your consideration,

Sincerely,

Jeffrey M. Harkavy Superior Court Commissioner County of Los Angeles