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I concur with the vast majority of my colleagues that the SEC's recommendations should be implemented without further delay. I have been working in the court system since 1977, and have been a judge since 1997. I've had an opportunity to witness first hand the "before" and "after" of the AOC. The "before" version of the AOC was a support organization that served the judges and courts of our state. The "after" version seems to have lost its way. These recommendations have been studied and surveyed and "committee'd" with the apparent hope on somebody's part that they simply go away. As the many voices of my colleagues will attest, their time has come.