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I am a Los Angeles Superior Court judge handling felony trials. I have been on the bench since 2006. I am not political and have stayed away from this fray about the AOC, Judicial Council, CCMS, etc. Nonetheless, I write to ask that the Judicial Council adopt the recommendations of the report. Now that CCMS is no longer an issue, we need to look to the future. I think this is a good opportunity for the Chief Justice to turn the page and establish her own leadership goals. She did not create the problems identified in the report, so this is the perfect opportunity to distance herself from these inherited problems and move forward as a united court. Thank you. Steve Blades