

From: Judge Thomas T. Lewis
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It is my sincere hope that the Judicial Council will not delay to either implement or reject the SEC suggestions. While I don't personally agree with all of the suggestions, for instance I think that the SEC recommendations makes too many cuts in the Center for Children Families & The Courts and CJER, the core concept that it is time for AOC to change its method of operation is long over due. Failing to take action and kicking the can down the road by ignoring the concept of implementing a robust business model is unwise because it lends greater credence to the destructive voices who complain that AOC has captivated the Council and holds it hostage and forces it to become not responsive. Can the Council actually say, "Oh, we need more information." "Oh, this report is stale." When will any report be other than stale? The Council has the report. The Council should act. The decision not to act is a decision. Either vote it down or start to implement it as you deem appropriate. If some of the recommendations are no longer timely, then decline to implement those that are not timely, but it is time to move forward, for justice's sake! Thank you for listening.

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