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Re: Matter of Barbara D. Underwood, Esq.

Docket No. 2024.3047

Dear Ms. Sassower:

As you know, there is pending litigation concerning allegations which are substantially similar to the material allegations of professional misconduct you have alleged here. In particular, your allegations that Barbara Underwood engaged in litigation fraud and had conflicts of interest will likely be litigated as part of your appeal to the Court of Appeals.

We have found that a judicial determination of such matters is helpful to the Committee. Accordingly, we have determined to defer further investigation at this time. Please inform us by **email** of any court decision or other event which may warrant an investigation. We will notify you if we determine, at a later date, to reactivate the investigation.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

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