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Annual Report of the Advisory Committee on the Rules of Evidence

Dear Mr. Greemore:

The Committee did not hold a formal meeting during the year since we filed our last report. The Committee's activity during the year was directed to fine-tuning a proposal to amend VRE 408. The Committee had agreed in principle on the approach to be followed at a meeting in 2011. The chair, reporter, members of the Committee and our Supreme Court liaison communicated often by email and telephone. Under the circumstances, the chair did not believe it would be productive to hold a meeting.

The Committee has not formulated an agenda for coming report year. The chair and reporter are following the efforts of other states to adopt a revision based on the recent restyle of the FRE.

We plan to meet during the coming months to determine if there are any issues of concern to any members of the committee..

Respectfully submitted,


Jerome F. O'Neill
Chair, Evidence Rules Committee