

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

**IN RE AMENDMENTS TO THE
FLORIDA PROBATE RULES**

Case No.: SC13-888

**RESPONSE OF THE
FLORIDA PROBATE RULES COMMITTEE**

Marsha G. Madorsky, Chair, Florida Probate Rules Committee (“Committee”), and John F. Harkness, Jr., Executive Director, The Florida Bar, file this response to comment received in this case. The Committee voted 22-0 in favor of this response to comment.

Mr. Trawick’s position is that the date of birth of any person is not a significant privacy matter. Florida Rule of Judicial Procedure 2.425 treats this information (date of birth) as sensitive and limits the filing of information to the year of birth. The Committee’s proposed amendments simply conform the Florida Probate Rules to the minimization requirement as the Court requested in footnote 31 of *In Re: Implementation of Committee on Privacy and Court Records Recommendations—Amendments to the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure; the Florida Rules of Judicial Administration; the Florida Probate Rules; the Florida Small Claims Rules; the Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure; and the Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure*, 78 So. 3d 1045, 1055 n. 31 (Fla. 2011).

Respectfully submitted on September 13, 2013.

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CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that this report was prepared in compliance with the font requirements of Florida Rule. Appellate Procedure 9.210(a)(2).

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