

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action:	Do Pass and Be Placed on the Consent Calendar
Vote:	8 - 0 - 2
Yeas:	Hicks, Nolan, Schaufler, Tomei, Wand, Whisnant, Barker, Krieger
Nays:	0
Exc.:	Garrett, Olson
Prepared By:	Bill Taylor, Counsel
Meeting Dates:	2/11, 2/18

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Allows for termination of the attorney-client relationship after entry of judgment or other final determination if a notice of termination is filed. Requires the attorney to sign the notice and state all services to the client have been provided.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Proper notification of termination of relationship
- Services completed

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Currently, the relationship of attorney-client may be terminated before a court enters a judgment, or final order upon the consent of the attorney filed in court, or at any time by an order of the court if the client or attorney asks the court to terminate the relationship and the court finds good and sufficient cause.