

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

FILED

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Appellate Court Clerk

IN RE: PETITION OF THE TENNESSEE)
COMMISSION ON CONTINUING LEGAL)
EDUCATION AND SPECIALIZATION)
TO AMEND TENNESSEE SUPREME)
COURT RULE 21)

No. 01S01-9803-OT-00044

ORDER

The Tennessee Commission on Continuing Legal Education and Specialization has petitioned the Court to amend Supreme Court Rule 21 to modify and expand various provisions relative to the duties of the Commission and to the methods by which CLE credit may be earned.

The proposed amendments raise issues of important public policy. In the interest of providing prompt and fair consideration of these issues, the Court solicits responses from the bar and the public. Written responses must be filed in the Appellate Court Clerk's office in Nashville, Tennessee, on or before May 29, 1998. Oral argument, if deemed appropriate, will be scheduled.

The Clerk is directed to provide a copy of this order to the media and to the petitioner. The petitioner is directed to serve this petition and order on the bar associations of this State.

It is so ORDERED this the 31st day of March, 1998.

FOR THE COURT:

E. Riley Anderson, Chief Justice