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RE: 81CSR3 (Career Progression) and 81CSR10 (Professional Standards, etc.)

Dear Ms. Cooper,

I am writing in order to formally withdraw proposed changes to the above styled rules currently pending before the Legislative Rule Making Review Committee. Those proposed changes were originally filed with your office on June 26, 1997 (Series 3), and June 18, 1997 (Series 10). The State Police desires that the rules stand as originally promulgated and effective prior to those dates.

Through a copy of this correspondence, I further request that the Legislative Rule Making Review Committee remove these rules from their agenda and that no further action be taken with respect to the proposed changes.

Sincerely,


COLONEL GARY L. EDGELL
SUPERINTENDENT

PC: Rita Pauley, Counsel, Senate Judiciary Committee
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