

State Bar of Wisconsin Plan for Publishing Notices to Members

Official Publications

| Medium | Format | Frequency | Distribution |
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| Wisconsin Lawyer magazine | Print | Monthly | Distributed by mail to all State Bar of Wisconsin members Also archived on WisBar.org |
| WisBar InsideTrack | Electronic | Twice monthly | Distribution by email to all State Bar members with email addresses (nearly 90% of members) Also archived on WisBar.org |
| WisBar.org | Electronic | As needed | New “official notices” page is a quick reference for easily locating recent supreme court notices re public hearings and final orders; also lists proposed State Ba |
| Electronic mail | Electronic | As needed | Distribution by email to all State Bar members with email addresses (nearly 90% of members) |

Publication Plan

In addition to publication of official notices as outlined below, members will be informed of such notices through a dedicated page on WisBar (www.wisbar.org/officialnotices). This page is a quick reference for locating recent official notices of Wisconsin Supreme Court orders adopting, amending, or repealing rules, statutes, or policies related to Supreme Court rules and State Bar of Wisconsin rules and bylaws.

| Rule, Bylaw, Publication Provision | Publication |
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| SCR 98.07, Supreme Court orders adopting, amending, or repealing a rule or statute. The State Bar shall provide notice of these orders. | Wisconsin Lawyer and InsideTrack |
| State Bar Rules | |

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| <p>SCR 10.05(2)(d) Board of Governors, State Bar Districts. Notice of filing, review, hearing, and adoption of a redistricting proposal under para. (c) shall be provided in 10.13(2) for amendment of bylaws.</p> | <p>InsideTrack</p> |
| <p>SCR 10.05(4)g Board of Governors, Functions. A summary of the minutes of each meeting of the board of governors shall be provided to the membership in an official state bar publication.</p> | <p>InsideTrack and WisBar news; BOG minutes also archived on WisBar.org</p> |
| <p>SCR 10.06(2) Executive Committee, Powers. A summary of the minutes of each meeting of the executive committee shall be provided to the membership in an official state bar publication.</p> | <p>Actions taken are archived on WisBar.org</p> |
| <p>SCR 10.08(9) Referendum Procedure, Publication of Question. Space shall be provided to both parties, without cost, in an official publication one month in advance of circulation of the referendum ballots.</p> | <p>Wisconsin Lawyer, InsideTrack, and WisBar news</p> |
| <p>SCR 10.09(2) Disbursements. A financial statement showing assets, liabilities, receipts and disbursements of the state bar shall be provided annually to the membership in an official state bar publication.</p> | <p>Annual audited statement published in Wisconsin Lawyer</p> |
| <p>SCR 10.13(2) Amendment of Bylaws. When any change in the bylaws has been made by the board of governors, the executive director shall publish notice of the change, including a copy of the amendatory resolution, in an official State Bar publication.</p> | <p>Wisconsin Lawyer and InsideTrack</p> |
| <p>State Bar Bylaws</p> | |
| <p>Article III Board of Governors: Section 11(d) Notice of election of ABA delegates. Notice of election for terms of delegates expiring at the close of the ABA meeting each year shall be published in an official State Bar publication pursuant to SCR 10.12.</p> | <p>InsideTrack</p> |
| <p>Article VII Amicus Curiae Briefs: Section 1 State Bar of Wisconsin Briefs (d)1. Whenever practicable, before the Board of Governors or Executive Committee votes on whether to authorize the filing of an amicus curiae brief, notice of the proposed action inviting comment and recommendations from State Bar members, shall be published pursuant to SCR 10.12 or distributed by a method designed to reach State Bar members as quickly as possible.</p> | <p><i>Note: The circumstances, including the timing of matter, will dictate the vehicle.</i></p> <p>InsideTrack, WisBar news, and/or electronic mail</p> |
| <p>Article VII Amicus Curiae Briefs: Section 2 Section and Division Briefs (e)1. Whenever practicable, before the Board of Governors or Executive Committee votes on whether to authorize the filing of an amicus curiae brief, notice of the proposed action inviting comment and recommendations from State Bar members, shall be published pursuant to SCR 10.12 or distributed by a method designed to reach State Bar members</p> | <p><i>Note: The circumstances, including the timing of matter, will dictate the vehicle.</i></p> <p>InsideTrack, WisBar news, and/or electronic mail</p> |

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| Article IX Amendment. When any change in the bylaws has been made, the Executive Director shall publish notice thereof, including a copy of the amendatory resolution, in an official publication of the State Bar pursuant to SCR 10.12. | Wisconsin Lawyer and InsideTrack |
| Other Supreme Court Rules (Lawyer Regulation System) | |
| SCR 22.23 Publication of Disposition. The supreme court's disposition of a proceeding under this chapter shall be published in an official publication of the state bar of Wisconsin. | Wisconsin Lawyer (Lawyer Discipline column) |
| SCR 22.30(3) Reinstatement Procedure. At least 30 days prior to the hearing, the OLR director shall publish a notice ... in an official publication of the state bar of Wisconsin. | Wisconsin Lawyer (Lawyer Discipline column) |
| SCR 22.40(5) Confidentiality. In order to provide guidance to the bar, the director may provide the state bar of Wisconsin a summary of facts and violations of the rules for professional conduct for attorneys in a manner in which a private reprimand has been imposed. The summary shall be published in an official publication of the state bar of Wisconsin. | Wisconsin Lawyer (public reprimands published in Lawyer Discipline summary) |

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