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Ms. Brown,

I am writing regarding the proposed changes to NRAP 3 that would eliminate briefing for the appellant who is contesting the court's grant of a motion to dismiss or motion for summary judgment. I currently have an appeal pending where my case was dismissed because our office forgot to attach the affidavit of merit to a medical malpractice case. The district court did not allow any oral argument before dismissing my client's case forever. This is a relatively simple, two-issue appeal, and yet I am grateful for the opportunity I have to address the appellate court directly to explain exactly how the lower court erred. I think it would be a mistake to deprive appellants of an opportunity to brief these issues on appeal.

I hope that my input will be considered as a decision is made on this important issue.

Thanks.



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