

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

At the Supreme Judicial Court holden at Boston within and for said Commonwealth on
the thirtieth day of January, in the year two thousand and thirteen:
present,

HON. RODERICK L. IRELAND)
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HON. FRANCIS X. SPINA)
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HON. ROBERT J. CORDY)
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HON. MARGOT BOTSFORD)
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HON. RALPH D. GANTS)
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HON. FERNANDE R.V. DUFFLY)
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HON. BARBARA A. LENK)

ORDERED: That Chapter Four of the Rules of the Supreme Judicial Court is hereby
amended as follows:

Rule 4:02: By inserting after the first sentence in section 9(b) the following
next sentence: - Notwithstanding this limitation, such in-house
counsel may provide pro bono publico legal services without
compensation or expectation of compensation as described in Rule
6.1 of the Massachusetts Rules of Professional Conduct (S.J.C.
Rule 3:07) under the auspices of either (1) an approved legal
services organization (as defined in paragraph (8)(c) above) or (2) a
lawyer admitted to practice and in good standing in the
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The amendments accomplished by this order shall take effect on March 1, 2013.

<u>RODERICK L. IRELAND</u>)	Chief Justice
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<u>FRANCIS X. SPINA</u>)	
)	Justices
<u>ROBERT J. CORDY</u>)	
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<u>MARGOT BOTSFORD</u>)	
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