

United States District Court
District of Nevada

Chambers of
Roger L. Hunt
Chief U.S. District Judge

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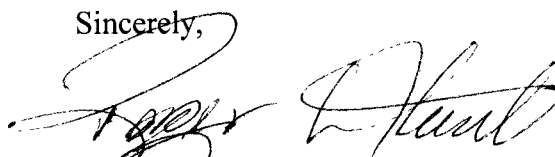
Re: Proposed Amendment to Fed. R. Civ. P. 56

Dear Mr. McCabe:

I have read Chief Judge John Sedwick's letter arguing against the creation of the proposed Rule 56(c). He has expressed my opinion exactly, but more eloquently than I can. Accordingly, I would like to incorporate his arguments and reasons herein and join with him in strongly urging against the amendment to Rule 56(c). It would only serve to increase the cost of litigation and the burden on the Court's, with no appreciable benefit.

Thank you and the Committee for your attention to my opinion and advice.

Sincerely,



Roger L. Hunt
Chief Judge, District of Nevada