

In re Article II, Rule 9(c)(1) of the Rules of :  
the Supreme Court :  
(Senior Law Students) :

**ORDER**

The petition of the Roger Williams University School of Law to amend subdivision (c)(1) of Rule 9, within Article II of the Supreme Court Rules, which subdivision is captioned, "SENIOR LAW STUDENTS," came before the Court in conference on April 18, 2012, and upon consideration thereof, the Court hereby grants the said petition and amends subdivision (c)(1) to read as follows:

**SENIOR LAW STUDENTS**

(c)(1) A senior law student in a law school accredited and approved by the American Bar Association may appear without compensation on behalf of the State (including a subdivision thereof or a municipal corporation) or on behalf of indigent parties in criminal or civil proceedings in the District Court, in the Family Court, in the Administrative Adjudication Court or its successor tribunal, in any municipal court (including probate or housing), or before any state or municipal administrative agency, board, or department, providing that the conduct of the case is under the general supervision of a member of the bar of this State who, as appropriate, is a regular or special assistant attorney general or municipality solicitor, or is employed by the Office of the Public Defender or any other State agency, or is associated with an organized and approved program providing legal services to indigents which program is either 1) funded in whole or in part by the federal government or by the Rhode Island Bar Foundation or 2) sponsored by a law school accredited and approved by the American Bar Association.

Entered as an Order of this Court this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of *April* 2012.

By Order,

\_\_\_\_\_/s/  
Suttell, C. J.

\_\_\_\_\_/s/  
Goldberg, J.

\_\_\_\_\_/s/  
Flaherty, J.

\_\_\_\_\_/s/  
Robinson, J.

\_\_\_\_\_/s/  
Indeglia, J.