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Dear Southern Utah Attorney:

As you are likely aware, the Utah Supreme Court recently approved changes to the Utah Rules of Civil Procedure, along with the creation of Rule 75. This change now makes it easier for attorneys to provide limited legal services, or unbundled legal services, to those individuals that (1) could not otherwise afford an attorney, or (2) are capable of representing themselves with a little legal coaching or assistance along the way. A copy of the new Rule 75, which takes effect April 1, 2007, is enclosed.

The unbundling of legal services allows you to assist a client with one or more aspects of a case, without being required to handle all aspects. For example, you may agree to assist with one particular hearing or motion. The client would then continue to handle all other matter(s) related to the case. The exact nature of your involvement would be spelled out in the "Notice of Limited Appearance" that you would file with the Court, signed by you and your client, to both spell out the scope of your representation, as well as to ensure that you are not inadvertently listed as "counsel of record."

The Fifth District Court has asked the Southern Utah Bar Association to compile and maintain a list of attorneys for Beaver, Iron and Washington counties that are willing to participate in this pilot program for promoting unbundled legal services. If you are willing to participate, please fill out and return the enclosed form. A master list will then be compiled and given to the court clerks. The court clerks will then distribute the list to *pro se* individuals as needed.

Rule 75 allows attorneys to reach a larger segment of the population – who would otherwise go unrepresented. The Southern Utah Bar Association strongly encourages your participation.

## UNBUNDLED LEGAL SERVICES SIGN-UP

Yes, I am willing to offer unbundled legal services. Please add me to the list.

Attorney's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Firm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Please add my name to the following unbundled list(s):

- Protective Order Hearings
- Divorce
- Criminal
- Small Claims
- General Civil Litigation
- Debt Collection
- Landlord/Tenant
- Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Attorney's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please complete and return this form by faxing it to (435) 628-3275, or mailing to:

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