### UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE COMMITTEE

#### REPORT PREPARED FOR THE DECEMBER 2, 2006 COUNCIL MEETING

#### **BUSINESS LAW SECTION**

# 1. 2006-2007 Budget Request

The Committee requests \$500 for this coming year.

## 2. Next Scheduled Meeting of the Committee

The Committee conducted a meeting on October 3, 2006. Another meeting will be scheduled for the first quarter of next year.

# 3. Council Approval

After the Committee's October 3, 2006 meeting, a request was made to the Council that the Committee be authorized to participate as amicus in a pending appeal in the Sixth Circuit on the issue of the priority of a garnishment lien vis a vis a bank's right of setoff and security interest in a deposit account.

# 4. Membership

The list of members of the Committee was updated at the end of 2005.

# 5. Accomplishments Toward Committee Objectives

I am keeping abreast of current developments which are transmitted to the Committee members and other interested parties on a periodic basis. Attached to this report are two recent articles on Article 9 issues.

#### 6. Meetings and Programs

I have suggested to ICLE the possibility of a program on troubled auto supplier issues and am awaiting ICLE's response.

#### 7. Publications

Articles on UCC topics were published in the Summer 2006 issue of the Michigan Business Law Journal.

## 8. Legislative/Judicial Administrative Developments

Nothing to report just yet.

# 9. Miscellaneous

Nothing else to report.

Respectfully submitted,

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