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Regards;

I am writing to express my interest in a Defense At-Large position with the Washington State Bar Association's Criminal Law Section.

I currently serve as criminal defense attorney at the Pierce County Department of Assigned Counsel. I have been in practice for over 10 years. I am currently assigned to the felony division. Prior to this, I was engaged in private practice which included criminal defense, as well as work with the Department of Assigned Counsel's several criminal and quasi-criminal panels. During my career, I have worked in misdemeanors, felonies and juvenile cases. My work has also included the criminal adjacent fields of involuntary treatment, dependency and civil contempt.

I believe my breadth of experience will make me a valuable member of this committee. I hope to use this to improve our practice and educate our members. Thank you for taking the time to read and review my statement.

Sincerely,

Signed,

*s/ J. R. Varo*  
Jared R. Varo  
*Attorney at Law*