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In regards to Proposal 19-11, repeal of Supreme Court Rule 23 in its entirety, I am in support of the proposal. All appellate opinions should be published and able to be cited.

As I understand it, Rule 23 was created to limit publication due to the amount of paper and storage that were required. That is no longer an issue as everything is stored electronically now. Also, it was also to be used on cases that did not seem to create any new areas of legal analysis or precedential law. However, there have been many appellate opinions designated under Rule 23 that have been granted PLA to the Illinois Supreme Court indicating that the appellate opinion was not consistent with being nonprecedential or of routine analysis.

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