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Prior to requesting en banc consideration, either sua sponte or after a party request, a judge may confer with the panel(s) on the opinion(s) in question in an attempt to better understand and resolve the differences and to verify the jurisdictional basis for en banc consideration. Requests for en banc vote shall be made by memorandum with a copy to each judge, the clerk, and the director of central staff. The memorandum shall set forth the basis of the conflict or potential conflict or describe why the case is of exceptional importance.

