

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION
OF A UNIFORM RULE GOVERNING
TELEPHONIC AND AUDIOVISUAL
PARTICIPATION IN CIVIL, CRIMINAL
AND FAMILY LAW CASES IN ALL
COURTS IN THE STATE OF NEVADA.

ADKT No. 424

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TRACIE K. LINDEMAN
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
BY *[Signature]*
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

ORDER SCHEDULING PUBLIC HEARING

On December 18, 2008, this court adopted Part IX of the Supreme Court Rules governing telephonic and audiovisual participation in the Nevada courts. This court has proposed an amendment to Rule 3, attached as Exhibit A.

The Nevada Supreme Court will conduct a public hearing on the proposed rule amendment on Tuesday, October 6, 2009, at 4:00 p.m. in the Nevada Supreme Court Courtroom, 200 Lewis Avenue, 17th Floor (Regional Justice Center), Las Vegas, Nevada. The hearing will be videoconferenced to the Nevada Supreme Court Courtroom, 201 South Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada.

The bench, bar and the public are invited to submit written comments on the proposed rule. An original and 8 copies of written comments are to be submitted to: Tracie K. Lindeman, Clerk of the Supreme Court, 201 South Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada 89701 by 5:00 p.m., October 2, 2009. Persons interested in participating in the hearing must notify the Clerk no later than October 2, 2009.

Hearing date: October 6, 2009, at 4:00 p.m.
Supreme Court Courtroom
200 Lewis Avenue, 17th Floor
Regional Justice Center
Las Vegas, Nevada

Comment deadline: October 2, 2009, at 5:00 p.m.
Supreme Court Clerk's Office
201 South Carson Street
Carson City, Nevada 89701

DATED this 17th day of June, 2009.

1 - [Signature], C.J.

cc: All District Judges
All Justices of the Peace
Bruce Beesley, President, State Bar of Nevada
Kimberly Farmer, Executive Director, State Bar of Nevada
Clark County Bar Association
Washoe County Bar Association
All City Attorneys
All District Attorneys
Legal Aid Center of Southern Nevada
Nevada Legal Services
Volunteer Attorneys for Rural Nevadans
Washoe Legal Services
State Public Defender
Washoe County Public Defender
Clark County Public Defender
Washoe County Alternative Public Defender
Clark County Special Public Defender
Federal Public Defender
Administrative Office of the Courts

ADKT 424 - Exhibit A

PART IX. RULES GOVERNING APPEARANCE BY
COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT

Rule 3. Application. This rule applies to all civil cases [~~except criminal, juvenile, and appellate proceedings~~]: The rule may apply in a criminal proceeding, providing there is a stipulation between the parties to the case to utilize the procedures set forth in the rule. This rule does not apply in appellate proceedings.

