SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of	)	Arizona Supreme Court
	)	No. R-22-0022
RULE 42 (ER 1.5), RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT	)	
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O R D E R

On January 31, 2022, Judge Christopher Staring, Chair of the Arizona Supreme Court Ethics Advisory Committee, filed a rule petition on the Committee's behalf to amend ER 1.5, Rule 42 of Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona. Petitioner also has made a request for expedited consideration of the petition under Rule 28(h)(1) of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona to permit the Court to consider this petition at its August 2022 Rules Agenda. Upon consideration,

IT IS ORDERED granting Petitioner's request for expedited consideration by this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this petition is open for public comment pursuant to Rule 28(c) of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona, with all comments due by no later than Monday, May 2, 2022, and any reply due by no later than Wednesday, June 1, 2022.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Court shall consider this petition at its August 2022 Rules Agenda.

The petition may be viewed by going to: http://www.azcourts.gov/Rules-Forum. This opens the "Welcome" page. Petitions are posted under the appropriate body of rules, for example, Rules of Criminal Procedure, which is found by scrolling down the page.

For instructions on how to post comments electronically, click on https://www.azcourts.gov/rules/Forum-FAQ at the top of the "Forum FAQ" page and then "How do I file a comment on a Rule 28 petition?"

Alternatively, commenters may submit comments by filing an original and one paper copy of the comment and one electronic copy of the written comments and supporting documents in Microsoft Word format on a CD or other compatible electronic medium with the Clerk of the Supreme Court, 1501 West Washington St., Room 402, Phoenix, AZ 85007 in an envelope marked "Rule Comment."

Any person filing a comment must send a copy of the comment to the Petitioner electronically or by ordinary mail.

DATED this 2nd day of February, 2022.

/s/
ROBERT BRUTINEL
Chief Justice

TO:

Christopher P Staring