

In the Matter of) Arizona Supreme Court
) No. R-22-0034
RULES 102, 104, 206, 218, 219,)
224, 303, 312, 326, 334, 338,)
344, 353 AND 406 OF THE RULE OF)
PROCEDURE FOR THE JUVENILE COURT)
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) **FILED 07/11/2022**

On July 6, 2022, David K. Byers, Administrative Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts ("AOC"), filed a rule petition on AOC's behalf. It proposes to amend fourteen of the Rules of Procedure for the Juvenile Court to implement four recently enacted statutes, three of which were enacted in the 2022 legislative session and are scheduled to go into effect around September 24, 2022. To ensure that the Court considers and acts on the proposed rule amendments before most of the statutes go into effect, Petitioner further requests that the petition be given expedited consideration under Rule 28(h)(1), Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona, and be adopted on an emergency basis under Rule 28(h)(2) of the same rules. Upon consideration,

IT IS ORDERED granting the request to consider this petition on an expedited basis.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that during its August 2022 Rules Agenda, the Court will consider whether to adopt the proposed rule amendments on an emergency basis. If it does, the Court will consider whether to adopt them on a permanent basis during its December 2022 Rules Agenda. If it decides not to adopt the proposed rule amendments on an emergency basis, the Court will decide whether to adopt them on a non-emergency basis during its December 2022 Rules Agenda.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this petition is opened for public comment under Rule 28(c), Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona, with all comments due no later than October 3, 2022, and any reply due no later than October 17, 2022.

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 11th day of July, 2022.

/s/
ROBERT BRUTINEL
Chief Justice

TO:

Rule 28 Distribution
David K Byers