

SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of) Arizona Supreme Court
) No. R-23-0048
RULE 5 (a) (2) RULES OF PROCEDURE)
FOR EVICTION ACTIONS)
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) **FILED:08/22/2024**
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**ORDER AMENDING RULE 5(a)(2) OF
THE RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR EVICTION ACTIONS**

A petition having been filed proposing to amend Rule 5(a)(2) of the Rules of Procedure for Eviction Actions, and no comments having been received, upon consideration,

IT IS ORDERED that Rule 5(a)(2) the Rules of Procedure for Eviction Actions, is amended in accordance with the attachment to this order, effective January 1, 2025.

DATED this 22nd _ day of August, 2024.

_____/s/
ANN A. SCOTT TIMMER
Chief Justice

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TO:

Rule 28 Distribution

Hon. Gerald A Williams, Justice of the Peace

Hon. Anna Huberman

ATTACHMENT¹

RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR EVICTION ACTIONS

Rule 5. Summons and Complaint; Issuance, Content and Service of Process

(a) [No change]

(1) [No change]

(2) The Date and time set for the trial of the matter; and that a landlord, tenant, attorney, or witness may participate at the initial hearing through telephone or video conference. Unless the court has also provided instructions for appearing virtually, a person choosing to do so ~~by must contacting~~ the court for ~~directions~~ instructions at least two hours before the hearing, to ensure the court has time to make necessary arrangements;

(3)–(5) [No change]

¹ Additions to the text of the rule are shown by underscoring and deletions are shown by ~~strike through~~.