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9 ARIZONA SUPREME COURT

10 IN RE:  
11 PETITION TO AMEND THE  
12 RULES OF THE SUPREME  
COURT OF ARIZONA: RULE 24 –  
13 JURY SELECTION


R-20-0009

MARICOPA COUNTY ATTORNEY'S  
COMMENT

14 The Maricopa County Attorney supports the overall objective of the Petition  
15 which is to eliminate improper discrimination in jury selection, but it is unclear whether  
16 this specific rule change is needed in Arizona. Therefore, if this Court determines that  
17 Arizona needs a specific, detailed rule to eliminate improper discrimination in jury  
18 selection, the Maricopa County Attorney recommends that this Court create a  
19 workgroup of stakeholders to review the issue and work together to craft the best rule  
20 for Arizona.  
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23 Respectfully submitted this 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 2020.

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