

**STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA**

At the Supreme Court of Appeals continued and held at Charleston, Kanawha County, on July 23, 2020, the following order was made and entered **in vacation**:

**RE: ADOPTION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO APPENDIX A—NOTICE OF APPEAL—OF THE RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE**

On June 15, 2020, the Court published proposed amendments to Appendix A—Notice of Appeal—of the Rules of Appellate Procedure for public comment for a period of thirty days. The Court has jurisdiction under Article VIII, §§ 1 and 3 of the West Virginia Constitution. The Court acknowledges the comment submitted by Alex A. Tsiatsos, Esq., in support of the proposed amendments.

Upon consideration, the Court is of the opinion to, and hereby does, adopt the proposed amendments to Appendix A—Notice of Appeal—of the Rules of Appellate Procedure. The amendments are set forth as follows (additions indicated by underscoring; deletions indicated by strike-throughs):

**Rules of Appellate Procedure**

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**Appendix A - Notice of Appeal**

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15. Is a transcript of proceedings necessary for the Court to fairly consider the assignments of error in the case?  YES /  No If yes, you must complete the appellate transcript request form on page ~~4 of this form~~ 5.

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**18. ATTACHMENTS**

Attach to this notice of appeal the following documents in order:

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(7) the statutory docket fee of \$200; payable by cash, money order, or check or a copy of the lower court’s granting of the application for fee waiver in this case. All checks must be made to the order of the State of West Virginia. The statutory docket fee does not apply to criminal ~~cases~~ appeals, appeals from the Worker’s Compensation Board of Review, or original jurisdiction actions.

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**SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA  
APPELLATE TRANSCRIPT REQUEST FORM**

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I hereby certify that I have contacted the court reporter and satisfactory financial arrangements for payment of the transcript have been made as follows:

Private funds. (Deposit of \$\_\_\_\_\_ enclosed with court reporter's copy. Attach documentation.)

Criminal or habeas corpus appeal with fee waiver (Attach order appointing counsel or order ~~stating defendant is eligible~~ providing fee waiver eligibility.)

Abuse ~~&~~ and neglect or delinquency appeal with fee waiver (Attach order appointing counsel.)

Advance payment waived by court reporter (Attach documentation.)

A True Copy

Attest: /s/Edythe Nash Gaiser  
Clerk of Court

