

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

On December 29, 2025, at the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia the following order was made and entered:

RE: REFUSAL TO ADOPT AMENDMENTS TO RULE 26 OF THE WEST VIRGINIA RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE, No. 25-37

On January 14, 2025, proposed amendments to Rule 26 of the West Virginia Rules of Civil Procedure were filed by Lawyers for Civil Justice.

The Court has jurisdiction of court rules under Article VIII, §§ 1 and 3 of the West Virginia Constitution. Upon consideration and review, the Court refuses to adopt the proposed changes to Rule 26 of the West Virginia Rules of Civil Procedure.

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Attest: /s/ C. Casey Forbes
Clerk of Court

