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STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN SUPREME COURT

ADM10-8049

ADM09-8009

**ORDER ESTABLISHING COMMENT PERIOD AND  
PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS  
TO THE MINNESOTA GENERAL RULES OF  
PRACTICE FOR THE DISTRICT COURTS**

On June 18, 2021, we directed the Minnesota Supreme Court Advisory Committee on the Rules of Criminal Procedure to review Rule 4.02(d)–(e) of the General Rules of Practice for the District Courts and consider whether the requirements set forth in that rule for audio and video coverage of criminal proceedings should be modified or expanded. In re the Minnesota Supreme Court Advisory Committee on the Rules of Criminal Procedure, ADM10-8049, Order at 3 (Minn. filed June 18, 2021). The committee filed its report and recommendations on June 30, 2022, recommending amendments to Minn. Gen. R. Prac. 4.01, 4.02(d)–(e). The committee’s report with the proposed amendments is available on the public access site for the Minnesota Appellate Courts, under case number ADM10-8049 – *Report and Proposed Amendments to the Minnesota Rules* (filed June 30, 2022).

The court will consider the proposed amendments to the General Rules of Practice for the District Courts after providing a period for public comment and reviewing any comments on the proposed amendments.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Any person or organization wishing to provide written comments in support of or in opposition to the amendments proposed to Rules 4.01, 4.02(d)–(e) of the General Rules of Practice for the District Courts, shall file those comments with the Clerk of the Appellate Courts, using the appellate courts’ e-filing application, E-MACS, if required to do so. *See* Minn. R. Civ. App. P. 125.01(a). All comments shall be filed so as to be received by the Clerk’s office no later than August 31, 2022.

2. A hearing will be held before this court to consider the proposed amendments to Rules 4.01, 4.02(d)–(e) of the General Rules of Practice for the District Courts. The hearing will take place in the Supreme Court Courtroom, State Capitol, Saint Paul, Minnesota, on September 20, 2022, at 10 a.m. Any person or organization who wishes to make a presentation at the hearing in support of or in opposition to the proposed amendments to these rules shall file a request to so appear along with one copy of the material to be presented with the Clerk of the Appellate Courts, using the appellate courts’ e-filing application, E-MACS, if required to do so. *See* Minn. R. Civ. App. P. 125.01(a). All requests and accompanying materials shall be filed so as to be received by the Clerk’s office no later than August 31, 2022.

Dated: July 6, 2022

BY THE COURT:



Lorie S. Gildea  
Chief Justice