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ORDER ADOPTING AMENDMENTS TO RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE

Rules 41 and 42 of the North Carolina Rules of Appellate Procedure, 287 N.C. 671, are hereby amended to read as in the following pages. Rule 41 is added, and former Rule 41 is renumbered Rule 42. The amendments shall be effective 15 March 1994, and Rule 41 shall apply to all appeals docketed in the Court of Appeals on or after that date.

Adopted by the Court in conference this 3rd day of March 1994. These amendments shall be promulgated by publication in the Advance Sheets of the Supreme Court and the Court of Appeals.

> s/Parker, J. PARKER, J. For the Court

WITNESS my hand and the Seal of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, this the 8th day of March 1994.

s/Christie Speir Cameron CHRISTIE SPEIR CAMERON Clerk of the Supreme Court

AMENDMENTS TO RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE

Rule 41

APPEAL INFORMATION STATEMENT

(a) The Court of Appeals has adopted an APPEAL INFORMA-TION STATEMENT which will be revised from time to time. The purpose of the APPEAL INFORMATION STATEMENT is to provide the Court the substance of an appeal and the information needed by the Court for effective case management.

(b) Each appellant shall complete, file and serve the APPEAL INFORMATION STATEMENT as set out in this Rule.

- (1) The Clerk of the Court of Appeals shall furnish an AP-PEAL INFORMATION STATEMENT form to all parties to the appeal when the record on appeal is docketed in the Court of Appeals.
- (2) Each appellant shall complete and file the APPEAL INFORMATION STATEMENT with the Clerk of the Court of Appeals at or before the time his or her appellant's brief is due and shall serve a copy of the statement upon all other parties to the appeal pursuant to Rule 26. The APPEAL INFORMATION STATEMENT may be filed by mail addressed to the clerk and, if first class mail is utilized, is deemed filed on the date of mailing as evidenced by the proof of service.
- (3) If any party to the appeal concludes that the APPEAL INFORMATION STATEMENT is in any way inaccurate or incomplete, that party may file with the Court of Appeals a written statement setting out additions or corrections within 7 days of the service of the APPEAL INFORMATION STATEMENT and shall serve a copy of the written statement upon all other parties to the appeal pursuant to Rule 26. The written statement may be filed by mail addressed to the clerk and, if first class mail is utilized, is deemed filed on the date of mailing as evidenced by the proof of service.

ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY

Adopted: 3 March 1994.

Effective 15 March 1994 for all appeals docketed in the Court of Appeals on or after 15 March 1994.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE

Rule 42

TITLE

The title of these rules is "North Carolina Rules of Appellate Procedure." They may be so cited either in general references or in reference to particular rules. In reference to particular rules the abbreviated form of citation, "App. R. _____," is also appropriate.

ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY

Adopted: 13 June 1975. Amended: 3 March 1994-renumbered-effective 15 March 1994.