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## **Supreme Court Amends Rules for Names of Law Firms**

The Supreme Court has adopted [amendments](#) to the Rules of Professional Conduct removing the requirement that law firm names include the name of a lawyer and describe the nature of the firm's legal practice.

The Court, however, retained the requirement that a law firm trade name must not be “misleading, comparative, or suggestive of the ability to retain results.”

The Court took its action based on a review of the Rules of Professional Conduct and Court Rules in order to ensure compliance with constitutional principles. The amendments were adopted on Sept. 9.

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