NOTICE TO THE BAR

PROPOSAL TO REMOVE CIVIL AND FAMILY ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FORMS FROM THE APPENDICES TO THE COURT RULES

The Supreme Court Civil Practice and Family Practice Committees propose to remove Appendices XII-F through XII-I from the Rules of Court. The Practice Committees also propose conforming rule amendments to remove references to the listed Appendices in Rules 4:52-1(a), 4:67-2(a), and 4:83-1.

The four form orders, which were promulgated by Directive #16-05 and Directive #8-08, would remain in effect. Current versions of the Order to Show Cause forms would remain available on the Judiciary's public website, njcourts.gov.

Consistent with the process for amending other Judiciary forms, future revisions to the Order to Show Cause forms would be promulgated by Administrative Directive and notice to the bar.

The forms are as follows: Appendix XII-F, "Order to Show Cause – Summary Action, Family Part (R. 5:4-3(b))"; Appendix XII-G, "Order to Show Cause – Preliminary Injunction (R. 4:52)"; Appendix XII-H, "Order to Show Cause with Temporary Restraints (R. 4:52)"; and Appendix XII-I, "Order to Show Cause – Summary Action, Probate Part (R. 4:83-1)."

Comments on the proposed removal of Appendices XII-F through XII-I from the Rules of Court should be submitted in writing by May 10, 2019 to:

Glenn A. Grant, J.A.D.
Acting Administrative Director of the Courts
Attn: Comments – Removal of Appendices XII-F through XII-I
Hughes Justice Complex, P.O. Box 037
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Comments may also be submitted by email to: Comments.Mailbox@njcourts.gov.

The Supreme Court will not consider comments submitted anonymously. Thus, those submitting comments by mail should include their name and address and those submitting comments by email should include their name and email address. Comments submitted in response to this notice are subject to public disclosure.

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Acting Administrative Director of the Courts

Dated: April 9, 2019