

NOTICE TO THE BAR

CIVIL – DIRECTIVES WITH TECHNICAL CHANGES

This is a follow up to the June 26, 2017 Notice to the Bar regarding the Judiciary's review of its Administrative Directives affecting the Civil Division, which set forth a list of rescinded Administrative Directives. In the ongoing effort to maintain current and relevant policies and procedures, the Judiciary continues its review of the Administrative Directives affecting the Civil Division. As a result of that review, the Civil-related Directives have been categorized as follows: (a) Directives Requiring No Revision and remaining in effect as issued; (b) Rescinded Directives; (c) Directives with Technical Revisions; (d) Directives Containing Substantive Changes proposed by the Conferences of Civil Presiding Judges and Civil Division Managers; and (e) Directives Pending Revisions (these directives will require further updates, to be developed and issued at a later time).

This Notice addresses the third category referenced above, that is, those Civil-related Directives that have undergone technical revisions. These Directives are now being reissued with new numbers as Superseding Directives. The Directives referenced in this Notice are located at: <http://www.njcourts.gov/attorneys/directives.html>.

Superseding Directive #26-17

#01-95 Recording of Judgments as Statewide Liens - Judgment Recording Fee

References to the \$25.00 filing fee for recording a judgment as a lien on the Civil Judgment and Order docket have been changed to reflect the updated filing fee of \$35.00 pursuant to Rule 1:43. The judgment recording fee becomes a permissible taxed cost at the time of payment and filing. Paragraph C was revised to state that the \$35.00 fee may be included in the computation of allowable costs when the request is made simultaneously with or subsequent to the recording of the judgment.

Superseding Directive #27-17

#02-09 Election-Related Applications - Filings Fees, Docket Numbers, Records

The fees contained in the original Directive have been updated pursuant to Rule 1:43.

Questions regarding these Directives may be directed to the Civil Practice Division of the Administrative Office of the Courts at PO Box 981, Trenton, NJ 08625-0981.

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