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ORDER

IN RE THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE MONTANA UNIFORM DISTRICT COURT RULES

The members of the Uniform District Court Rules Commission have submitted proposed amendments to the Uniform District Court Rules to the Court for its consideration. After consideration of the proposed amendments, the Court has determined that the bench and bar of the State of Montana should be provided an opportunity to comment thereon.

The proposed amendments consist of changes throughout the Rules, including the incorporation of Rule 6 into Rule 2, changes to Rule 3, and a substantial addition to Rule 16. The proposed amendments to the Rules are attached to this Order. Language proposed to be stricken from the Rules is interlineated, and language proposed to be added is underlined.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that all members of the bench and bar of Montana and any other interested persons are granted 60 days from the date of this order in which to file with the Clerk of this Court appropriate comments and/or suggestions to the attached 2019 Proposed Amendments to the Uniform District Court Rules.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the 2019 Proposed Amendments to the Uniform District Court Rules in their entirety shall be posted on the websites of the Montana State Law Library and the State Bar of Montana. The State Bar of Montana is further requested to give notice of this Order and of its website posting of the Proposed Revisions in the next available issue of *The Montana Lawyer*.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court shall post this Order with attached proposed amendments on the Court's website and shall provide copies of such to the State Bar of Montana, and shall provide to each District Court Judge and each Clerk of the District Court a copy of this Order with attached proposed amendments with a request that each Clerk of the District Court make the Order available for public review in the Office of the Clerk of the District Court.

DATED this 13 day of June, 2019.

For the Court,