Title 231—RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE

PART I. GENERAL

[231 PA. CODE CH. 1930]

Amendments to the Rules of Civil Procedure Relating to Domestic Relations; No. 379 Civil Procedural Rules; Doc. No. 5

Order

Per Curiam:

And Now, this 17th day of December, 2002, new Pennsylvania Rule of Civil Procedure 1931 is promulgated as follows.

This order shall be processed in accordance with Pa.R.J.A. 103(b) and shall be effective immediately in the First, Fifth, Twenty-third and Forty-fifth Judicial Districts. This order is suspended in all other judicial districts until further order of this Court.

Annex A

TITLE 231. RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE PART I. GENERAL

CHAPTER 1930. RULES RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS MATTERS GENERALLY

Rule 1931. Family Court Rules.

- (a) Actions Governed by These Rules:
- (1) Divorce, Annulment, Dissolution of Marriage.
- (i) Equitable Distribution.
- (ii) Alimony/Alimony Pendente Lite.
- (iii) Counsel Fees, Costs and Expenses.
- (2) Child Custody.
- (i) Legal Custody.
- (ii) Physical Custody.
- (iii) Partial Custody/Visitation.
- (3) Support.
- (i) Child Support.
- (ii) Spousal Support.
- (iii) Modification and Enforcement.
- (4) Paternity.
- (5) Protection From Abuse.
- (b) Commencement of Action.
- (1) *Unified Family Court Docketing.* All actions under these Family Court Rules which involve identical parties shall be entered on the court's docket under the same primary case number. Additional letters or numbers may be added parenthetically to specify the type of action, judge assigned or other identifying information.
- (2) Custody Agreements. If, at a support proceeding, it appears that resolution of custody issues will facilitate compliance with the child support order, the conference officer, hearing officer or master may provide the parties with a form custody complaint and form custody agreement, along with information as to where to file the completed documents, the filing fee and how to contact

the lawyers referral service. The support conference officer, hearing officer or master shall not participate in custody negotiations, preparation of the forms or provide legal advice.

- (c) Consolidation of Family Court Matters.
- (1) General Rule. Two or more actions under these Family Court Rules involving the same parties and common questions of law and/or fact shall be consolidated for hearing or trial unless the court determines that it is inappropriate or impractical to do so.
- (2) Trial Continuity. Trials before a judge or hearings before a master shall be scheduled to be heard on consecutive days or within a ten (10) day period. If not completed within the time allotted, the trial or hearing shall be concluded within ninety (90) days of the date of the commencement of the trial or hearing, unless a shorter time frame is required by statute or another procedural rule.
 - (3) Prompt Decisions.
- (i) Except as provided in subdivision (ii) below, in any matter brought under these Family Court Rules, a decision by a conference officer, master or judge shall be entered, filed and served upon counsel for the parties, or any party not represented by counsel, not later than thirty (30) days after the conference, hearing or trial concludes, unless a shorter time frame is required by statute or another procedural rule.
- (ii) The time for entering and filing a decision may be extended if, within thirty (30) days of the conclusion of the conference, hearing or trial, the court extends the date for such decision by order entered of record showing good cause for the extension. In no event shall an extension delay entry of the decision more than sixty (60) days after the conclusion of the conference, hearing or trial.
 - (d) Continuing Education for Family Court Personnel.
- (1) *Program Development.* Courses of instruction that include, at a minimum, the following topics shall be developed or approved by the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts (AOPC):
- (i) The substantive law and procedural aspects of the areas of law governed by these Family Court Rules;
 - (ii) Domestic violence:
 - (iii) Child development;
 - (iv) Family dynamics;
 - (v) Addictions and treatments;
 - (vi) Asset valuation;
 - (vii) Community resources.
- (2) Initial Training. Within one (1) year of assignment to cases governed by these Family Court Rules, each master, hearing officer, conciliator, mediator and other court personnel designated by the president or administrative judge of each judicial district shall successfully complete the coursework developed or approved by the AOPC.
- (3) Continuing Education. Each master, hearing officer, conciliator, mediator and other court personnel designated by the president or administrative judge who is assigned to cases governed by these Family Court Rules shall successfully complete six (6) hours of continuing educa-

tion developed or approved by the AOPC each calendar year following the calendar year in which the initial training was completed.

(4) *Compliance.* The AOPC shall monitor compliance with the educational requirements of this rule.

Explanatory Comment 2002

This new rule is suspended in all judicial districts except the First (Philadelphia), Fifth (Allegheny County), Twenty-third (Berks County) and Forty-fifth (Lackawanna County) Judicial Districts until further order of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

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Title 255—LOCAL COURT RULES

BUCKS COUNTY

Rules of Judicial Administration 5000.7 and 5000.2(h)

And Now, this 19th day of December, 2002, it is hereby Ordered and Decreed that the Order entered September 13, 2002 is suspended indefinitely, pending further Order of the Court.

By the Court

R. BARRY MCANDREWS, President Judge

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 03-3. Filed for public inspection January 3, 2003, 9:00 a.m.]

CARBON COUNTY

Amendment of Local Rule of Civil Procedure L1915.4-1; No. 01-1115

Amended Administrative Order 16-2002

And Now, this 16th day of December, 2002, in order to streamline the procedure and provide efficient and consistent filing procedures, it is hereby

Ordered and Decreed that effective January 1, 2003, the Carbon County Court of Common Pleas hereby Amends Local Rule of Civil Procedure L1915.4-1 governing Alternative Hearing Procedures for Partial Custody or Visitation Cases.

The Carbon County District Court Administrator is *Ordered* and *Directed* to do the following:

- 1. File seven (7) certified copies of this Administrative Order with the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts.
- 2. File two (2) certified copies and one (1) diskette with the Legislative Reference Bureau for publication in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*.
- 3. File one (1) certified copy with the Pennsylvania Civil Procedural Rules Committee.
- 4. Forward one (1) copy for publication in the *Carbon County Law Journal*.

- 5. Forward one (1) copy to the Carbon County Law Library.
- 6. Keep continuously available for public inspection a copy of the Order in the Prothonotary's Office.

By the Court

RICHARD W. WEBB, President Judge

Rule L1915.4-1—Alternative Hearing Procedures for Partial Custody or Visitation Cases

- 1. Upon the filing of any claim for partial custody or visitation, the moving party shall deposit with the Prothonotary the sum of \$300.00 unless excused by the Court.
- 2. All actions commenced under these rules shall be scheduled for an initial conference. The initial conference shall be held to focus on issues of fact and law and to explore the possibility of a negotiated settlement and consent order.
- 3. A continuance of the initial conference may be granted by the Court upon good cause shown.
- 4. If the parties agree on a custodial arrangement, two hundred dollars shall be refunded to the depositing party and a consent order shall be entered in substantially the same form as set forth in "Form A" following Carbon County Local Rule L1915.7.
- 5. If the parties are unable to agree, the hearing officer shall immediately schedule a hearing.
- 6. The moving party shall be responsible to secure the services/attendance of an outside court reporter for said hearing and shall be responsible for the payment of said outside court reporter unless the Court places the payment responsibility on the other party.
- 7. Within 10 days of the conclusion of the hearing, the hearing officer shall file and serve a copy upon all parties a report stating the reasons for the recommendation along with a proposed order including a specific schedule of partial custody or visitation.
- 8. If exceptions are filed, no exceptions shall be argued before the Court unless written briefs have been filed. The moving party shall file three (3) copies of a brief and exceptions with the Prothonotary's Office no later than ten (10) days after filing of the hearing officer's report, and forthwith serve one (1) copy of the brief upon each adverse party or counsel of record. Each adverse party or his counsel of record shall file in the appropriate filing office three (3) copies of a brief in answer, not later than five (5) days after receipt of moving party's brief and forthwith serve a copy thereof upon all opposing parties or their counsel of record. All briefs shall be prepared in conformity with Local Rule L210. Transcription of the proceedings shall be filed of record by the party raising the objections. The cost of transcription shall be borne by the party filing the original exceptions unless otherwise ordered by the Court.
- 9. Argument shall be held within 45 days of the date that the last party files exceptions.
- 10. In all custody proceedings where the interests of children under the age of eighteen (18) are involved, the parties shall attend and complete one 4-hour session

entitled "Education Program for Divided Families," referred to in these local rules as "Program."

- 11. In all custody proceedings, each complaint or petition shall be in compliance with Local Rule L206.1 or Local Rule L205.3.
- 12. At the time of the filing of the Complaint/Petition, the attorney and/or unrepresented party shall attach to the Complaint/Petition and provide all parties with the Court Order requiring attendance at the Program as set forth in Exhibit "1," a registration form, and Program description.
- 13. The parties shall register BY MAIL for the Program within fifteen (15) days after he or she is served with the Court Order. NO RESERVATIONS WILL BE TAKEN OVER THE TELEPHONE.
- 14. Every party shall attend the Program within sixty (60) days from the date of the Order requiring attendance. Any request for an extension of time to complete the Program shall be made to the Court.
- 15. The fee for the Program is \$35.00 per party and must be submitted with the registration form. Certified check or money order will be accepted for payment. Checks and money orders shall be made payable to the Kathryn James. NOTE: NO PERSONAL CHECKS OR CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED. NO REFUNDS GIVEN.
- 16. No final hearing shall be held or final order entered until all parties have attended and completed the Program, except by leave of Court. Refusal of the non-moving party to attend the Program shall be considered good cause by the Court. Failure to comply with the Order may result in the dismissal of the action, striking of pleadings, or other appropriate action, including sanctions for contempt.
- 17. Upon filing of the Certificate of Completion, the Prothonotary shall provide a copy to Court Administration.
- 18. Copies of this Rule, Program Registration Form, and Program Description shall be available in the Prothonotary's Office of the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon County.

Exhibit "1"

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CARBON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CIVIL ACTION—LAW

vs. : NO.

: CUSTODY ACTION

ORDER OF COURT

You are ORDERED to attend a program entitled "Education Program for Divided Families" in connection with the above-captioned custody action. You must register for the Program using the registration form attached within fifteen (15) days of the date that you receive this Order. Further, you must attend and complete the Program within sixty (60) days from the date of this Order.

FAILURE TO ATTEND AND COMPLETE THE PROGRAM IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE INSTRUCTIONS ATTACHED TO THIS ORDER WILL BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE COURT AND MAY RESULT IN A FINDING OF CONTEMPT AND THE IMPOSITION OF SANCTIONS BY THE COURT.

No final hearing shall be held or final order entered where there are children under the age of eighteen (18) until all parties have attended the Program or by leave of Court. YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE, GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW TO FIND OUT WHERE YOU CAN GET LEGAL HELP.

North Penn Legal Services 122-124 Iron Street Lehighton, PA 18235 (610) 377-5400 www.northpennlegal.org

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT OF 1990

The Court of Common Pleas of Carbon County is required by law to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. For information about accessible facilities and reasonable accommodations available to disabled individuals having business before the Court, please contact the District Court Administrator's Office at (570) 325-8556. All arrangements must be made at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to any hearing or business before the Court. You must attend the scheduled Program.

BY THE COURT:

DATED: __

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EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR DIVIDED FAMILIES

In cases involving custody of minor children, mandatory attendance at one 4-hour session entitled "Education Program for Divided Families" is required. MINOR CHILDREN SHALL NOT BE BROUGHT TO THE PROGRAM.

PROGRAM CONTENT

The Program focuses on the impact of divorce on parents and children, with an emphasis on fostering a child's emotional health and well being during the periods of stress. The program is informative, supportive, and directs people desiring additional information or help to appropriate resources.

The Program addresses the following items:

- A. Impact of Divorce on Parents and Children: tasks adults face; tasks children face; common reactions of children of different ages; and don'ts of parenting.
- B. Identifying and dealing with feelings such as anger toward your children, from your children, and toward your ex-spouse, as well as the healing process.
- C. Open Discussion: explaining divorce, visitation problems, new relationships, parents at war with co-parent, etc.

WHO

Kathryn M. James Masters In Education Family Living Educator P. O. Box 184 Brodheadsville, PA 18322 Telephone: (570) 992-2027

WHEN

The Program is offered every month on one (1) Saturday from 9:00 A.M. until 1:00 P.M.

WHERE

The Program will be presented at the Carbon County Conservation District building located at 5664 Interchange Road, Lehighton, PA 18235 (located next to the Pennsylvania State Police Barracks on Route 209 North—

building is between Gensis Day Care and the PA State Police Barracks). Directions: From the south (Palmerton, Lehighton), take 209 North (about 5 miles past the Turnpike entrance); From the northwest (Jim Thorpe, Lansford, Summit Hill) take 209 North; and from the north (Weatherly, Beaver Meadows) take 93 South to 209 North

ATTENDANCE

Attendance at the Program is required of parties in a custody case where the interests of children under the age of eighteen (18) years are involved and is ordered by the Court. Additional interested persons may attend the seminar upon prior approval of the provider with the payment of ten (\$10.00) dollars.

PRESENTERS

A qualified counselor selected by the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon County will present the program.

NOTIFICATION

A copy of the Order requiring the parties to attend the Program, a Registration Form, and Program Description will be provided to the parties by the Attorney or unrepresented party upon filing of a custody action.

FEES

A fee of \$35.00 per party is required and will be used to cover all program costs. The fee must be submitted with the registration form directly to the Provider. Certified check or money order will be accepted as payment. NO PERSONAL CHECKS OR CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED. NO REFUNDS GIVEN.

REGISTRATION

Register by MAIL, only. The provider must receive the registration form and program fee at least seven (7) days prior to the selected date. Each party shall attend the Program without further notification by the Court. Any changes in scheduling must be arranged through the provider.

VERIFICATION OF ATTENDANCE

Upon presentation of photo identification, the provider will record the party as "present" and shall provide to the Prothonotary of Carbon County a Certificate of Completion, which shall be filed of record. The Provider will give a Certificate of Attendance to each person who successfully completes the Program.

EVALUATION

Each participant shall complete a written evaluation of the Program upon the conclusion of the session. Said evaluation forms shall be presented to the Court upon request.

> Kathryn M. James Masters In Education Family Living Educator P. O. Box 184 Brodheadsville, PA 18322 Telephone: (570) 992-2027

REGISTER BY MAIL, ONLY: Choose the date you want to attend, complete the attached form, and send it with your certified check or bank money order payable to Kathryn James to:

Kathryn M. James P. O. Box 184 Brodheadsville, PA 18322 If you have any questions regarding the program or scheduling, call: (570) 992-2027.

2001 Registration Form—Education Program for Divided Families Carbon County, Pennsylvania

The Program is held at the Carbon County Conservation District building located at 5664 Interchange Road, Lehighton, PA 18235 (located next to the Pennsylvania State Police Barracks on Route 209 North—building is between Gensis Day Care and the PA State Police Barracks).

You are required to attend one 4-hour Saturday session. The cost of the Program is \$35.00 per party.

Other guests can attend for an additional \$10.00 fee.

Photo identification is required.

Parking is available on site.

Register at least seven (7) days prior to the date you want. IF TEN (10) PARTICIPANTS ARE NOT REGISTERED, THE CLASS WILL BE CANCELLED AND YOU WILL NEED TO RE-SCHEDULE. CONFIRMATIONS ARE NOT SENT. Come to the program you choose, unless notified that the class is full. Class may be cancelled due to bad weather. You will be informed of this cancellation by telephone and given a new class date. Class dates are subject to change.

If you cannot attend the class you registered and paid for, you must call Kathryn James at (570) 992-2027 to let her know of the change in plans. If the cancellation is made a week prior to the scheduled date, you may attend the next scheduled class at no additional charge. IF NO NOTICE OF CANCELLATION IS GIVEN OR IT IS NOT MADE ONE WEEK PRIOR TO CLASS, YOU MUST PAY AN ADDITIONAL \$10.00 TO TAKE THE NEXT CLASS.

Children SHALL NOT be brought to the Program.

Please be prompt. Latecomers are not admitted and must reschedule.

In case of a snowstorm, listen to the radio and/or television for cancellations—WYNS 11.60 A.M., WLSH 14.10 A.M., or TV WYOU-News 22. Call (570) 992-2027 to reschedule.

Number MUS	mber: of custody case T be filled in for attendance credit ty of jurisdiction:	t. Please
Your Name:		
Guest:	(Name and Relationship to Child)	
Your Address:		
City:	State: Zip: _	
Telephone Number:	(Home) (W	ork)

SATURDAYS-9:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.

Jan. 4, 2003	
Feb. 1, 2003	
March 1, 2003	
April 5, 2003	
May 3, 2003	
June 7, 2003	
July 5, 2003	
August 2, 2003	
Sept. 6, 2003	
Oct. 4, 2003	
Nov. 1, 2003	
Dec. 6, 2003	

Send completed registration form and fee by certified check or money order payable to Kathryn James to:

> Kathryn M. James P. O. Box 184 Brodheadsville, PA 18322 Telephone: (570) 992-2027

NO PERSONAL CHECKS OR CASH WILL BE AC-CEPTED. NO REFUNDS GIVEN.

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 03-4. Filed for public inspection January 3, 2003, 9:00 a.m.]

CARBON COUNTY

Magisterial District 56-3-01 and Magisterial District 56-3-03; No. 00-0351 and 056MI00

Administrative Order No. 17-2002

And Now, this 18th day of December, 2002, in order to promote the efficiency of case dispositions in Magisterial District 56-3-01 and more equitably distribute the caseload in the Magisterial Districts 56-3-01 and 56-3-03 and pursuant to Rule 21(d) of the Pennsylvania Rules of Criminal Procedure, it is hereby

Ordered and Decreed, that effective immediately, the Court temporarily assigns the following classes of cases arising within the District Justice jurisdiction of Mahoning Township-Traffic, Non-Traffic Summaries, and Private Criminal-to Magisterial District 56-3-03 until further Order of this Court, but only on condition that the District Justice of Magisterial District 56-3-03 waive any right to additional compensation under 42 Pa.C.S.A., Section 4122, or otherwise.

The Carbon County District Court Administrator is Ordered and Directed to do the following:

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- 3. File one (1) certified copy with the Pennsylvania Civil Procedural Rules Committee.
- 4. File one (1) certified copy with the Pennsylvania Criminal Procedural Rules Committee.
- 5. Forward one (1) copy for publication in the Carbon County Law Journal.
- 6. Forward one (1) copy to the Carbon County Law

7. Keep continuously available for public inspection copies of the Order in the Prothonotary's Office and Clerk of Courts' Office.

By the Court

RICHARD W. WEBB. President Judge

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 03-5. Filed for public inspection January 3, 2003, 9:00 a.m.]

SUPREME COURT

Reestablishment of the Magisterial Districts within the 38th Judicial District of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; No. 178 Magisterial Doc. No. 1

Amended Order

Per Curiam:

And Now, this 16th day of December, 2002, upon consideration of the Petition to Reestablish the Magisterial Districts of the 38th Judicial District (Montgomery County) of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, it is hereby Ordered and Decreed that the Petition, which provides for the realignment of Magisterial Districts 38-1-04, 38-1-05, 38-1-08, 38-1-13, 38-1-17, 38-1-18, 38-1-19, 38-1-20, 38-1-23, 38-1-24, 38-1-28, 38-2-02, and 38-2-03, within Montgomery County, to be effective January 6, 2003, is granted; and that the Petition, which provides for the realignment of Magisterial Districts 38-1-06, 38-1-07, 38-1-14, 38-1-22, and 38-2-01, within Montgomery County, to be effective January 5, 2004, is granted; and that the Petition, which provides for the elimination of Magisterial District 38-2-01, within Montgomery County, to be effective January 5, 2004, is granted; and that the Petition, which provides for the addition of Magisterial District 38-2-04, within Montgomery County, to be effective January 5, 2004, is granted; and that the Petition, which also provides for the reestablishment of Magisterial Districts 38-1-01, 38-1-02, 38-1-03, 38-1-09, 38-1-10, 38-1-11, 38-1-12, 38-1-15, 38-1-16, 38-1-21 and 38-1-25, within Montgomery County, as they currently exist, to be effective immediately, is granted. The newly created vacancy in Magisterial District 38-2-04 shall be filled in the 2003 municipal election.

Said Magisterial Districts shall be as follows:

Magisterial District 38-1-01 East Norriton Township District Justice Ester J. Casillo

West Norriton Township

Magisterial District 38-1-02 **District Justice Michael** Richman

Jenkintown Borough Cheltenham Township (Voting Districts 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-4, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3, 7-1, 7-2 & 7-3)

Magisterial District 38-1-03 District Justice Loretta A. Leader

Cheltenham Township (Voting Districts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-4, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 4-1, 4-2, 4-3 & 4-4)

Magisterial District 38-1-04 District Justice Joseph H. Dougherty

Rockledge Borough Abington Township (Voting Districts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 2-1, 2-2, 5-1, 5-2, 8-1, 8-2, 10-1, 10-2, 10-3, 11-2, 14-1, 14-2, 15-1 & 15-2)

Magisterial District 38-1-05 District Justice Juanita Price	Abington Township (Voting Districts 2-3, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 4-1, 4-2, 6-1, 6-2, 7-1, 7-2, 7-3, 9-1, 9-2, 11-1, 11-3, 12-1, 12-2, 12-3, 13-1, 13-2 & 13-3)	Magisterial District 38-1-19 District Justice Walter F. Gadzicki, Jr.	Royersford Borough Limerick Township Upper Providence Township (Voting Districts Mingo 1, 2, Trappe & Mont Clare)	
Magisterial District 38-1-06 District Justice Henry H. Schireson	Lower Merion Township (Voting Districts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3, 9-2, 9-3 & 11-3)	Magisterial District 38-1-20 District Justice Benjamin R. Crahalla	Collegeville Borough Trappe Borough Lower Providence Township Upper Providence Township (Voting District Oaks)	
Magisterial District 38-1-07 District Justice Kathleen M. Valentine	(Voting Districts 4-1, 4-2, 4-3, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 8-2, 8-4,	Magisterial District 38-1-21 District Justice John S. Murray, III	North Wales Borough Lower Gwynedd Township Upper Gwynedd Township Whitpain Township	
Magisterial District 38-1-08 District Justice William R. Householder	10-1,10-2, 10-3, 11-1 & 11-2) Springfield Township	Magisterial District 38-1-22 District Justice Harry J. Nesbitt, III	Horsham Township (Voting Districts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-4, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4 & 2-5)	
Magisterial District 38-1-09 District Justice William I. Maruszczak	West Conshohocken Borough Upper Merion Township (Voting Districts Gulph 1, 2, King 1, 2, Roberts, Swedeland & Swedesburg)	Magisterial District 38-1-23 District Justice Deborah A. Lukens	Conshohocken Borough (Voting Districts 2, 3, 5, 7) Whitemarsh Township	
		Magisterial District 38-1-24 District Justice Albert J. Augustine	Schwenksville Borough Lower Salford Township Perkiomen Township	
Magisterial District 38-1-10 District Justice Patricia Zaffarano	Ambler Borough Upper Dublin Township	_	Skippack Township Worcester Township	
Magisterial District 38-1-11 District Justice Thomas A. Palladino	Pottstown Borough (Voting Districts 1-1, 2-1, 2-2, 3-1, 3-2 & 4) Upper Pottsgrove Township	Magisterial District 38-1-25 District Justice John L. Kowal	Bridgeport Borough Upper Merion Township (Voting Districts Belmont 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & Candlebrook 1 & 2)	
Magisterial District 38-1-12 District Justice John J.	West Pottsgrove Township Pottstown Borough (Voting Districts 1-2, 5, 6 &	Magisterial District 38-1-28 District Justice Harold Borek	Lansdale Borough Towamencin Township	
Durkin	7) Lower Pottsgrove Township	Magisterial District 38-2-02 District Justice Catherine	East Greenville Borough Green Lane Borough Pennsburg Borough Red Hill Borough Marlborough Township Salford Township Upper Hanover Township Upper Salford Township	
Magisterial District 38-1-13 District Justice Francis Bernhardt	Conshohocken Borough (Voting Districts 1, 4 & 6) Plymouth Township	M. Hummel Fried		
Magisterial District 38-1-14 District Justice Paul N. Leo	Hatboro Borough Horsham Township (Voting Districts 3-1, 3-2,			
	3-3, 3-4 & 3-5) Upper Moreland Township (Voting Districts 2-1, 2-2, 3-2, 5-1, 5-2, 7-1 & 7-2)	Magisterial District 38-2-03 District Justice Dorothy Skerchock	Douglass Township Lower Frederick Township New Hanover Township Upper Frederick Township	
Magisterial District 38-1-15 District Justice Francis J. Lawrence, Jr.	Norristown Borough (Voting Districts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 2-1, 2-2 & 3-1)	Magisterial District 38-2-04 District Justice To be Determined	Lower Merion Township (Voting Districts 7-1, 7-2, 7-3, 8-1, 8-3, 9-1, 12-1, 12-2,12-3, 13-1, 13-2, 13-3, 14-1, 14-2 & 14-3)	
Magisterial District 38-1-16 District Justice Robert	Norristown Borough (Voting Districts 2-3, 3-2,	15 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		
Magisterial District 38-1-17 District Justice Kenneth Deatelhauser Hatfie Soude Telfore	latfield Borough	Magisterial District 38-2-08 District Justice Stephen H. Silverman	Bryn Athyn Borough Lower Moreland Township Upper Moreland Township (Voting Districts 1-1, 1-2, 3-1, 4-1, 4-2, 6-1 & 6-2)	
	Hatfield Township (Voting Districts 2, 3 & 4)	[Pa.B. Doc. No. 03-6. Filed for public inspection January 3, 2003, 9:00 a.m.]		

Magisterial District 38-1-18 Hatfield Township

(Voting Districts 1 & 5) Montgomery Township

District Justice David A. Keightly

DISCIPLINARY BOARD OF THE SUPREME COURT

Notice of Disbarment

Notice is hereby given that Robert E. Carey having been disbarred from the practice of law in the State of Delaware by Order dated July 16, 2002, the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania issued an Order on December 17, 2002, disbarring Robert E. Carey from the Bar of this Commonwealth, effective January 16, 2003. In accordance with Rule 217(f), Pa.R.D.E., since this formerly admitted attorney resides outside of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, this notice is published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*

ELAINE M. BIXLER,

Executive Director and Secretary The Disciplinary Board of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 03-7. Filed for public inspection January 3, 2003, 9:00 a.m.]

Notice of Disbarment

Notice is hereby given that Kirk Douglas Rhodes having been Disbarred on Consent from the practice of law in the State of New Jersey by Order dated July 25, 2002, the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania issued an Order on December 17, 2002, disbarring Kirk Douglas Rhodes from the Bar of this Commonwealth, effective January 16, 2003. In accordance with Rule 217(f), Pa.R.D.E., since this formerly admitted attorney resides outside of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, this notice is published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*.

ELAINE M. BIXLER, Executive Director and Secretary The Disciplinary Board of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania

[Pa.B. Doc. No. 03-8. Filed for public inspection January 3, 2003, 9:00 a.m.]

Notice of Transfer of Attorneys to Inactive Status

Notice is hereby given that the following attorneys have been transferred to inactive status by Order of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania dated November 14, 2002, pursuant to Rule 111(b) Pa.R.C.L.E., which requires that every active lawyer shall annually complete, during the compliance period for which he or she is assigned, the continuing legal education required by the Continuing Legal Education Board. The Order became effective December 14, 2002 for Compliance Group 1 due April 30, 2002.

Notice with respect to attorneys having Pennsylvania registration addresses, who have been transferred to inactive status by said Order, was published in the appropriate county legal journal.

Mark D. Abramson Runnemede, NJ

Claire P. Asselta Hainesport, NJ Michael T. Baker Binghamton, NY

Jeffrey F. Belz Cherry Hill, NJ

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