## Supreme Court of Nevada ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS

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## **MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA**

## Commission on Statewide Rules of Criminal Procedure Videoconference

**Date and Time of Meeting:** February 28, 2020 at Noon **Place of Meeting:** 

Carson City	Las Vegas	Washoe
Supreme Court	Nevada Supreme Court Building	Second Judicial District Court
Law Library 107	Conference Room A/B	Room 214
201 S. Carson Street	408 E. Clark Avenue	75 Court Street
Carson City, Nevada	Las Vegas, NV	Reno, NV
Teleconference Access:Dial-In # 1-408-740-7256Meeting ID 1110011234		

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## AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
  - A. Call of Roll
  - B. Determination of a Quorum
  - C. Opening Remarks
- II. Public Comment
- III. Review and Approval of Previous Meeting Summaries\* (Tab 1)
  A. October 29, 2019
  B. January 17, 2020
- IV. Work Group UpdatesA. Jury Instructions Work Group (Tab 2)

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- V. Statewide Rules Discussion
  - A. Local Rules of Practice (**Tab 3**)
    - i. <u>Second Judicial District</u>
    - ii. Eighth Judicial District
  - B. Rule 2: Case Assignment<sup>1</sup> (**Tab 4**)
  - C. Rule 4: Initial Appearance and Arraignment<sup>2</sup> (**Tab 5**)
  - D. Rule 4.1: Setting of Cases<sup>3</sup>
  - E. Rule 8: Pretrial Motions (Tab 6)
  - F. Rule 14: Sentencing
  - G. Rule 15: Continuances
  - H. Rule 17: Voir Dire (**Tab 7**)
  - I. Post-Conviction Writs (Tab 8)
- VI. Rules Addressed or Finalized During Previous Meetings (Tab 9)A. Rule 9: Pretrial Writs of *Habeus Corpus*
- VII. Other Items/Discussion
- VIII. Next Meeting Date and Location
  - A. March 27, 2020 at 10:00 am
  - B. Potential April Dates
    - i. April 21
    - ii. April 27
  - iii. April 28
- IX. Adjournment
- Action items are noted by \* and typically include review, approval, denial, and/or postponement of specific items. Certain items may be referred to a subcommittee for additional review and action.
- Agenda items may be taken out of order at the discretion of the Chair in order to accommodate persons appearing before the Commission and/or to aid in the time efficiency of the meeting.
- If members of the public participate in the meeting, they must identify themselves when requested. Public comment is welcomed by the Commission but may be limited at the discretion of the Chair.
- The Commission is pleased to provide reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the meeting. If assistance is required, please notify Commission staff by phone or by email no later than two working days prior to the meeting, as follows: Jamie Gradick, (775) 687-9808 email: jgradick@nvcourts.nv.gov
- This meeting is exempt from the Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS 241.030)
- At the discretion of the Chair, topics related to the administration of justice, judicial personnel, and judicial matters that are of a confidential nature may be closed to the public.
- Notice of this meeting was posted in the following locations: Nevada Supreme Court website: <a href="http://www.nevadajudiciary.us">www.nevadajudiciary.us</a>; Carson City: Supreme Court Building, Administrative Office of the Courts, 201 South Carson Street; Las Vegas: Nevada Supreme Court, 408 East Clark Avenue.

<sup>1</sup> Rule 2: Last addressed at the 4/22/19 meeting and was tabled for further review/discussion when additional judicial members of the Commission could be present.

<sup>2</sup> Rule 4: Last addressed at the 6/10/19 meeting and was tabled for further review/discussion.

<sup>3</sup> Rule 4.1: Last addressed at the 6/10/19 meeting and was tabled until the "every motions gets a hearing" issue could be addressed.