

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

Notice of Proposed Amendment to 5TH CIR. R. 27.3

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2071, we give notice the court is considering amending 5TH CIR. R. 27.3 to promulgate new rule 5TH CIR. R. 27.3.2 as shown below. Proposed changes are “redline text.”

We will accept written comments for consideration on the proposed change through Oct. 25, 2024. You may write to:

Clerk of Court
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit
ATTN: Rule Changes
600 South Maestri Place
New Orleans, LA 70130

or send comments electronically to Changes@ca5.uscourts.gov.



Lyle W. Cayce
Clerk of Court

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27.3. Emergency Motions and Urgent Filings Requiring Action by a Date Certain in Cases Other Than Capital Cases.

27.3.2 Urgent Filings Requiring Action by a Date Certain. If a filing does not meet the criteria for an emergency under this rule but a party certifies that court action is necessary by a date certain, the filer must notify the clerk of court by telephone no later than 2:00 p.m. on the day of the filing of the intent to file and the date by which action is required. In addition to following all rules regarding the format of the filing, the filed pleading must clearly state the date for action and provide a justification for why such action is needed.