United States Court of Appeals

District of Columbia Circuit Washington, D.C. 20001-2866

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NOTICE OF FINAL RULE

In accordance with the provisions of D.C. Circuit Rule 47, notice of proposed amendments to Circuit Rule 24 was provided on December 2, 2009, with an opportunity to comment. No comments were received; thus, the Court has ordered that the amendments be adopted effective May 10, 2010. Changes to the Circuit's Handbook of Practice and Internal Procedures will also become effective on that date. The principal change is to require the filing of an appendix in cases in which the appellant or petitioner is proceeding in forma pauperis and is represented by counsel or assisted by an amicus curiae appointed by the court.

A revised version of the Circuit Rules and Handbook will be posted on the Court's web site at <u>www.cadc.uscourts.gov</u> commencing May 10, 2010. Extracts from the Rules reflecting the amendment will be available on the web site at that time.

Copies of this Notice have been published this date by the means specified in D.C. Circuit Rule 47(c).

Mark J. Langer, Clerk

Issued: May 5, 2010

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FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

Filed On: May 5, 2010

BEFORE: Sentelle, Chief Judge; Ginsburg, Henderson, Rogers, Tatel, Garland, Brown, Griffith, and Kavanaugh, Circuit Judges

<u>O R D E R</u>

Upon consideration of the notice of proposed amendments to D.C. Circuit Rule 24, published on December 2, 2009, with an opportunity for comment, and the absence of any comments on the proposed amendments, it is, by the en banc court,

ORDERED that Circuit Rule 24 be amended as proposed, effective May 10, 2010.

Per Curiam

FOR THE COURT: Mark J. Langer, Clerk

/s/Mark J. Langer