

IN THE SUPREME COURT
OF THE
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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IN THE MATTER OF THE AMENDMENT)	RULE 16-03
SDCL APP. FORMS, Ch. 15-26A,)	
Form 3)	

A hearing was held on January 13, 2016, at Pierre, South Dakota, relating to the amendment of SDCL App. Forms, Ch. 15-26A, Form 3 and the Court having considered the proposed amendment and being fully advised in the premises, now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that SDCL App. Forms, Ch. 15-26A, Form 3 be and it is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

SDCL APP. FORMS, Ch. 15-26A, Form 3.

1. Appeal transcripts shall consist of volumes of 250 pages or less, prepared on 8 ½" x 11" white opaque paper with 25 prenumbered, double-spaced lines per page.

2. Each page shall have ruled margins with ¾" top and bottom margins, a 1 ½" left margin, and a ½" right margin.

3. The transcript shall be typed using pica type with 10 characters per inch; questions shall start with a "Q" flush at the left margin, with two spaces between "Q" and the text of the question; answers shall start with an "A" flush at the left margin with two spaces between "A" and the beginning of the text of the answer; colloquy, such as "THE COURT," "MR. JONES," etc., shall start three spaces from the left margin.

4. The pages shall be consecutively numbered throughout the entire transcript (not according to volume) located at the upper right-hand corner.

5. Each volume shall be securely bound with a protective cover upon which or through which the following shall appear: (a) a 1 ½" blank space at the top of the page; (b) the trial court name, location and case number; (c) the case name; (d) the type of proceeding; (e) the date of the proceeding reported in that volume; (f) the name of the judge before whom the proceedings occurred; (g) appearances; (h) the volume number and the pages included in the volume.

6. An index of witnesses, motions, and exhibits shall follow the cover page of the first volume of each transcript;

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each major event of the proceeding shall be listed separately and identified by the transcript page number at which it begins.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this rule shall become effective July 1, 2016.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 17th day of March, 2016.

BY THE COURT:



David Gilbertson, Chief Justice

ATTEST:



Clerk of the Supreme Court
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