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Shirley A. Johnson Long
Clerk

IN THE SUPREME COURT
OF THE
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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IN THE MATTER OF THE)
AMENDMENT OF SDCL 15-26A-61)
RULE 03-15

A hearing having been held on August 28, 2003, at Pierre, South Dakota, relating to the amendment of SDCL 15-26A-61 and the Court having considered the proposed amendment, the correspondence and oral presentations relating thereto, if any, and being fully advised in the premises, now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that SDCL 15-26A-61 be and it is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

15-26A-61. Appellate procedure - Brief of appellee.

The brief of the appellee shall conform to the requirements of §15-26A-60. If a notice of review is filed, the appellee's brief shall contain the judgment, order or decision in question and any relevant written findings of fact, conclusions of law and memorandum decision, if different from those included in the appendix to the appellant's brief.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this rule shall become effective January 1, 2004.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 29th day of September, 2003.

BY THE COURT:

David Gilbertson

David Gilbertson, Chief Justice

ATTEST

[Signature]
Clerk of the Supreme Court
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