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IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF A NEW RULE RELATING TO FACSIMILE TRANSMISSIONS

Aloual Engel

Clerk

RULE 92-4

Pursuant to a hearing held on February 13, 1992, at Pierre, South Dakota, relating to the adoption of a new rule regarding facsimile transmissions to Supreme Court justices, the Court having considered the proposed new rule, the correspondence and oral presentations relating thereto, if any, and being fully advised in the premises, now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that the following new rule be and it is hereby adopted to read in its entirety as follows:

Any facsimile transmission of motions, petitions, briefs, or any other type of pleading that an attorney proposed to transmit to a justice's home or office shall only be transmitted after the attorney or his/her representative has contacted the justice and received the justice's approval for the facsimile transmission. This procedure does not apply to any data transmitted by the Supreme Court clerk's office.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this rule shall become effective July 1, 1992.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 6th day of March, 1992.

BY THE COURT:

ATTEST

Robert A. Miller, Chief Justice

Clerk of the Supreme Court

TO SUPREME COURT JUSTICES

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