

SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of) Arizona Supreme Court
) No. R-09-0007
PETITION TO ADOPT A NEW CODE)
OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT)
) **FILED 11/24/2009**
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CORRECTIVE ORDER

This Court having adopted a new Code of Judicial Conduct on June 2, 2009, and it having come to the Court's attention that there is an error in Rule 4.1 of the rules as adopted; therefore, upon consideration,

IT IS ORDERED that Rule 81, Rules of the Supreme Court, Canon 4, Rule 4.1, Arizona code of Judicial Conduct, be amended in accordance with the attachment hereto, effective as of the date of signing.

DATED this _____ day of November, 2009.

REBECCA WHITE BERCH
Chief Justice

TO:
Rule 28 Distribution
Peter J Cahill
E Keith Stott
Elizabeth Thornburg

ATTACHMENT*

Rules of the Supreme Court

Rule 81. Arizona Code of Judicial Conduct

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CANON 4

A JUDGE OR CANDIDATE FOR JUDICIAL OFFICE SHALL NOT ENGAGE IN POLITICAL OR CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY THAT IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE INDEPENDENCE, INTEGRITY, OR IMPARTIALITY OF THE JUDICIARY.

RULE 4.1. Political and Campaign Activities of Judges and Judicial Candidates in General

(A) A judge or a judicial candidate shall not do any of the following:

(1)-(4) [No change in text.]

(5) actively take part in any political campaign other than his or her own campaign for election, reelection ~~re-election~~ or retention in office;

(6)-(10) [No change in text.]

(B)-(C) [No change in text.]

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* Changes or additions in text are indicated by underlining and deletions from text are indicated by ~~strikeouts~~.

(C) Except as prohibited by this code, a judge may:

(1) engage in activities, including political activities, to improve the law, the legal system and the administration of justice; and

(2) purchase tickets for political dinners or other similar functions, but attendance at any such functions shall be restricted so as not to constitute a public endorsement of a candidate or cause otherwise prohibited by these rules.