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September 27, 2005

RE: RULE 404(c), ARIZONA RULES OF EVIDENCE

Arizona Supreme Court No. R-05-0015

GREETINGS:

The following action was taken by the Supreme Court of the State of Arizona on September 22, 2005, in regard to the above-referenced cause:

ORDERED: Petition to Amend Rule 404(c), Arizona Rules of Evidence (Emergency Review Requested) = ADOPTED as modified, effective December 1, 2005.

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TO:

Steven J Twist and Glenn E Hamer, Arizona Voice for Crime Victims
Hon David R Cole, Judge, Maricopa County Superior Court
Hon Gregory H Martin, Judge, Maricopa County Superior Court
Hon Ronald S Reinstein, Judge, Maricopa County Superior Court
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

Supreme Court No. R-05-0015



ORDER AMENDING RULE 404(c)(4), RULES OF EVIDENCE

IT IS ORDERED amending Rule 404(c)(4), Rules of Evidence, as shown on the attachment hereto,* effective on December 1, 2005.

DATED in the City of Phoenix, Arizona at the Arizona Courts Building, this $\frac{27 \text{ th}}{}$ day of September, 2005.

For the Court:

Rebecca White Berch Vice Chief Justice

^{*} Changes or additions to text are indicated by <u>underlining</u> and deletions from text are indicated by strikeouts.

RULE 404(c)(4), RULES OF EVIDENCE

(4) As used in this subsection of Rule 404, the term "sexual offense" is as defined in A.R.S. Sec. 13-1420(C) and, in addition, includes any offense of first-degree murder pursuant to A.R.S. Sec. 13-1105(A)(2) of which the predicate felony is sexual conduct with a minor under Sec. 13-1405, sexual assault under Sec. 13-1406, or molestation of a child under Sec. 13-1410.