

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

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S. ALAN COOK
CLERK SUPREME COURT
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IN THE MATTER OF: AMENDING)
RULES PRESCRIBING PROCUREMENT)
POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR THE)
ARIZONA JUDICIAL BRANCH)

ADMINISTRATIVE
ORDER NO. 85-9

Pursuant to the authority granted this Court by Article VI of the Arizona Constitution and pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-2501.E,

The Rules Prescribing Policies And Procedures For The Arizona Judicial Branch as set forth in Administrative Order No. 84-15 are amended as set forth below, effective

June 1st, 1985:

- 29. Any procurement of each Judicial Branch unit which does not exceed an aggregate dollar amount of ten thousand dollars is exempt from the requirements of rules 14 and 22, except that procurements shall be as competitive as is practicable under the circumstances. Procurement requirements shall not be artificially divided or fragmented so as to constitute a purchase under this rule and to circumvent the source selection procedures required by rules 14 and 22. For purposes of these rules, "aggregate" shall mean the sum of any existing, current procurement requirement for like materials or services.

APPROVED this 9th day of May, 1985 by the Arizona Supreme Court.

WILLIAM A. HOLOHAN, Chief Justice