

SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of ) Arizona Supreme Court  
 ) No. R-19-0010  
RULE 37(c), RULES OF THE )  
SUPREME COURT )  
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 ) **FILED 08/27/2019**  
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**ORDER  
AMENDING RULE 37(c), RULES OF THE ARIZONA SUPREME COURT**

A petition having been filed proposing to amend Rule 37(c), Rules of the Arizona Supreme Court, comments having been received, and having considered the petition and comments,

**IT IS ORDERED** that Rule 37(c), Rules of the Arizona Supreme Court, be amended in accordance with the attachment hereto, effective March 1, 2020.

DATED this 27th day of August, 2019.

\_\_\_\_\_/s/\_\_\_\_\_  
ROBERT BRUTINEL  
Chief Justice

Arizona Supreme Court No. R-19-0010

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ATTACHMENT \*

**RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA**

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**Rule 37. Miscellaneous Provisions Relating to Admissions**

(a)–(b) [No change in text.]

**(c) Retention and Confidentiality of Records of Applicants for Admission.** The records of applicants for admission to the practice of law shall be maintained and may be destroyed in accordance with approved retention and disposition schedules pursuant to administrative order of the Court, pursuant to Rule 29, Rules of the Supreme Court. The records and the proceedings concerning an application for admission shall remain confidential, except as otherwise provided in these rules. Bar counsel shall be allowed access to the records of applicants for admission and the proceedings of the Committee concerning an application for admission in connection with the duties set forth in Rule 36(a)(2)(C). In addition, the Committee on Character and Fitness and the Committee on Examinations, or the Committees' designated staff, may

1. – 2. [No change in text.]

3. report to the law school from which the applicant graduated

A. the applicant's status as pass, fail, or withdrew from examination, and

B. detailed information about how the applicant performed on the different sections of the examination, along with the overall median and standard deviations for each section, providing the applicant consents to its release; any detailed information provided will be kept confidential and may be used solely for scholarly research by the applicant's law school and for monitoring and improving the school's educational and student support programs; and

4. disclose to an applicant, as required by Rule 36(f) paragraphs (e) and (f) of this rule, evidence to be used at the hearing.

[No change in remaining text.]

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\* Additions in the text of the rule are shown by underscoring and deletions from text are shown by ~~strike through~~.