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MEMORANDUM TO CONFIRMED CIVIL RULES HEARING WITNESSES

RE: JANUARY 9, 2014 HEARING ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE FEDERAL RULES OF
CIVIL PROCEDURE

The Advisory Committee on Civil Rules looks forward to your testimony on the proposed amendments to Civil Rules 1, 4, 6, 16, 26, 30, 31, 33, 34, 36, 37, 55, 84, and the Appendix of Forms. The second public hearing, for which you are scheduled to testify, will be held on Thursday, January 9, 2014, starting at 9:00 A.M. in the Special Proceedings Courtroom at the Sandra Day O'Connor U.S. Courthouse, located at 401 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona.

Attached is a list of confirmed witnesses in the order of appearance. Because of the large number of witnesses who have requested to testify, the testimony of each witness will be limited to five minutes, with five minutes for questions by members of the committee. Please plan your comments accordingly. Members of the committee will read all written submissions concerning the proposed amendments, and detail not covered in your testimony certainly may be submitted in written form.

Thank you for your interest in and contribution to the federal rulemaking process. If you have any questions about the hearing, please contact Frances Skillman at 202-502-1820.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jonathan C. Rose".

Jonathan C. Rose

Attachment

cc: Honorable David G. Campbell
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