

**EXCERPT FROM THE
REPORT OF THE JUDICIAL CONFERENCE
COMMITTEE ON RULES OF PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE**

**TO THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE UNITED STATES AND MEMBERS OF THE
JUDICIAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED STATES:**

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FEDERAL RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE

Forms Revision Recommended for Approval and Transmission

The Advisory Committee on Appellate Rules recommended that the outdated references to the last century in four of the five forms in the appendix to the Appellate Rules be updated. The proposed revisions would substitute references to "20__" for "19__" in Forms 1, 2, 3, and 5. The advisory committee concluded that neither public notice nor comment is appropriate or necessary because the proposals are purely technical and do not substantively change the forms.

The Committee concurred with the advisory committee's recommendations.

Recommendation: That the Judicial Conference approve the proposed revisions to Forms 1, 2, 3, and 5 in the Appendix to the Appellate Rules and transmit these changes to the Supreme Court for its consideration with a recommendation that they be adopted by the Court and transmitted to Congress in accordance with the law.

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