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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LA PAZ



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In Re the Matter of:

APPEARANCE BOND FORMS

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

NO. 2011-00003

(Rescinding Administrative Order

No. 95-04)

This Court has reviewed Administrative Order No. 95-04 and its requirement that every secured appearance bond filed in a justice court or in the superior court of this county shall be in the form of an Appearance Bond Form pursuant to Form 7 of the Arizona Rules of Criminal Procedure.

An appearance bond is a promise to pay the bond if there is a failure of a person released to comply with its conditions. No actual bond (cash or surety) is posted when an appearance bond is authorized by the court. Therefore the requirement to post the Appearance Bond Form along with the secured appearance bond is unnecessary.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED rescinding Administrative Order No. 95-04.

DATED this 12 day of October, 2011.

**Michael J. Burke, Presiding Judge
La Paz County Superior Court**

CC: Sheri Newman, Superior Court Clerk
Com. C. Don Davis, La Paz County Adult Detention Center
Elizabeth Williams, Quartzsite Justice of the Peace
Karen Slaughter, Salome Justice of the Peace
Charlene Weis, Parker Justice of the Peace
Michael C. Newman, Parker Magistrate
Terry Frausto, Quartzsite Magistrate