



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALABAMA

July 9, 2021

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that Rule 28(d)(6), Rule 32(a)(3)(A), and Rule 32(a)(4), Alabama Rules of Appellate Procedure, be amended to read in accordance with Appendices A, C, and D, respectively, to this order;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Committee Comments to the amendment to Rule 28(d)(6) and the Committee Comments to the amendment to Rule 32(a)(3)(A) and Rule 32(a)(4) be adopted to read in accordance with Appendices B and E, respectively, to this order;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the amendment of Rule 28(d)(6), Rule 32(a)(3)(A), and Rule 32(a)(4) and the adoption of the Committee Comments thereto are effective immediately; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the following note from the reporter of decisions be added to follow Rule 28 and Rule 32:

"Note from the reporter of decisions: The order amending Rule 28(d)(6), Rule 32(a)(3)(A), and Rule 32(a)(4), Alabama Rules of Appellate Procedure, and adopting the Committee Comments thereto, effective July 9, 2021, is published in that volume of Alabama Reporter that contains Alabama cases from __ So. 3d."

Parker, C.J., and Bolin, Shaw, Wise, Bryan, Sellers, Mendheim, Stewart, and Mitchell, JJ., concur.

Witness my hand this 9th day of July, 2021.

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Clerk
Supreme Court of Alabama

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Julia Jordan Weller".

Clerk of Court,
Supreme Court of Alabama



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APPENDIX A

Rule 28(d)(6), Ala. R. App. P.

(6) the name, office address, telephone number, and e-mail address, if any, of counsel representing the party for whom the brief is filed. If the party is not represented by counsel, the brief shall include the name, address, telephone number, and e-mail address, if any, of the party filing the brief;



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APPENDIX B

Committee Comments to Amendment to Rule 28(d)(6)
Effective July 9, 2021

Rule 28(d)(6) has been amended to delete the requirement to list facsimile numbers on the cover of briefs. Many attorneys no longer maintain a facsimile number.



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APPENDIX C

Rule 32(a)(3)(A), Ala. R. App. P.

(A) the name, office address, telephone number, and e-mail address, if any, of counsel representing the party for whom the petition is filed. If the party is not represented by counsel, the petition shall include the name, address, telephone number, and e-mail address, if any, of the party filing the petition;



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APPENDIX D

Rule 32(a)(4), Ala. R. App. P.

(4) Signature Page of Documents Other Than Briefs and Petitions Filed With the Court. The signature page of the document shall contain the name, office address, telephone number, and e-mail address, if any, of counsel representing the party for whom the document is filed. If the party is not represented by counsel, the document shall include the name, address, telephone number, and e-mail address, if any, of the party filing the document.



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APPENDIX E

Committee Comments to Amendment to
Rule 32(a)(3)(A) and Rule 32(a)(4)
Effective July 9, 2021

Rule 32(a)(3)(A) and Rule 32(a)(4) have been amended to delete the requirement to list facsimile numbers on documents filed with Alabama's appellate courts. Many attorneys no longer maintain a facsimile number.