



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALABAMA

June 18, 2024

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that Rule 20(A), Alabama Rules of Judicial Administration, be amended to add, under the category of "General Offenses," the offense of "Operating a motor vehicle in a distracted manner" with a corresponding fine of \$50 (this offense should be added to the schedule between the offenses of "Obstructing driver's view" and "Operating a motor vehicle without a driver's license");

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Rule 20(A) be amended to add, under the category of "Construction Zone Offenses," the offense of "Operating a motor vehicle in a distracted manner" with a corresponding fine of \$250 (this offense should be added to the schedule between the offenses of "Obstructing driver's view" and "Parking more than 18 inches from curb");

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Rule 20(A) be amended to remove, under the category of "General Offenses," the offense of "Texting while driving," along with the corresponding fine of \$25, and to remove, under the category of "Construction Zone Offenses," the offense of "Texting while driving," along with the corresponding fee of \$250;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that these amendments are effective immediately; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the following note from the reporter of decisions be added to follow Rule 20:

"Note from the reporter of decisions: The order amending Rule 20(A), effective June 18, 2024, is published in that volume of *Alabama Reporter* that contains Alabama cases from __ So. 3d."



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

Witness my hand and seal this 18th day of June, 2024.

Megan B. Rhodelsek

Clerk of Court,
Supreme Court of Alabama

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