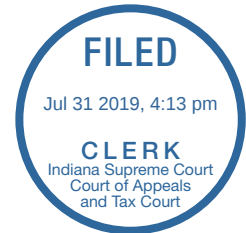


In the
Indiana Supreme Court

In the Matter of the Approval of Local
Rules for Jasper County

Supreme Court Case No.
19S-MS-438



Order Approving Local Rule

The Judges of the Jasper Circuit and Superior Courts request the approval of a local rule for use of acting judges in accordance with Indiana Administrative Rule 1(E). Attached to this Order is the proposed local rule.

Upon examination of the proposed local rule requested by the Jasper Circuit and Superior Courts, this Court finds that the proposed rule, LR37-AR1-1 complies with the requirements of Indiana Administrative Rule 1(E), and, accordingly, should be approved.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by this Court that Local Rule LR37-AR1-1 for Jasper Circuit and Superior Courts, set forth as an attachment to this Order, is approved effective the date of this Order.

Done at Indianapolis, Indiana, on 7/31/2019.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Loretta H. Rush", written over a horizontal line.

Loretta H. Rush

Chief Justice of Indiana

LR37-AR1-1 Consent to Authority to Sit as Acting Judge

A. The Judges of the Jasper Circuit and Superior Courts consent to the Judges of the Newton Circuit and Superior Courts upon request to sit as acting judge in either of these courts in any matter as if the judicial officer were the elected or appointed judge of this court, as provided in Administrative Rule 1. This consent will be filed in the court's Record of Judgments and Orders.

B. The authority to sit as acting judge in the Jasper Circuit or Superior Court is granted even when the sitting judge is present and available.