## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

ORDER NO. 1234

Amending Appellate Rule 217(b) and (c) concerning appeals from district court.

IT IS ORDERED:

Appellate Rule 217 is amended to read as follows:

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(b) The notice of appeal shall be filed with the clerk of the appellate courts within 15 days after the date shown in the clerk's certificate of distribution on the judgment being appealed. The provisions of Appellate Rule 204(a)(4) shall apply to appeals from the district court. The notice of appeal shall be accompanied by the items specified in Appellate Rule 204(b)[1]-[4] and [7] and a designation of the parts of the electronic record that are essential to a determination of the issues on appeal. The designation (and any counterdesignation) must comply with Rule 210(b)(1)(B).

(c) Unless otherwise ordered by the court of appeals, the record on appeal shall consist of the entire district court file, together with cassette recordings of the parts of the electronic record designated by the parties. Written transcripts may not be prepared except by order of the court of appeals. The papers in the record on appeal need not be numbered at the bottom consecutively. The clerk of the trial courts shall complete the preparation of the record Supreme Court Order No. 1234 Effective Date: \_July 15, 1996 Page 2

> on appeal within fifteen days from the date of filing the notice of appeal. Appellate Rule 210(c) shall not apply.

DATED: April 26, 1996

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