IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA ORDER NO. 1382

Amending Criminal Rule 11(e)(1) concerning sentencing agreements.

IT IS ORDERED:

Paragraph (e) of Criminal Rule 11 is amended to read as follows:

(e) Plea Agreement Procedure.

(1) Disclosure of Sentencing Agreement. If the parties reach a sentencing agreement, the court shall require disclosure of the agreement in open court at the time the plea is offered. Once the agreement has been disclosed, the court may accept or reject the agreement, or may defer that decision until receipt of a presentence report. If the court accepts the agreement, the court may impose sentence without a presentence investigation.

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DATED: December 2, 1999

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 15, 1999

Chief Justice Matthews

Justice Eastaugh

Justice Fabe

Justice Bryner

C. Carpenet

Justice Carpeneti