

**Arizona Supreme Court****Rule 28 Petition****R-23-0051****RULE 42 (ER 1.8), RULES OF SUPREME COURT****Appellate Case Information**

Case Filed: 21-Nov-2023

Case Closed:

**Dept/Composition****Side 1. RULE 42 (ER 1.8), RULES OF SUPREME COURT, Other****(Litigant Group) PETITIONER: ARIZONA SUPREME COURT ETHICS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

- Arizona Supreme Court Ethics Advisory Committee, Petitioner
- Hon Christopher P Staring, Arizona Supreme Court Ethics Advisory Committee, Petitioner

**(Litigant Group) COMMENTOR: WILLIAM MOORE**

- William Moore, Commentor

**(Litigant Group) COMMENTOR: MARICOPA COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

- Maricopa County Attorney's Office, Commentor

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- Maricopa County Office of Public Defense Services, Commentor
- Maricopa County Office of the Legal Advocate, Commentor
- Maricopa County Legal Defender's Office, Commentor
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**CASE STATUS**

Nov 21, 2023....Pending

**8 PROCEEDING ENTRIES**

1. 21-Nov-2023 FILED: Petition to Amend Rule 42 (ER 1.8), Arizona Supreme Court Rules (Petitioner, Arizona Supreme Court Ethics Advisory Committee by Hon. Christopher Staring, Chair)

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2. 17-Jan-2024 Rule petitions have been filed in the above-captioned matters under Rule 28(a), Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona. Upon consideration,
- IT IS ORDERED that these petitions are opened for public comment pursuant to Rule 28(c), Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona. Comments must be submitted by no later than Wednesday, May 1, 2024, and any reply by a petitioner must be submitted no later than Monday, June 3, 2024.
- The petitions may be viewed by going to: <http://www.azcourts.gov/Rules-Forum>. This opens the "Welcome" page. Petitions are posted under the appropriate body of rules, for example, Rules of Criminal Procedure, which is found by scrolling down the page.
- For instructions on how to post comments electronically, follow the steps listed above and click on <http://www.azcourts.gov/rules/Forum-FAQ> at the top of the "Forum FAQ" page and then "How do I file a comment on a Rule 28 petition?"
- Alternatively, commenters may submit comments by filing an original and one paper copy of the comment and one electronic copy of the written comments and supporting documents in Microsoft Word format on a CD or other compatible electronic medium with the Clerk of the Supreme Court, 1501 West Washington St., Room 402, Phoenix, AZ 85007 in an envelope marked "Rule Comment."
- Any person filing a comment must send a copy of the comment to the Petitioner electronically or by ordinary mail. (Hon. John R. Lopez IV)
3. 6-Apr-2024 FILED: (Comment) (William Moore)
4. 11-Apr-2024 FILED: Maricopa County Attorney's Office Comment In Opposition (Maricopa County Attorney's Office by Rachel H. Mitchell, Maricopa County Attorney and Blaine Gadow, Chief Deputy)
5. 29-Apr-2024 FILED: Joint Comment by the Directors of the Maricopa County Indigent Defense Agencies (The Maricopa Indigent Defense Offices by Rosemarie Pena-Lynch, Steve Koestner, Sherri McGuire Lawson, Gary Kula, Shannon Burns)
6. 1-May-2024 FILED: State Bar of Arizona Comment (State Bar of Arizona by Lisa M. Panahi, General Counsel)
7. 1-May-2024 FILED: Comment of Arizona Attorneys for Criminal Justice regarding Petition to Amend Arizona Rule of Supreme Court 42, ER 1.8 (Arizona Attorneys for Criminal Justice by David J. Euchner and Seth M. Apfel)
8. 2-May-2024 FILED: Comment Supporting an Amendment to Rule 42 (ER 1.8), Ariz. R. Sup. Ct. (Mary Dreyer)