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**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF MISSISSIPPI**

**No. 89-R-99027-SCT**

***IN RE: MISSISSIPPI RULES OF  
APPELLATE PROCEDURE***

**ORDER**

This matter is before the en banc Court on the Court's own motion.

Because court reporters are no longer required to acknowledge receipt of the designation of record and the certificate of compliance, we find that the Court Reporter's Acknowledgment forms under Appendix I, Form 2, and Appendix IV of the Mississippi Rules of Appellate Procedure should be struck.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Court Reporter's Acknowledgment forms under Appendix I, Form 2, and Appendix IV of the Mississippi Rules of Appellate Procedure are struck as set forth in the attached Exhibit A. The amendments are effective upon entry of this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court must spread this order upon the minutes of the Court and forward a certified copy to West Publishing Company for publication as soon as practicable in the advance sheets of *Southern Reporter, Third Series*

*(Mississippi Edition)*, and in the next edition of the *Mississippi Rules of Court*.

SO ORDERED, this the 5th day of January, 2017.

/s/ Josiah Dennis Coleman

JOSIAH DENNIS COLEMAN, JUSTICE  
FOR THE COURT

AGREE: WALLER, C.J., DICKINSON, P.J., KITCHENS, KING, COLEMAN,  
MAXWELL AND BEAM, JJ.

RANDOLPH, P.J., AND CHAMBERLIN, J., NOT PARTICIPATING.

Exhibit A

**APPENDIX I. FORMS**

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**FORM 2**

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**COURT REPORTER'S ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, [one of the] court reporter[s] in this case, acknowledge receipt of this Designation of the Record and the appellant's Certificate of Compliance with Rule 11(b)(1), and I expect to complete the transcript in this case on or before \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

I certify that I have this day served a copy of this Designation of the Record and Court Reporter's Acknowledgment on counsel for appellant and all other parties as listed above, and on both the clerk of this Court and the clerk of the Supreme Court of Mississippi.

This the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Court Reporter  
[Address]

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~~**APPENDIX IV. FORMS FOR COURT REPORTERS  
COURT REPORTER'S ACKNOWLEDGMENT  
OF DESIGNATION OF RECORD**~~

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This the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

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Court Reporter  
(Address)  
(Phone number)