

# Camera Coverage Notice

**Rule 5 of the Mississippi Rules for Electronic and Photographic Coverage of Judicial Proceedings** requires that media representatives give at least **48 hours notice** prior to the commencement of a proceeding if they propose to photograph, videotape, make an audio recording of or engage in any other form of electronic coverage.

**Notice should be given to the clerk of the court and the court administrator in the court in which the proceeding will occur.**

Note: the notice requirement does not apply to reporters who wish to attend a judicial proceeding without taking pictures or making broadcast recordings.

To assist the court, please provide the following information:

**Style of case** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cause number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Court** \_\_\_\_\_

**Judge** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of proceeding** \_\_\_\_\_

**Media organization** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name(s) of journalist(s) and contact number(s)**  
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**Medium:**

still photography      videotape      live broadcast or streaming      audio recording

**Type of coverage anticipated:**

spot coverage      complete coverage      opening and closing arguments  
specific witnesses, if known

A complete copy of the Mississippi Rules for Electronic and Photographic Coverage of Judicial Proceedings is available on the web site of the State of Mississippi Judiciary at [https://courts.ms.gov/research/rules/msrulesofcourt/rules\\_electronicphotographic\\_coverage.pdf](https://courts.ms.gov/research/rules/msrulesofcourt/rules_electronicphotographic_coverage.pdf). Journalists are expected to be familiar with and comply with the rules.

**Date submitted** \_\_\_\_\_ **Submitted by** \_\_\_\_\_

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