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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDED RULES

At their regular meeting on April 2, 2018, the Judges of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan approved for publication and comment proposed amendments to LR 7.1, Motions for Rehearing or Reconsideration.

Also on April 2, 2018, the Court approved for publication and comment proposed amendments for LR 59.1, Motion to Alter or Amend Judgment.

In order to be assured consideration, comments in writing, which may include recommended changes to the proposed amendments, should be received by the Court not later than Wednesday, May 30, 2018. Comments may be sent to Local Rules@mied.uscourts.gov or to Local Rules, 505 Theodore Levin United States Courthouse, 231 W. Lafayette Boulevard, Detroit, Michigan 48226.

[Additions are indicated by underline, and deletions by strikethrough.]

LR 7.1(h) Motions for Rehearing or Reconsideration

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- (h) Motions for Rehearing or Reconsideration.
- (1) Time. Subject to LR 59.1, A a motion for rehearing or reconsideration must be filed within 14 days after entry of the judgment or order.

Also, on April 2, 2018, the Judges approved the following comment to LR 7.1 which went into effect immediately.

Motions and responses to motions must comply with CM/ECF Policies and Procedures R5(f). A complaint must not be combined with a motion for preliminary relief and a response or reply to a motion must not be combined with a counter-motion. Papers filed in violation of this of this rule will be stricken. Responses to motions and counter-motions must be filed as separate documents.

LR 59.1: Motion to Alter or Amend Judgment

- (a). A motion to alter or amend a judgment must be filed within the time allowed by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 59(e).
- (b). No response to a motion to alter or amend a judgment and no oral argument are permitted unless the Court directs otherwise.