

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
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**NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO LOCAL RULES**

At their regular meeting on June 4, 2018, the Judges of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan approved an amendment to the comment of LR 4.1, Issuance and Service of Process, effective July 1, 2018.

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**LR 4.1      Issuance and Service of Process**

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**COMMENT:** This rule implements Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4(c)(3). When a plaintiff who qualifies for pauper status is represented by an attorney, the attorney must arrange for service of process, but may seek assistance for service from the United States Marshal at government expense only after obtaining an Order Directing Service by the United States Marshal.

June 25, 2018