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FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
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NOTICE OF AMENDMENTS TO LOCAL RULES

At their regular meeting on March 1, 2021, the Judges of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan approved amendments to LR 7.1, Motion Practice. Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 83, the proposed amendments were previously published for comment.

Also at their regular meeting on March 1, 2021, the Judges approved non-substantive changes to LR 26.4, Protective Order on Ground of Privilege or Other Protection, and to the comment of LCrR 57.2, Review of Order of Magistrate Judge.

These amendments will be effective April 1, 2021.

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

LR 7.1 Motion Practice

(e) Briefing Schedule. Unless the Court orders a different date, the following filing deadlines apply:

(1) ~~Dispositive Motions.~~ Standard Briefing Schedule.

~~(A) Dispositive motions are motions:~~

- ~~• for injunctive relief,~~
- ~~• for judgment on the pleadings,~~
- ~~• for summary judgment,~~
- ~~• to dismiss or quash an indictment or information made by a defendant,~~
- ~~• to suppress evidence in a criminal case,~~
- ~~• to certify or decertify a class,~~
- ~~• to dismiss for failure to state a claim upon which relief can be granted, and~~

- ~~to involuntarily dismiss an action.~~

(A) Responses to all motions, except those listed in subparagraph 2(A) below, must be filed within 14 days after service of the motion.

~~(B) A response to a dispositive motion must be filed within 21 days after service of the motion. If filed, a reply brief supporting such motion must be filed within 7 days after service of the response, but at least 3 days before the motion hearing.~~

(2) Enlarged Briefing Schedule.

(A) Responses to the following motions must be filed within 21 days following service of the motion:

- for injunctive relief,
- for judgment on the pleadings,
- for summary judgment,
- to dismiss or quash an indictment or information made by a defendant,
- to suppress evidence in a criminal case,
- to certify or decertify a class,
- to dismiss under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b), and
- to involuntarily dismiss an action under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(b).

~~(B) If filed, a reply brief supporting such a dispositive motion must be filed within 14 days after service of the response, but not less than 3 days before oral argument the motion hearing.~~

(2 3) Nondispositive Motions.

LR 26.4 Protective Orders on Ground of Privilege or Other Protection

~~(b) **Proposed Orders.** The movant must submit as an exhibit to the motion a proposed order that states that the information is either privileged or subject to protection and describes the type of information to be protected.~~

(e b) Filing Protected Material.

(d c) **Sealing, Unsealing, and Disposition of Material.**

LCrR 57.2 Review of Order of Magistrate Judge

Language added to the comment of this rule:

Appeals of a magistrate judge's bond order arising out of the Flint location in cases where no district judge is assigned will be heard by the presiding judge in Flint. See LR 77.2(f).

March 26, 2021