

CLERK'S ALERT

Local Rule Changes Effective September 1, 2015

King County Superior Court Rule Changes go into effect September 1, 2015. To view the rules, please go to the Clerk's website at <http://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/rules.aspx>.

Three of the rule changes are highlighted here, for your information.

1. LGR 30 - Mandatory E-Service

When a party e-files a document, the party must electronically serve (e-serve) the document via the e-service feature within the Clerk's online eFiling application.

Attorneys must promptly register (opt in) to accept e-service via the Clerk's eFiling application in each case in which the attorney appears.

2. LGR 31 - Expanded Access to Records On-Line

Final Parenting Plans, Decrees, and Child Support Orders in cases filed under RCW 26.09, 26.10, and 26.26.130(7)(b) will be available over the internet via the Clerk's electronic records system.

3. LCR 58 - Reporting to DOL

The Clerk is required to report data about certain civil judgments involving motor vehicle cases (Title 46 RCW) to the Washington State Department of Licensing. To ensure the necessary data is available to the Clerk for reporting purposes, parties to such judgments shall provide to the Clerk a completed "DOL Reporting Data Sheet", which is available at the Clerk's Office or on the Clerk's website.

The above are abbreviated highlights of only three of the rule changes. A full review of the complete package of rule changes is highly recommended in order to be ready for the potential practice changes precipitated by the rule changes.

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