

1 ~~Rule 3-304.01. Substitute certified shorthand reporters.~~

2 Intent:

3 ~~To establish the authority for the appointment of substitute certified shorthand~~
4 ~~reports.~~

5 Applicability:

6 ~~This rule shall apply to the courts of record and the administrative office of the~~
7 ~~courts.~~

8 Statement of the Rule:

9 ~~(1) All substitute shorthand reporters serving in the trial courts of record shall be~~
10 ~~licensed by the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing as a certified~~
11 ~~shorthand reporter.~~

12 ~~(2) Only the state court administrator can approve the temporary appointment of a~~
13 ~~certified shorthand reporter under this rule.~~

14 ~~(3) The administrative office of the courts may contract with a certified shorthand~~
15 ~~reporter or a private shorthand reporting firm for the purpose of maintaining the official~~
16 ~~verbatim record of court proceedings. The contract shall require the vendor to furnish a~~
17 ~~certified shorthand reporter on an as needed basis upon notification by the court~~
18 ~~executive of the need for such services and for the terms of payment.~~

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