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1       **Rule 1. Scope of rules.**

2       (a) Applicability of rules. These rules govern the procedure before the Supreme Court and the  
3 Court of Appeals of Utah in all cases. Applicability of these rules to the review of decisions or  
4 orders of administrative agencies is governed by Rule 18. When these rules provide for a motion or  
5 application to be made in a trial court or an administrative agency, commission, or board, the  
6 procedure for making such motion or application shall be governed by the Utah Rules of Civil  
7 Procedure, Utah Rules of Criminal Procedure, and the rules of practice of the trial court,  
8 administrative agency, commission, or board.

9       (b) Reference to "court." Except as provided in Rule 43, when these rules refer to a decision or  
10 action by the court, the reference shall include a panel of the court. The term "trial court" means the  
11 court or administrative agency, commission, or board from which the appeal is taken. The term  
12 "appellate court" means the court to which the appeal is taken.

13       (c) Procedure established by statute. If a procedure is provided by state statute as to the appeal or  
14 review of an order of an administrative agency, commission, board, or officer of the state which is  
15 inconsistent with one or more of these rules, the statute shall govern. In other respects, these rules  
16 shall apply to such appeals or reviews.

17       (d) Rules not to affect jurisdiction. These rules shall not be construed to extend or limit the  
18 jurisdiction of the Supreme Court or Court of Appeals as established by law.

19       (e) Title. These rules shall be known as the Utah Rules of Appellate Procedure and abbreviated  
20 Utah R. App. P.

21       (f) Rules for appeals in child welfare proceedings. Appeals taken from juvenile court orders  
22 related to abuse, neglect, dependency, termination, and adoption proceedings are governed by Title  
23 VIII, Rules 52 through 59, except for orders related to substantiation proceedings under Section 78-  
24 3a-320. Rules 9, 10 and 23B do not apply, but the other appellate rules apply if not inconsistent with  
25 Rules 52 through 59.

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