

Supreme Court of Kentucky

2025-03

ORDER

In Re: Amending the Supreme Court Rules

The following amendments to the Supreme Court Rules shall be effective January 3, 2025:

SCR 4.300, Rule 4.1. Political and Campaign Activities of Judges and Judicial Candidates in General

Section 11 of the Commentary to SCR 4.300, Rule 4.1 shall read:

[11] Paragraph A(10) does not prohibit a judge from taking campaign photographs or video in his or her courtroom, provided that no court resources are used. In addition, Paragraph A(10) does not prohibit court staff from using their own time, while not being paid as court staff, to assist in a campaign for judicial office consistent with Part III of the Administrative Procedures of the Kentucky Court of Justice, Personnel Policies.

This order shall be effective upon entry and until further order of this Court.

Entered this 3rd day of January 2025.

All sitting; all concur.


CHIEF JUSTICE