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ORDER REGARDING PAPER COPIES OF BRIEFS FOR APPEALS IN THE MINNESOTA SUPREME COURT

Minnesota Rule of Civil Appellate Procedure 131.03, subdivision 1 allows the court to establish the number, time, and manner of filing paper copies of briefs and addenda in appeals pending before this court. By order filed May 23, 2016, the supreme court directed parties to appeals pending in this court to provide one paper copy of the brief and addendum submitted for filing, including in criminal appeals, *see* Minn. R. Crim. P. 29.01, subd. 2 (stating the Rules of Civil Appellate Procedure govern criminal appeals "unless [the criminal] rules direct otherwise").

Based on all the files, records, and proceedings herein,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that effective March 23, 2020, for all appeals pending in the Minnesota Supreme Court or filed on or after that date, no paper copies of a brief or addendum will be accepted from any party that files electronically using the appellate courts' case management system. Any self-represented litigant that does not file electronically shall submit for filing a single unbound paper copy of the litigant's brief and addendum, as directed in Minn. R. Civ. App. P. 125.01, which shall be deemed to satisfy the requirement in Minn. R. Civ. App. P. 132.01, subd. 1, for a bound brief.

Dated: March 20, 2020

BY THE COURT:

Lorie S. Gildea
Chief Justice