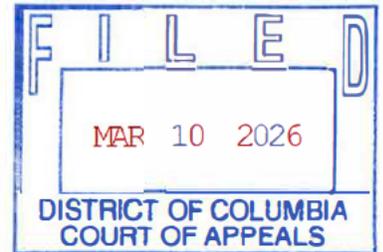


**District of Columbia
Court of Appeals**



No. M292-26

BEFORE: Blackburne-Rigsby, Chief Judge, and Beckwith, Easterly, McLeese,
Deahl, Howard, and Shanker, Associate Judges.

ORDER

(FILED – March 10, 2026)

In January 2026, the court sent out for public comment proposed amendments to D.C. App. R. 10(b), which sets out the process to be followed when an appellant does not order the transcript of the entire proceedings in the trial court.

The comment period has closed and the court received no comments. The court therefore has determined to adopt the proposed amendments, with two minor changes: (1) correction of a cross-reference; and (2) the addition to D.C. App. R. 10(b)(3) of a requirement that an appellee's order of additional transcripts be filed with the court and served on the other parties.

Clean and marked-up versions of the affected parts of D.C. App. R. 10(b) are attached. The amendments will go into effect on Monday, May 11, 2026.

PER CURIAM

■ **Marked-up version of R. 10(b)(1) and (3):**

(1) Appellant's Duty to Order. Within 10 days after filing the notice of appeal, the appellant, unless proceeding on appeal as specified in Rule 10(b)(5), must:

(A) order from the reporter a transcript of such parts of the proceedings not already on file as the appellant considers necessary, and identify for the Court Reporting Division any transcript already prepared that is to be included in the record on appeal; or

(B) file a certificate in this court, with service on all other parties, stating that no transcript will be ordered.

The order described in Rule 10(b)(1)(A) shall be filed with this court and served on all other parties to the appeal.

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(3) Additional Transcripts~~Partial Transcript~~. If no transcripts are ordered or transcripts are ordered only for only part of the proceedings, the appellee may order additional transcripts or may file a motion requesting that the Superior Court or this court require the appellant to order additional transcripts. The order shall be filed with this court and served on all other parties to the appeal.~~Unless the entire transcript is ordered:~~

~~(A) the appellant must, within the 10 days provided in Rule 10(b)(1) — file a statement of the issues that the appellant intends to present on the appeal and must serve on all other parties a copy of both the transcript order or certificate required by Rule 10(b)(1) and the statement;~~

~~(B) if any other party considers it necessary to have a transcript of other parts of the proceedings, it must, within 10 days after service of the transcript order or certificate and statement of the issues, file and serve on the appellant a designation of additional parts to be ordered; and~~

~~(C) unless within 10 days after service of that designation the appellant has ordered all such parts, and has so notified the other parties, the designating party may within the following 10 days either order the parts or move in the Superior Court for an order requiring the appellant to do so.~~

■ **Clean version of R. 10(b)(1) and (3):**

(1) Appellant's Duty to Order. Within 10 days after filing the notice of appeal, the appellant, unless proceeding on appeal as specified in Rule 10(b)(5), must:

(A) order from the reporter a transcript of such parts of the proceedings not already on file as the appellant considers necessary, and identify for the Court Reporting Division any transcript already prepared that is to be included in the record on appeal; or

(B) file a certificate in this court, with service on all other parties, stating that no transcript will be ordered.

The order described in Rule 10(b)(1)(A) shall be filed with this court and served on all other parties to the appeal.

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(3) Additional Transcripts. If no transcripts are ordered or transcripts are ordered only for only part of the proceedings, the appellee may order additional transcripts or may file a motion requesting that the Superior Court or this court require the appellant to order additional transcripts. The order shall be filed with this court and served on all other parties to the appeal.