

**District of Columbia
Court of Appeals**



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

ORDER

(FILED – May 13, 2026)

By letter dated April 29, 2026, Chief Judge Milton C. Lee, Jr. of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia asked this court to approve (1) amendments to Superior Court Rules of Civil Procedure 5 and 16 and Rule of Criminal Procedure 4; and (2) rejection of new Rule 16.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure amendments and certain amendments to Rules 16 and 26 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. To the extent that those amendments and rejections modify the Federal Rules of Civil and Criminal Procedure, it is hereby

ORDERED, pursuant to D.C. Code § 11-946, that the proposed amendments are approved. The Superior Court amendments at issue will go into effect as indicated in the order of the Superior Court promulgating the amendments.

PER CURIAM