

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF OREGON

IN RE:

AMENDMENT TO LOCAL RULE 5-5

Standing Order No. 2017-4

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**ORDER**

Effective March 6, 2017, individual "Consent to Jurisdiction by a Magistrate Judge and Designation of the Normal Appeal Route" and concurrently filed certificates of service for those forms are no longer required to be filed in paper. Information about filing those documents electronically is available on the Court's public website, [ord.uscourts.gov](http://ord.uscourts.gov).

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 2071(e), Local Rule of Civil Procedure (LR) 5-5 will be amended to state as follows:

**LR 5-5 Documents that Must be Filed in Paper**

The following documents cannot be filed electronically and must instead be filed in paper:

**(a) Case Initiating Documents Filed by Non-Registered Attorneys in Civil Cases**

Unless otherwise ordered by the Court or permitted by these Local Rules, an attorney who is not a Registered User as described in LR 1-5(k) will file case initiating documents in paper and must also present a CD-ROM containing text-searchable PDF files of initial case papers at the time of filing.

**(b) Sealed and In Camera Documents Not Filed Electronically**

Except those documents authorized for filing by a Registered User under seal pursuant to a protective order in a civil case, sealed and in camera documents must be filed in paper. (*See also* LR 3-6, LR 3-7, and LR 26-4(b) and (c).)

**(c) Individually Identifiable Health Information Protected under HIPAA. (*See also* 45 C.F.R. § 160.103.)**

Done on behalf of the Court on February 24, 2017.

  
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MICHAEL W. MOSMAN  
CHIEF U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE