

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA
AT ANCHORAGE

In the Matter of:)
)
USE OF CAMERAS AND ELECTRONIC)
DEVICES IN ALL COURTHOUSES IN)
THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT)
_____)

Administrative Order 3AO-19-03

ORDER

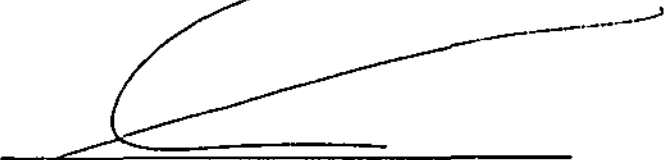
1. Use of Cameras and Electronic Devices in Third Judicial District Court Buildings:
 - a. The use of cameras and electronic devices is governed by Administrative Bulletin No. 45 and Administrative Rule 50.
 - b. Media coverage, without application for prior approval, may only take place in the main lobby of a courthouse. (Administrative Rule 50(d)). All other restrictions provided in Administrative Rule 50 and Administrative Bulletin No. 45 apply.
 - c. However, the use of cameras and electronic recording devices is prohibited in security screening areas of a courthouse facility. Nor may any person record the equipment, personnel, or activities in a security screening area.
 - d. Media coverage of court proceedings in all other locations in Third District Courthouses requires an application to the Presiding Judge, Area Court Administrator or the judge presiding over the proceeding to be covered (Administrative Rule 50 (b)).

Note: Prior approval for media coverage of the area occupied by the Appellate Courts on The fourth and fifth floor of the Boney Courthouse in Anchorage must be obtained from the Clerk of the Appellate Courts.

2. Media Coverage Outside Court Buildings. There are no restrictions on media coverage outside and adjacent to courthouses; however, placement of equipment can't obstruct public egress or entrance to a courthouse facility.

This order supersedes 3AN-AO-01-11.

18 April 2019
Date



William F. Morse
Presiding Judge
Third Judicial District

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