IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA ORDER NO. 1567

Amending Probate Rule 2(b) Concerning Authority of Masters

IT IS ORDERED:

Alaska Probate Rule 2(b) is amended as follows:

Rule 2. Appointment and Authority of Masters.

(a) **Appointment.**

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- (b) Authority, Order of Reference.
- 1. ****
- 2. The following proceedings may be referred to a master:
- A. all decedent estate hearings:
- B. guardianship and conservatorship hearings under Title 13;
- C. mental commitment, alcohol or substance abuse commitment, and medication consent hearings under Title 47;
 - D. hearings on trusts;
 - E. hearings on emancipations;
- F. authorization of emergency life-saving procedures pursuant to AS 13.26.140(f); and
- G. hearings in proceedings to bypass parental consent to an abortion under AS 18.16.030 and Probate Rule 20.
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Supreme Court No. 1567 Effective Date: April 15, 2005

DATED: March 31, 2005

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 15, 2005

Chief Justice Bryner
Justice Matthews
Justice Eastaugh
Justice Fabe
Justice Carpeneti
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