

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
ORDER NO. 1838

Amending Criminal Rule 35.1(g)
regarding assignment of
sentencing judge in post-
conviction relief cases.

IT IS ORDERED:

Criminal Rule 35.1(g) is amended to read as follows:

Rule 35.1. Post-Conviction Procedure.

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(g) **Hearing -- Evidence -- Order.** The application shall be heard in the court in which the underlying criminal case was heard, and ~~before any judge of, the court in which the underlying criminal case is filed.~~ The application may be heard before any judge of that court, but if the sentencing judge is available, the case shall be initially assigned to that judge. * * * *

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DATED: July 9, 2014

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 15, 2014

/s/
Chief Justice Fabe

/s/
Justice Winfree

/s/
Justice Stowers

/s/
Justice Maassen

/s/
Justice Bolger