

1 **IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

2 **November 1, 2021**

3 **NO. 21-8300-023**

4 **IN THE MATTER OF THE AMENDMENT**  
5 **OF FORMS 9-401, 9-403, 9-403A, AND 9-**  
6 **403B NMRA OF THE CRIMINAL FORMS**  
7 **AND THE WITHDRAWAL OF FORM 9-**  
8 **401A NMRA OF THE CRIMINAL FORMS**

9 **ORDER**

10 WHEREAS, this matter came on for consideration upon recommendation of  
11 the Rules of Criminal Procedure for State Courts Committee to amend Forms 9-401,  
12 9-403, 9-403A, and 9-403B NMRA of the Criminal Forms, and to withdraw Form  
13 9-401A of the Criminal Forms, and the Court having considered the  
14 recommendation and being sufficiently advised, Chief Justice Michael E. Vigil,  
15 Justice C. Shannon Bacon, Justice David K. Thomson, Justice Julie J. Vargas, and  
16 Justice Briana H. Zamora concurring;

17 NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the amendment of Forms 9-401,  
18 9-403, 9-403A, and 9-403B NMRA is APPROVED;

19 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that form 9-401A NMRA is WITHDRAWN;

20 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above-referenced amendments shall be  
21 **effective for all cases pending or filed on or after December 31, 2021; and**

1           IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court is authorized and  
2 directed to provide notice of the above-referenced amendments on the Supreme  
3 Court's public website and in the *Bar Bulletin* and to publish the amendments in the  
4 *New Mexico Rules Annotated*.

5           IT IS SO ORDERED.



WITNESS, the Honorable Michael E. Vigil, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New Mexico, and the seal of said Court this 1st day of November, 2021.

  
Jennifer L. Scott, Chief Clerk of the Supreme Court  
of the State of New Mexico