

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

2   **November 1, 2022**

3   **NO. 22-8300-022**

4   **IN THE MATTER OF THE AMENDMENT**  
5   **OF RULES 5-201 AND 5-302 NMRA OF**  
6   **THE RULES OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE**  
7   **FOR THE DISTRICT COURTS, RULE 6-**  
8   **202 NMRA OF THE RULES OF**  
9   **CRIMINAL PROCEDURE FOR THE**  
10   **MAGISTRATE COURTS, AND RULE 7-202**  
11   **NMRA OF THE RULES OF CRIMINAL**  
12   **PROCEDURE FOR THE**  
13   **METROPOLITAN COURTS**

14   **ORDER**

15           WHEREAS, this matter came on for consideration upon recommendation of  
16   the Rules of Criminal Procedure for State Courts Committee to amend Rules 5-201  
17   and 5-302 NMRA of the Rules of Criminal Procedure for the District Courts, Rule  
18   6-202 NMRA of the Rules of Criminal Procedure for the Magistrate Courts, and  
19   Rule 7-202 NMRA of the Rules of Criminal Procedure for the Metropolitan Courts,  
20   and the Court having considered the recommendation and being sufficiently advised,  
21   Chief Justice C. Shannon Bacon, Justice Michael E. Vigil, Justice David K.  
22   Thomson, Justice Julie J. Vargas, and Justice Briana H. Zamora concurring;

23           NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the amendment of Rules 5-201,  
24   5-302, 6-202, and 7-202 NMRA is APPROVED;


1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above-referenced amendments shall be  
2 **effective December 31, 2022;** and

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

7 IT IS SO ORDERED.



WITNESS, the Honorable C. Shannon Bacon, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New Mexico, and the seal of said Court this 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2022.

  
Elizabeth A. Garcia, Chief Clerk of the Supreme Court  
of the State of New Mexico