

Order

Michigan Supreme Court
Lansing, Michigan

December 26, 2024

Elizabeth T. Clement,
Chief Justice

ADM File No. 2016-10

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Amendment of Rule 2.002
of the Michigan Court Rules

On order of the Court, notice of the proposed changes and an opportunity for comment in writing and at a public hearing having been provided, and consideration having been given to the comments received, the following amendment of Rule 2.002 of the Michigan Court Rules is adopted, effective January 1, 2025.

[Additions to the text are indicated in underlining and
deleted text is shown by strikeover.]

Rule 2.002 Waiver of Fees for Indigent Persons

(A) Applicability and Scope.

(1) [Unchanged.]

(2) Except as provided in subrule (I), for the purpose of this rule “fees” applies only to fees required by MCL 600.857, MCL 600.878, MCL 600.880, MCL 600.880a, MCL 600.880b, MCL 600.880c, MCL 600.1027, MCL 600.1986, MCL 600.2529, MCL 600.5756, MCL 600.8371, MCL 600.8420, MCL 700.2517, MCL 700.5104, and MCL 722.717.

(3)-(6) [Unchanged.]

(B)-(L) [Unchanged.]

Staff Comment (ADM File No. 2016-10): The amendment of MCR 2.002 clarifies that fees charged for transcripts in probate cases are waivable under the rule as authorized in MCL 600.880d.

The staff comment is not an authoritative construction by the Court. In addition, adoption of a new rule or amendment in no way reflects a substantive determination by this Court.



I, Larry S. Royster, Clerk of the Michigan Supreme Court, certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the order entered at the direction of the Court.

December 26, 2024

Clerk