IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

RULES RELATING TO SUPREME COURT, COURT OF APPEALS, AND APPELLATE PRACTICE

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Rules on Internal Organization and Procedure Supreme Court of Kansas CARO O GREEN CLERK OF 1 VECOURTS

III. Petitions for Review of Court of Appeals Decisions (Rule 8.03)

Subsection III.A. is hereby amended, effective the date of this order.

A. Method of Assignment. Petitions for review of Court of Appeals decisions when filed in the office of the Clerk of the Appellate Courts shall be assigned for consideration and suggested disposition to justices, except the Chief Justice, on a rotating basis in order of seniority. The Clerk shall keep an An in-house record of each petition and the name of the justice to whom it has been assigned shall be kept. The original and one copy shall be delivered to the justice receiving the particular assignment. Copies shall be delivered to all other justices, including the Chief Justice. The Clerk shall designate in red ink at the top of all copies the date of filing and the name of the justice receiving the particular petition for review. Responses, if any, and all other pleadings filed subsequent to the petition for review shall be marked and distributed in the same manner as the petition.

When the time for response has expired, the justice to whom the petition for review has been assigned shall study the petition, response, if any, and all other pleadings, <u>and</u> arrive at a recommendation for action thereon, and prepare a short memorandum explaining the reasons for the recommendation. Copies of the memorandum shall be distributed to all other justices in advance of the conference of the court at which the The justices shall consider the recommendation and take final action on the petition is to be taken.

The vote of three justices shall be sufficient to grant any petition for review of a Court of Appeals decision.

By order of the Court, this 24th day of April 2013.

FOR THE COURT

Mula O Ludlet for
Lawton R. Nuss
Chief Justice