# IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE AT NASHVILLE

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## IN RE: AMENDMENT TO RULE 17, RULES OF THE TENNESSEE SUPREME COURT

### No. M2011-01596-SC-RL2-RL - Filed: July 27, 2011

### ORDER

Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 17 currently requires the completion of a uniform judgment document in all cases "except capital cases, see Tenn. Code Ann. § 39-13-204(f) and (g)." Because Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-35-209(f) requires the use of the uniform judgment document "for each criminal case . . . ," and because trial courts customarily use the uniform judgment document in capital cases, the Court hereby amends the first sentence of Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 17 by deleting the phrase quoted above. As amended, the first sentence shall conclude following "Tennessee Criminal Sentencing Reform Act of 1989." The foregoing amendment shall take effect upon the filing of this order. As a result of this amendment, the requirements of Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 17 will now apply to capital cases.

In addition to adopting the foregoing amendment to the text of Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 17, the Court has determined for the following two reasons that the uniform judgment document should be revised. First, statutory changes recently adopted by the General Assembly regarding sentencing in aggravated robbery cases require a revision of the uniform judgment document. Second, the Court concludes that other changes would improve the content of the uniform judgment document and would promote more consistency in the manner in which it is completed in the trial courts. Accordingly, the Court hereby adopts the revised uniform judgment document attached to this order. Because the District Attorneys General Conference and several counties will be required to reprogram computer systems which record case dispositions, the new uniform judgment document shall not take effect until November 1, 2011.

The Court hereby directs the Administrative Office of the Courts ("AOC") to provide the trial judges, court clerks, and affected agencies with a memorandum detailing the changes to the uniform judgment document. The AOC also shall provide them with an instruction manual regarding the uniform judgment document.

The Clerk shall provide a copy of this order to LexisNexis and to Thomson Reuters/West. In addition, this order shall be posted on the Tennessee Supreme Court's website.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE COURT:

Cornelia A. Clark, Chief JUSTICE

# IN THE CRIMINAL/CIRCUIT COURT OF \_\_\_\_\_\_COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Case Number:	Count #	Counsel for the State:
Judicial District: Judicial Division:		Counsel for the Defendant:
State of Tennessee		Retained Private Atty Appt Pub Def Appt
vs. Defendant:		Counsel Waived Pro Se
Date of Birth: Sex:	Race:	SSN:
Indictment Filing Date:	TOMIS/TDOC #	State Control #
State ID # County Offender ID # (if applicable)		
JUDGMENT Original Amended Corrected		
Comes the District Attorney General for the State and the defendant with counsel of record for entry of judgment.		
On the day of	, 20	, the defendant:
Pled Guilty Dismissed/Nolle Prosequi	Indict	ment: Class (circle one) 1 <sup>st</sup> A B C D E  George Misdemeanor
Pled Noio Contendere	Indicto	d Offense Name AND TCA §:
Pled Guilty – Certified Question Findings Incorporated		ded Offense Name AND TCA §:
Reference	Offens	e Date: County of Offense:
Is found:	Convi	ction Offense Name AND TCA §:
☐ Jury Verdict ☐ Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity		conviction offense methamphetamine related? $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No
Bench Trial		ce Imposed Date:
After considering the evidence, the entire record, and in the case of sentencing, all factors in Tennessee Code Annotated Title 40, Chapter 35, all of which are incorporated by reference herein, it is ORDERED and ADJUDGED that the conviction described above is imposed hereby and that a sentence and costs are imposed as follows:		
Sentence Reform Act of 1989	conviction deserte	Concurrent with: Pretrial Jail Credit Period(s):
Offender Status (Check One) Release Eligibility (Chec	k One)	
	ob w/Prior 100%	From to
	le Rapist 100% Rapist 100%	From to
Persistent I Multiple 35% Child Predator 1		Consecutive
	Violent 100%	to
$ \square \operatorname{Agg} \operatorname{Rob} 85\% \qquad \square \operatorname{Drug} F \\ \square \operatorname{Violent} 100\% \qquad \square \operatorname{Gang} F $		From to
Sentenced To: DOC County Jail Workhouse		
Sentence Length:YearsMonthsDaysHours Dife Dife wout Parole Death		
Mandatory Minimum Sentence Length: 39-17-417, 39-13-513, 39-13-514, or 39-17-432 in Prohibited Zone or 55-10-401 DUI 4 <sup>th</sup> Offense		
or 39-17-1324 Possession/Employment of Firearm or 40-39-208, -211 Violation of Sex Offender Registry Period of incarceration to be served prior to release on probation or Community Corrections:MonthsDaysHours		
Minimum service prior to eligibility for work release, furlough, trusty status and rehabilitative programs:% (Misdemeanor Only)		
Alternative Sentence:  Probation Community Corrections (CHECK ONE BOX) Years Months Days		
WAS DRUG COURT ORDERED AS A CONDITION OF THE ALTERNATIVE SENTENCE? Yes No		
Court Ordered Fees and Fines: Costs to be Pa		Restitution: Victim Name
Court Costs Defendant     Fine Assessed	State	Address
S File Assessed     S Traumatic Brain Injury Fund (68-55-301 e	t sea )	
Drug Testing Fund (TN Drug Control Act)		Total Amount \$ Per Month \$
\$CICF \$Sex Of	fender Tax	
\$Other:		Unpaid Community Service:HoursDaysWeeksMonths
The Defendant having been found guilty is rendered infamous and ordered to provide a biological specimen for the purpose of DNA analysis. Pursuant to 39-13-521 the defendant is ordered to provide a biological specimen for the purpose of HIV testing.		
Special Conditions Pursuant to 39-13-524 the defendant is source to provide a biological specific for the purpose of first desting.		
Judge's Name	Ju	dge's Signature Date of Entry of Judgment
Counsel for State/Signature (optional) Defendant/Defendant's Counsel/Signature (optional)		

I \_\_\_\_\_\_, clerk, hereby certify that, before entry by the court, a copy of this judgment was made available to the party or parties who did not provide a signature above. CR-3419 (Rev.11/1/11) RDA 1167