

1 IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

2 Administrative Order

3 Number 7 of 2020

4 In Re: Adams County Rule of Criminal Procedure 507

5 **ORDER OF COURT**

6 AND NOW, this 15th day of June, 2020, the Court hereby amends Rule 507 of the Adams
7 County Rules of Criminal Procedure as follows:

8 Rule 507. Approval of Certain Police Complaints by Attorney for the Commonwealth.

9 The District Attorney of Adams County having filed a certification pursuant to Pa. R.
10 Crim. P. 507, criminal complaints and arrest warrant affidavits by police officers charging any
11 of the following felony **or misdemeanor** crimes:

12 **[A. 18 Pa. C.S. Section 3121 - Rape (graded as a felony of the first degree)**

13 **B. 18 Pa. C.S. Section 3122.1 - Statutory Sexual Assault (graded as a felony of the
14 second degree)**

15 **C. 18 Pa. C.S. Section 3123 - Involuntary Deviate Sexual Intercourse (graded as a
16 felony of the first degree)**

17 **D. 18 Pa. C.S. Section 3124.1 - Sexual Assault (graded as a felony of the second
18 degree)**

19 **E. 18 Pa. C.S. Section 3125 - Aggravated Indecent Assault (graded as a felony of
20 the second degree)]**

21 **A. Corrupt Organizations in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 911**

22 **B. Criminal Homicide in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2501**

23 **C. Murder in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2502**

24 **D. Voluntary Manslaughter in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2503**

25 **E. Involuntary Manslaughter in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2504**

- 1 **F. Causing or Aiding Suicide in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2505**
- 2 **G. Drug Delivery Resulting in Death in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2506**
- 3 **H. Criminal Homicide of Law Enforcement Officer in violation 18 Pa. C.S. § 2507**
- 4 **I. Criminal Homicide of Unborn Child in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2603**
- 5 **J. Murder of Unborn Child in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2604**
- 6 **K. Voluntary Manslaughter of Unborn Child in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2605**
- 7 **L. Aggravated Assault of Unborn Child in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2606**
- 8 **M. Strangulation in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 2718**
- 9 **N. Rape in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 3121**
- 10 **O. Statutory Sexual Assault in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 3122.1**
- 11 **P. Involuntary Deviate Sexual Intercourse in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 3123**
- 12 **Q. Sexual Assault in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 3124.1**
- 13 **R. Institutional Sexual Assault in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 3124.2**
- 14 **S. Aggravated Indecent Assault in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 3125 (graded as a**
- 15 **felony of the second degree or higher)**
- 16 **T. Arson and Related Offenses in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 3301**
- 17 **U. Dealing in the Proceeds of Illegal Activity in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. § 5111**
- 18 **V. Homicide by Vehicle in violation of 75 Pa. C.S. § 3732**
- 19 **W. Homicide by Vehicle While Driving Under the Influence in violation of 75 Pa.**
- 20 **C.S. § 3735**
- 21 **X. Aggravated Assault by Vehicle While Driving Under the Influence in violation**
- 22 **of 75 Pa. C.S. § 3735.1**
- 23 **Y. Criminal Attempt, Criminal Solicitation, or Criminal Conspiracy to commit**
- 24 **any of the above offenses**

25 shall not hereafter be accepted by a judicial officer unless the complaint and affidavit has

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the approval of an attorney for the Commonwealth prior to filing.

This rule shall become effective after all the provisions of the Pennsylvania Rules of Judicial Administration 103 are met, to include the following:

- a. A certified copy of this Order shall be submitted to the Criminal Procedural Rules Committee for review.
- b. Upon receipt of a statement from the Criminal Procedural Rules Committee that the local rule is not inconsistent with any general rule of the Supreme Court, two (2) certified copies of this Order together with a computer diskette that complies with the requirement of 1 Pa. Code §13.11 (b), or other compliant format, containing the text of the local rule(s) adopted hereby shall be distributed to the Legislative Reference Bureau for publication in the Pennsylvania Bulletin.
- c. One copy of this Order shall be forwarded to the Administrative Office of the Pennsylvania Courts via e-mail to adminrules@pacourts.us;
- d. A copy of the proposed local rule(s) shall be published on the 51st Judicial District website;
- e. This Order shall be filed in the Office of the Prothonotary of Adams County and a copy thereof shall be filed with the Adams County Clerk of Courts and the Adams County Law Library for inspection and copying;
- f. The effective date of the local rule(s) shall be 30 days after publication in the Pennsylvania Bulletin.

BY THE COURT,

MICHAEL A. GEORGE
President Judge

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- 2 Executive Assistants to the Board of Judges
- 3 Magisterial District Judges
- 4 Court Administration
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- 6 District Attorney's Office
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