

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE**

**ORDER AMENDING RULE 11  
OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
CIVIL RULES**

This 25<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2020, IT IS ORDERED that:

- 1) Court of Common Pleas Civil Rule 11 is amended by deleting the material in brackets and including the material underlined, as follows:

Rule 11. Signing of pleadings, motions, and other papers: Representations to Court, sanctions

(a) Signature. -- Every pleading, motion, and other paper of a party represented by an attorney shall be signed by at least one attorney of record or bear the electronic signature in the attorney's individual name, or, if the party is not represented by an attorney, shall be signed by the party or bear the electronic signature of the party. Each paper shall state the signer's address, e-mail address, and telephone/cell phone number, if any. Except when otherwise specifically provided by statute or rule, pleadings need not be verified or accompanied by affidavit. An unsigned paper shall be stricken unless it is corrected promptly after the omission of the signature is called to the attention of the attorney or party. If a pleading, motion or other paper is not signed it shall be stricken unless it is signed promptly after the omission is called to the attention of the pleader or movant.

- 2) This rule amendment is effective August 27, 2020.