

**SUPERIOR COURT  
OF THE  
STATE OF DELAWARE**

**HENRY duPONT RIDGELY**  
PRESIDENT JUDGE

**KENT COUNTY COURT HOUSE  
38 THE GREEN  
DOVER, DELAWARE 19901**

**ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTIVE  
OF THE  
PRESIDENT JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT  
OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE**

**NO. 2003-7**

**DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN NON-ADR CASES  
FOR eFILING PURSUANT TO  
SUPERIOR COURT CIVIL RULE 79.1**

This 12th day of August, 2003:

As the first state court in the nation to implement electronic filing in 1991, the Superior Court has direct experience through its Complex Litigation Automated Docket (“CLAD”) with the speed, efficiency, storage savings and cost savings that electronic filing provides the Court, counsel and litigants. The Court has made a transition to a new electronic filing (“eFiling”) system pursuant to a revised Superior Court Civil Rule 79.1. Our electronic filing service provider for this system is LexisNexis File & Serve. Cases previously on CLAD were converted to eFiling effective January 27, 2003. Eventually the system will apply to all civil filings in the Superior Court. This Directive is made to facilitate the next phase of that conversion for eFiling and to expand eFiling statewide.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS DIRECTED** as follows:

1. Effective October 6, 2003, all new civil actions filed with the Prothonotary in

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any county in which counsel for the claimant(s) has certified pursuant to Civil Rule 16.1 that damages exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) exclusive of interest and costs shall be filed using the LexisNexis File & Serve eFiling system.

/s/ Henry duPont Ridgely  
President Judge

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