

# In the Supreme Court of the State of Idaho

IN RE: AMENDMENTS TO IDAHO )  
COURT ADMINISTRATIVE RULE 52 ) ORDER  
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The Court, having reviewed a recommendation to amend the following rule, and the Court being fully informed:

IT IS ORDERED that Idaho Court Administrative Rule 52 be amended as follows:

## **Idaho Court Administrative Rule 52. Court Interpreters**

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**(c) Definitions.** For the purpose of these rules, the following words have the following meanings:

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(3) "Certified interpreter" means an individual who has:

(A) completed ~~the Intro to Court Interpretation class~~ an Administrative Office of the Court's (AOC) approved court interpretation introduction class;

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(4) "Certified – Master Level interpreter" means an individual who has passed the federal court interpreter certification exam, or:

(A) completed ~~the Intro to Court Interpretation class~~ an AOC-approved court interpretation introduction class;

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(5) "Conditionally approved interpreter" means an individual who has:

(A) completed ~~the Intro to Court Interpretation class~~ an AOC-approved court interpretation introduction class;

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(11) "Registered interpreter" means an interpreter for a language for which an NCSC oral certification exam does not exist, yet the individual has:

(A) completed ~~the Intro to Court Interpretation class~~ an AOC-approved court interpretation introduction class;

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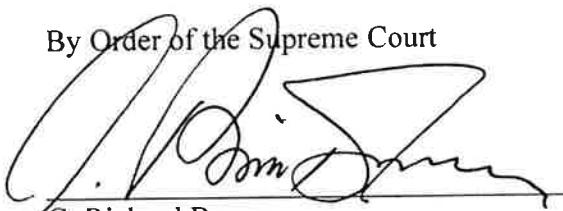
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order and these amendments shall be effective immediately.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above designation of the striking of words from the Rule by lining through them, and the designation of the addition of new portions of the Rule by underlining such new portion is for the purposes of information only as amended, and NO OTHER AMENDMENTS ARE INTENDED. The lining though and underlining shall not be considered a part of the permanent Idaho Court Administrative Rules.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that notice of this Order shall be published for three consecutive weeks on the Idaho State Bar's website and in its weekly E-Bulletin, and that as soon as practicable, a summary of the amendment(s) effected by this Order shall be published in one issue of *The Advocate*.

DATED this 5<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2026.

By Order of the Supreme Court



G. Richard Bevan,  
Chief Justice, Idaho Supreme Court

ATTEST:

  
Melanie Gagnepain, Clerk

I, Melanie Gagnepain, Clerk of the Supreme Court/  
Court of Appeals of the State of Idaho, do hereby  
Certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the  
Order entered in the above entitled  
cause and now on record in my office. WITNESS my  
hand and the Seal of this Court 25-2026  
Melanie Gagnepain, Clerk

By  Deputy