



## **I.R.E. 1005. Public Records.**

### **Idaho Rules of Evidence Rule 1005. Copies of Public Records to Prove Content.**

**(a) Proof of public record.** The proponent may use a copy to prove the content of an official record – or of a document that was recorded or filed in a public office as authorized by law – if these conditions are met: the record or document is otherwise admissible; and the copy is certified as correct in accordance with Rule 902(4) or is testified to be correct by a witness who has compared it with the original. If no such copy can be obtained by reasonable diligence, then the proponent may use other evidence to prove the content.

**(b) Use of official transcripts of district court proceedings.** In all cases where a party desires to place in evidence a transcript or partial transcript of a district court proceeding, or disclose the contents of a transcript during the examination of a witness, the transcript must be an official transcript as provided in , Idaho Court Administrative Rule 27(d).

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