EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT: ARAPAHOE, DOUGLAS, ELBERT and LINCOLN COUNTIES, COLORADO	•COURT USE ONLY •
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Lincoln County Courthouse PO Box 128, 103 Third Avenue Hugo, Colorado 80821	
ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER REGARDING BONDS FOR COSTS ON APPEAL IN CIVIL CASES	

Pursuant to the authority granted to chief judges of the judicial districts of the State of Colorado by Chief Justice Directive 95-01, "Authority and Responsibility of Chief Judges," the undersigned, in her capacity as Chief Judge, enters the following Administrative Order Regarding Bonds for Costs on Appeal in Civil Cases.

Colorado Appellate Rule 7 states that,

Unless an appellant is exempted by law, or has filed a supersedeas bond or other undertaking which includes security for the payment of costs on appeal, in civil cases a bond

for costs on appeal or equivalent security shall be filed by the appellant in the trial court with the notice of appeal; but security shall not be required of an appellant who is not subject to costs.

C.A.R. 7. Furthermore, "[t]he bond or equivalent security shall be in the sum or value of \$250 *unless the trial court fixes a different amount*." *Id*. (emphasis added).

Here, the Eighteenth Judicial District no longer incurs costs when preparing the record. Accordingly, pursuant to the language of C.A.R. 7, the Eighteenth Judicial District will no longer impose a cost bond in any amount for new appeals in civil cases being filed to the Court of Appeals or Supreme Court. This administrative order does not preclude an Appellee from filing an objection.

Dated this 7th day of June of 2019.

BY THE COURT:

Michelle A. Amico Chief Judge Eighteenth Judicial District