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MOTIONS AND STIPULATIONS FOR LEAVE TO AMEND PLEADINGS

~~(a) **Form; Attachments.**—A party who moves for leave to amend a pleading, or who seeks to amend a pleading by stipulation and order, must attach a copy of the proposed amended pleading as an exhibit to the motion or stipulation, which ~~must~~^{shall} indicate in what respect it differs from the pleading which it amends, by bracketing or striking through the text to be deleted and underlining the text to be added. The proposed amended pleading is not to incorporate by reference any part of the preceding pleading, including exhibits. If a motion or stipulation for leave to amend is granted, the party whose pleading was amended must file and serve the amended pleading on all parties under Rule 5 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure within fourteen (14) days of the filing of the order granting leave to amend, unless the Court orders otherwise.~~

~~(b) *Lodging of Original Proposed Amendments.*—A party who moves for leave to amend a pleading, or who otherwise seeks to amend a pleading by leave of court including by stipulation and order, must lodge with the Clerk of Court an original of the proposed amended pleading. The original must not be physically attached or made an exhibit to a motion to amend, a stipulation to amend, or any other pleading and must contain the original signature of the attorney or unrepresented party proposing the amendment. The amended pleading is not to incorporate by reference any part of the proceeding pleading, including exhibits.~~

~~—(c) *Effective Date of Filing Amendments; Service.*—The entry of the order granting leave to amend the pleading~~

~~constitutes the filing date of the amended pleading and the Clerk of Court shall file the lodged pleading once the order is entered. The filing date of the amended pleading always constitutes the act from which the time for service begins to run. Unless otherwise ordered by the Court, or when the amendment adds a new party, the party who amended shall serve the amended pleading within ten (10) days of the filing date of such pleading and file a certificate of service.~~