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PREFACE

This convenient reference Pamphlet, in form suitable for courtroom and office use, contains the text of the—
Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

Supplemental Rules—Admiralty or Maritime Claims and Asset Forfeiture Actions.

Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation.

Rules Governing Habeas Corpus Cases and Motions Attacking Sentence.

Federal Rules of Evidence.

Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.

Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Title 28, Judiciary and Judicial Procedure.

Miscellaneous provisions from sections 2 to 39 of Act June 25, 1948, c. 646, are set out after the text of Title 28. The Constitution of the United States follows the Miscellaneous provisions. Provisions relating to Ethics in Government are set out in Title 5.

With the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, a combined Time Table for Lawyers under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, and the Rules of the Supreme Court is also included. This Table indicates the time for various procedural steps required by the Rules.

WHAT'S NEW

This pamphlet updates the rules and statutes in the 2025 Revised Edition Pamphlet. Rule amendments are current as received to January 9, 2026, and statutes are current through Public Law 119-74, approved January 23, 2026.

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