

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

President Judge General Court Regulation No. 2005-06

In Re: Adoption of Philadelphia Civil Rule 1920.51(f)(3)(x) and (xi)

ORDER

AND NOW, this 14th day of October, 2005, the Board of Judges of Philadelphia County having voted at the Board of Judges' meeting held on September 22, 2005 to adopt Philadelphia Civil Rule 1920.51(f)(3)(x) and (xi), IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Philadelphia Civil Rule 1920.51(f)(3)(x) and (xi) is adopted as attached hereto.

This General Court Regulation is issued in accordance with Pa.R.Civil.P.No. 239 and shall become effective [thirty (30) days after publication in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*]. As required by Rule 239, the original General Court Regulation shall be filed with the Prothonotary in a Docket maintained for General Court Regulations issued by the President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia County, and copies shall be submitted to the Civil Procedural Rules Committee, the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts, and shall be posted on the website of the Unified Judicial System at: <http://ujportal.pacourts.us>. Copies of the Order shall also be submitted to American Lawyer Media, *The Legal Intelligencer*, Jenkins Memorial Law Library, and the Law Library for the First Judicial District of Pennsylvania, and posted on the website of the First Judicial District: <http://courts.phila.gov>.

BY THE COURT:

HON. FREDERICA A. MASSIAH-JACKSON
PRESIDENT JUDGE,
COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF
PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

Philadelphia Rule of Civil Procedure

Family Court Division

AMENDMENT TO LOCAL RULE 1920.51(f)(3)(x) and (xi)

Key:

~~Strikethrough~~ = Old Language

Underline, bold = New Language

Rule 1920.51 *Hearing by the Court Appointment of Master. Notice of Hearing*

(f)(3)(x) Either party may within ~~ten (10) days~~ **Twenty (20) days** after the mailing date of the Master's report and proposed Order, file with the ~~Prothonotary~~ **Clerk of Family Court** a praecipe for trial de novo by a Judge, and shall forthwith serve time-stamped copies thereof on the opposing counsel of record or unrepresented party, ~~the Clerk of Family Court~~, and the Permanent Master. The case thereafter shall be listed before a Judge for a full evidentiary hearing.

(f)(3)(xi) In the event there is no demand for a trial filed within ~~ten (10) days~~ **Twenty (20) days** following mailing of the report and proposed Order of the Permanent Master, such report and proposed Order shall be submitted to the Court for approval and entry of a Decree.