

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF MARYLAND

R U L E S O R D E R

This Court's Standing Committee on Rules of Practice and Procedure having submitted its Two Hundred and Ninth Report to the Court, containing, *inter alia*, an informational item regarding 2021 Laws of Maryland, Chapter 428;

This Court having requested a proposed new Rule consistent with the purpose of the statute as described in its Title;

The Rules Committee, having submitted to the Court and posted for comment on the website of the Maryland Judiciary a Third Supplement to the Two Hundred and Ninth Report, dated February 14, 2022, transmitting thereby proposed new Rule 1-314; and

This Court having considered the proposed new Rule at an open meeting, notice of which was posted as prescribed by law, and no comments having been received, it is this 13th day of April, 2022

ORDERED, by the Court of Appeals of Maryland, that new Rule 1-314 be, and it is hereby, adopted in the form attached to this Order; and it is further

ORDERED that new Rule 1-314 hereby adopted by this Court shall govern the courts of this State and all parties and their attorneys in all actions and proceedings, and shall take effect and apply to all actions commenced on or after July 1, 2022 and, insofar as practicable, to all actions then pending; and it is further

ORDERED that a copy of this Order be posted promptly on the website of the Maryland Judiciary.

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Clerk

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Suzanne C. Johnson, Clerk

MARYLAND RULES OF PROCEDURE
TITLE 1 - GENERAL PROVISIONS
CHAPTER 300 - GENERAL PROVISIONS

ADD New Rule 1-314, as follows:

Rule 1-314. DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY NONGOVERNMENTAL CORPORATE PARTY

(a) Generally

A nongovernmental corporate party in a civil action shall comply with the disclosure requirement of Code, Courts Article, § 6-412 by filing a disclosure statement in accordance with this Rule. An entity other than a nongovernmental corporate party is not required to file such a statement.

(b) Required Disclosure Contents

A nongovernmental corporate party shall file a disclosure statement that (1) identifies any parent corporation and any publicly held corporation owning 10% or more of its stock, or (2) states that there is no such corporation.

(c) Time to File; Supplemental Statement

A disclosure statement under this Rule shall be filed with the party's first appearance, pleading, petition, motion, response, or other request addressed to the court. The party

promptly shall file a supplemental statement if any required information changes.

Source: This Rule is new. It is derived from Fed. R. Civ. P. 7.1.