

## **TITLE 6 – COURTS**

### **CHAPTER 3 - RULES OF COURT**

#### **ARTICLE 10 - ORDER ESTABLISHING REQUIREMENT FOR NOTARY**

*History: Administrative Order 04-09, adopting “IN RE: Order Establishing Requirement for Notary,” was ordered on July 1, 2009 and formally adopted a long-standing practice of the Tohono O’odham Judicial Court requiring sworn or verified statements filed with the court to be notarized.*

***NOTE: Pursuant to Article VIII, Section 10(d) of the Constitution of the Tohono O’odham Nation and Section 1106(A) of 6 T.O.C. Chapter I, Courts and Procedures, the Judicial Court is vested with the power to promulgate rules regulating pleading, practice and procedure in all Judicial Court proceedings. The Judicial Court rules are therefore subject to enactment, amendment, or repeal at any time by administrative order issued by the chief judge. Practitioners are accordingly cautioned to contact the Judicial Court for copies of current court rules.***

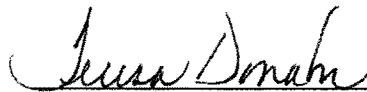
1 In the Judicial Court of the Tohono O'odham Nation

2 County of Pima, In the State of Arizona

3 IN RE: Order Establishing Requirement ) ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
 4 for Notary ) No.: 04-09  
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7 This Administrative Order formally adopts a long-standing practice of the Tohono  
 8 O'odham Courts regarding sworn or verified statements filed with the court. Wherever,  
 9 under any rule, regulation, order, or requirement made pursuant to any Tohono O'odham  
 10 procedure, including procedures adopted pursuant to Administrative Order 03-09, any  
 11 matter required or permitted to be supported, evidenced, established, or proved by a  
 12 sworn written declaration, verification, certificate, oath, or affidavit of the person making  
 13 the same must be notarized by a qualified notary public. This Order is effective  
 14 immediately and shall supersede and rescind any conflicting procedures or policies now  
 15 in effect.

16 Dated and entered this 1<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2009.

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Teresa Donahue  
Interim Chief Judge  
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