

**AMENDMENTS TO THE  
RULES OF SUPERINTENDENCE FOR THE COURTS OF OHIO**

On December 12, 2013, the Supreme Court of Ohio adopted a new rule and new form to the Rules of Superintendence for the Courts of Ohio (new Sup.R. 95 and new Form 95) effective January 1, 2014.

**RULES OF SUPERINTENDENCE FOR THE COURTS OF OHIO**

**RULE 95. Notifying Law Enforcement Agencies of Mental Illness.**

**(A) Definitions**

As used in this rule:

- (1) “Local law enforcement agency” means the police department of a municipal corporation in which an offense occurred or, if the offense did not occur in a municipal corporation, the sheriff of the county in which the offense occurred.
- (2) “Mental illness” has the same meaning as in R.C. 5122.01.
- (3) “Offense of violence” has the same meaning as in R.C. 2901.01.

**(B) Completion of form**

A court shall complete “Form 95” upon issuance, modification, or termination of a court order doing any of the following:

- (1) Ordering a person who pled guilty to or who was convicted of an offense of violence to receive a mental health evaluation;
- (2) Ordering a person who pled guilty to or who was convicted of an offense of violence to receive treatment for mental illness;
- (3) Approving a conditional release of a person who was found not guilty by reason of insanity;
- (4) Approving a conditional release of a person who was found incompetent to stand trial with no substantial probability of becoming competent again even with a course of treatment.

**(C) Filing of form**

Upon completion of "Form 95," a court shall submit a copy of the court order and the form to the local law enforcement agency for entrance of the information into the "National Crime Information Center Supervised Release File" through the "Law Enforcement Automated Data System" pursuant to R.C. 2929.44(B) and 2945.402(E)(1).



A conspiracy or attempt to commit, or complicity in committing, any offense of violence. R.C. or Ord. \_\_\_\_\_

**MISCELLANEOUS FIELD**

Defendant pled guilty to or was convicted of an offense of violence and was ordered by the court to receive a mental health evaluation.

Defendant pled guilty to or was convicted of an offense of violence and was ordered by the court to receive treatment for mental illness.

Defendant was found not guilty by reason of insanity. If you have contact with this person, please notify the Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services at [mha.notify@mha.ohio.gov](mailto:mha.notify@mha.ohio.gov). The court approved the conditional release for the following reasons:

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Defendant was found incompetent to stand trial with no substantial probability of becoming competent again even with a course of treatment. If you have contact with this person, please notify the Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services at [mha.notify@mha.ohio.gov](mailto:mha.notify@mha.ohio.gov). The court approved the conditional release for the following reasons:

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**DATE OF ORDER:** \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

*NOTE:* Indicate date on which the court ordered the defendant to receive a mental health evaluation or treatment, or approved conditional release.

**TERMINATION OF ORDER FOR MENTAL HEALTH EVALUATION OR TREATMENT:**

**NONEXPIRING (NONEXP) OR** \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

**TERMINATION OF CONDITIONAL RELEASE OR COMMITMENT:**

**NONEXPIRING (NONEXP) OR** \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

*NOTE:* Indicate "NONEXPIRING" if the date on which the order for mental health evaluation, mental health treatment, or conditional release or commitment would terminate is not known to the court at the time the order is issued. When the termination date is known, complete a new Form 95 and check "Termination of Previous Notice" on page 1.

**POINT OF CONTACT:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
First Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Agency/Department

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail

*NOTE:* "POINT OF CONTACT" may be a probation officer or forensic monitor to whom the defendant reports.