

Proposed Amendment to Rule 6

Rule 6 is amended as follows:

Rule 6. Computing and Extending Time; Time for Motion Papers

(a) Computing Time.

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(6) “Legal Holiday” Defined. “Legal holiday” means:

(A) the day set aside by statute for observing New Year’s Day, Martin Luther King Jr.’s Birthday, Washington’s Birthday, Memorial Day, **Juneteenth National Independence Day**, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans’ Day, Thanksgiving Day, or Christmas Day; and

(B) any day declared a holiday by the President or Congress.

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(As amended, eff. Jan. 1, 1985; June 19, 1985, eff. Oct. 1, 1985; Apr. 28, 1987, eff. June 1, 1987; July 28, 1988, eff. Nov. 1, 1988; Oct. 3, 1990, eff. Jan. 1, 1991; Nov. 29, 2005, eff. Jan. 1, 2006; Nov. 27, 2007, eff. Jan. 1, 2008; Nov. 25, 2008, eff. Jan. 1, 2009; Dec. 7, 2010, eff. Jan. 1, 2011; Dec. 22, 2014, eff. Jan. 28, 2015; Mar. 20, 2018, Apr. 23, 2018; June 22, 2021, eff. July 26, 2021; _____, **eff.** _____.)

Advisory Committee Note

The proposed amendment to Rule 6(a)(6) would bring the Court’s rule into compliance with the current version of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure by adding a reference to the federal holiday, Juneteenth National Independence Day.