

Amendment to Circuit Rule 1

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Scope of Rules; General Provisions

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(c) Court Employees Not to Practice Law. No one employed in any capacity by ~~the~~ this court may engage in the practice of law while continuing in such position; ~~no~~ no former employee may practice as an attorney in any ~~matter connected with any case that was~~ matter connected with any case that was pending in ~~the~~ this court during his or her term of service. This rule does not apply to a former employee when employed by another court; the rules of such court shall govern his or her employment in that court. For the purposes of this rule, a case is pending in this court upon the docketing of a notice of appeal, or the filing of a petition, in this court. See also FRAP 45(a). Effective September 1, 2016, no former employee of this court may appear at counsel table or on pleadings in any case in this court for a period of one year after leaving court employment. This rule is in addition to any statutory, regulatory, professional, or other obligations that may apply to a particular individual.

