

LOCAL RULES FOR THE SUPERIOR COURT OF SPOKANE COUNTY

Originally Effective January 1, 1979

Including Amendments Received Through
February 1, 2004

Adopted on an Emergency Basis
To be Effective 2/1/04

LAR 0.1 DEPARTMENTS OF COURT

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No. 5 1909 Hon. ~~Richard J. Schroeder~~ Michael
P. Price

Amended effective 2/1/04

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LCrR 4.5 OMNIBUS HEARINGS AND MOTIONS

(d) **Criminal Motions.** Criminal Motions under CrR 3.5

shall ordinarily be heard by the assigned trial judge. However, CrR 3.5 motions may be specially set prior to trial date by the Chief Criminal Judge upon a showing of good cause. Criminal motions under CrR 3.6 shall be noted with the Chief Criminal Judge, who will either schedule the matter before the Chief Criminal Judge or assign it to another judge. Motions under CrR 3.6 shall be heard at least 14 days before trial and shall be accompanied by all supporting materials required by CrR 3.6. The moving party will file all memoranda, affidavits and certificates at least ~~five~~ six days prior to the hearing. The responding party shall file all responsive memoranda, affidavits and certificates at least one day prior to the hearing. The judge who will hear the CrR 3.6 motion will, pursuant to that rule, determine if an evidentiary hearing is required. The time limit prescribed by this rule may be waived by the Chief Criminal Judge upon a showing of newly discovered evidence or a basis for the motion that could not have been developed by an exercise of due diligence.

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3.5 = confession

3.6 = suppression

Defense must file
3.6 at least 20
days before trial.