

At a Stated Term of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, held at the Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse, 40 Foley Square, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of November, Two Thousand Sixteen,

PRESENT: Robert A. Katzmann,
Chief Judge
Dennis Jacobs
José A. Cabranes
Rosemary S. Pooler
Reena Raggi
Peter W. Hall
Debra A. Livingston
Denny Chin
Raymond J. Lohier, Jr.
Susan L. Carney
Christopher F. Droney,
Circuit Judges

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the Local Rules of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, following the 30-day public comment period prescribed by 28 U.S.C. § 2071(b) and Fed. R. App. P. 47(a)(1), are amended as follows, effective December 1, 2016:

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L.R. 4.3 **Duty Regarding the 1980 Hague Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction**

When a party files a notice of appeal in a case that includes a claim under the 1980 Hague Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction and the International Child Abduction Remedies Act, 22 U.S.C. § 9001 et seq., the party must immediately notify this court of such a claim by letter.

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L.R. 27.1 Motions

(a) Form, Contents, Number of Paper Copies

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(3) Attachments. A movant must attach to Form T-1080 any affidavit or other document necessary to support the motion, and may attach a memorandum of law that complies with the length [page] limits of FRAP 27(d)(2).

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L.R. 28.1.1 Cross-Appeals; Word Limitations

(a) Appellant's Briefs. The appellant's principal brief and the appellant's response-and- reply brief is acceptable if each contains no more than 14,000 words.

(b) Appellee's Principal-and-Response Brief. The appellee's principal-and- response brief is acceptable if it contains no more than 16,500 words.

(c) Appellee's Reply Brief. The appellee's reply brief is acceptable if it contains no more than 7,000 words.

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L.R. 29.1 Brief of an Amicus Curiae

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(b) Disclosure. The required disclosure statement under FRAP 29(a) (4)(E) [(c)(5)] must appear in the first footnote on the first page of the brief.

(c) Amicus Brief Length Limitation. An amicus brief filed under FRAP 29(a) is acceptable if it is no more than one-half the maximum length authorized by these local rules.

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L.R. 32.1 Form of Brief and Appendix

(a) Form of Brief

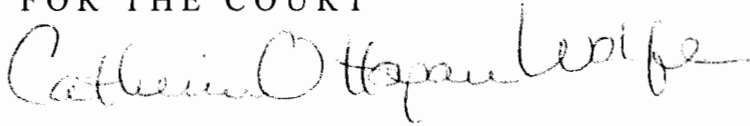
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(4) Word Limitations.

(A) Principal Brief. A principal brief is acceptable if it contains no more than 14,000 words.

(B) Reply Brief. A reply brief is acceptable if it contains no more than 7,000 words.

FOR THE COURT



Catherine O'Hagan Wolfe
Clerk of Court

New York, NY
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**At a Stated Term of the United States Court of Appeals for the
Second Circuit, held at the Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse,
40 Foley Square, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, Two
Thousand Seventeen,**

PRESENT: Robert A. Katzmann,
Chief Judge
Dennis Jacobs
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Rosemary S. Pooler
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Peter W. Hall
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Circuit Judges

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the Local Rules of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, following the 30-day public comment period prescribed by 28 U.S.C. § 2071(b) and Fed. R. App. P. 47(a)(1), are amended as follows, effective immediately:

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L.R. 27.1 Motions

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(e) Motion to File Oversized Brief

- (1) Motion Disfavored.** The court disfavors motions to file a brief exceeding the length permitted by L.R. 28.1.1 and 32.1(a)(4) [FRAP32(a)(7)].

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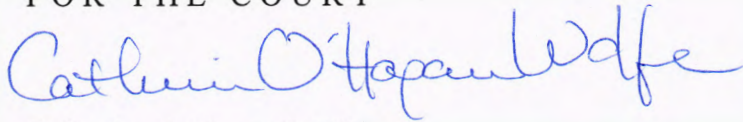
L.R. 29.1 Brief of an Amicus Curiae

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- (c) **Amicus Brief Length Limitation.** An amicus brief filed under FRAP 29(a) is acceptable if it is no more than one-half the maximum length authorized by these local rules for a party's principal brief.

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FOR THE COURT



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