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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF APACHE

STATE OF ARIZONA,

Plaintiff

v.

CHRISTOPHER DANE RUFF

Defendant.

No. S0100-CR202600127

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE -
LIMITED**

Pursuant to Rule 6.3 (a), Ariz. R. Crim. P., attorney Russell Facente, hereby enters his LIMITED appearance on behalf of Defendant Christopher Dane Ruff in the above captioned matter, for the limited purpose of expediting the following while Mr. Ruff is in custody:

1. Filing a request for, and appearing on behalf of Mr. Ruff at, an expedited Bond Reconsideration Hearing.

At the conclusion of the above, Mr. Ruff requests a public defender contracted in Apache County be assigned to his case, upon a finding in indigency.

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2 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 30th day of July 2026.

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4 **RUSSELL FACENTE, ESQ.**

5 By: /s/ Russell Brian Facente
6 RUSSELL BRIAN FACENTE
7 Attorney for the Defendant
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9 A copy of this Notice was e-filed this
10 30th day of July 2026, to:

11 Apache County Superior Court
12 70 W 3rd Street South
13 St. Johns, Arizona 85936

14 Daniel Taylor
15 Deputy County Attorney
16 Apache County Attorney's Office
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18 By /s/ Russell Brian Facente
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