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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PIMA

THE STATE OF ARIZONA,	)	Case No.: CR20262247-001
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	NOTICE OF CHANGE OF JUDGE
	)	
vs.	)	
	)	
JAMES ALAN SPRINGER, JR,	)	
	)	Honorable Catherine Woods
Defendant	)	Division 17
	)	

Defendant James Alan Springer, Jr., by and through undersigned counsel, hereby requests a change of judge from the Honorable Catherine Woods, Division 17, as provided by Rule 10.2, Arizona Rules of Criminal Procedure.

This request is made in good faith and not:

1. For the purpose of delay;
2. To obtain a severance;
3. To interfere with the reasonable case management practices of a judge;
4. To remove a judge for reasons of race, gender or religious affiliation;
5. For the purpose of using the rule against a particular judge in a blanket fashion by a prosecuting agency, defender group or law firm;

6. To obtain a more convenient geographical location; or
7. To obtain advantage or avoid disadvantage in connection with a plea bargain or at sentencing, except as permitted under Rule 17.4(g).

Respectfully submitted this 27th day of July, 2026.

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Electronically filed and distributed to the following parties:

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