

instructing parties they have a certain number of days to object.

Brent Hall reviewed the practice of filing URCP 7 motions. He also clarified that the language states "unless otherwise directed by the court." This requires the court to provide direction prior to the order being sent out. This would include direction to attorneys in the courtroom to review the order before the judge signs it from the bench.

Carol Verdoia addressed a second issue which relates to electronic filing of orders. Pursuant to URCP 7(f), the attorney should send the order to opposing counsel and then wait 5 days before submitting it to the court for signature. However, orders are being uploaded on the same day they are sent to opposing counsel. This causes problems with the 5 day objection period because the order is available to the judge in CARE prior to the conclusion of the objection period. Judge Lindsley explained the practice of labeling the order "unsigned" until signed by the judge when it is then designated as a "signed order" in CARE. In some districts the orders are being held for the appropriate objection period before making them available to the judge for signing. A short discussion followed on the "growing pains" of moving to eFiling and an electronic record.

AGENDA TOPIC

V. Old or New Business	ALL
<p>New Business: Carol received a letter from Chief Justice Durrant noting that the URJP does not have a recording secretary other than the staff attorney assigned to the committee. The letter encourages the committee to recruit a recording secretary pursuant to Rule 11-101(8). He further notes that while Supreme Court approval of the committee's selection is not required, he requests the committee notify him of its selection. The committee asked Katie Gregory to review the matter and clarify whether the recording secretary should be a member of the committee. Carol Verdoia and Katie Gregory will investigate the request further and the committee will address it at its next meeting.</p> <p>The committee set its next meetings on June 6, 2014 and August 1, 2014 from Noon to 2:00 p.m.</p>	