

Criminal Rule 6(f)

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Dear Committee:

I join in Judge Stewart's request that Rule 6(f) be amended to allow the grand jury to return indictments directly to the Clerk's Office.

I also agree with Bryan Garner that "[b]ecause the - person words are so ugly and ineffective, a better nonsexist expression is presiding juror." Bryan Garner, A Dictionary of Modern Legal Usage, Sexism (B), p. 802 (2d ed. 1995).

Thank you for your consideration of these two requests.

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