

STATE OF MAINE

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT
Sitting as the Law Court
Docket No. Cum-24-82

Peter Masucci et al.

v.

**ORDER MODIFYING BRIEFING
RULES**

Judy's Moody, LLC, et al.

Peter Masucci et al. have moved for the modification of several rules regarding briefing. The motion indicates that the other parties agree to the various requests.

The motion is GRANTED. The briefing rules are modified as follows:

1. Each party's principal brief may exceed the page limits provided in M.R. App. P. 7A(f)(1) but may not exceed 75 pages or 18,750 words.

2. Each appellee¹ whose appellee's brief addresses the appellee's cross-appeal may file a reply brief in response to appellants' reply briefs. The appellee's reply brief must not exceed 15 pages or 4,500 words and must be strictly confined to responding to arguments raised by the appellants in opposition to the appellee's cross-appeal.

¹ The motion indicates that the parties have agreed that, in addition to Peter Masucci et al., Orlando Delogu and the Attorney General will be treated as appellants in this appeal. The motion requests an order requiring Delogu and the Attorney General to file appellant's briefs, but given that the rule permits the parties to agree to that arrangement, *see* M.R. App. P. 2C(a)(3), an order is unnecessary.

3. Any interested person or organization may file a brief as an amicus curiae without consent of the parties or leave of the Court.

4. The appendix may exceed one volume of 150 sheets of paper (printed on both sides) but may not exceed two volumes of 150 sheets of paper.

Dated: May 15, 2024

For the Court,



Associate Justice