

DUCiv R 7-____ REQUEST TO SUBMIT FOR DECISION

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Reporter's Note: This new rule is proposed to be placed in the local rules augmenting FRCP 7. The rule provides for the filing of a request to submit for decision in order for litigants to assist the court in alerting chambers when a motion is ripe and ready for ruling. The proposed rule provides that the filing of a request is optional and that, in the federal court, failure to file a request to submit for decision does not bar the motion from decision by the court, unlike Utah state court procedures.

When the briefing on a motion has been completed or when the time for such briefing has expired, either party may file a "Request to Submit for Decision." The request to submit for decision shall state the date on which the motion was served, the date the opposing memorandum, if any was served, the date of the reply memorandum, if any, was served and whether a hearing has been requested.