

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY

It is ORDERED that the attached amendments to Rule 4:57-3 of the Rules Governing the Courts of the State of New Jersey are adopted effective retroactive to January 1, 2010.

For the Court,

/s/ Stuart Rabner

Chief Justice

Dated: January 5, 2010

4:57-3. Accounts; Audit [; Investment Advisory Committee]

(a) Superior Court. Regular books of account shall be kept by such persons and in such manner as the Chief Justice directs, and the [Clerk of the] Superior Court Trust Fund Unit shall furnish statements and transcripts from said books, showing the condition of an estate or fund to any person interested therein. An annual audit of funds deposited and the investments thereof shall be made as of June 30th [and December 31st] of each year by certified public accountants designated by the Chief Justice, who shall make a detailed report thereof to the Chief Justice and the [Clerk] Administrative Director of the Courts. The [Clerk] Superior Court Trust Fund Unit shall make a report to the Chief Justice as to the funds deposited and the investments thereof as of June 30th [December 31st] of each year. The reports shall be filed as public records. [The Chief Justice shall appoint a committee of three persons experienced in the investment of funds to advise and consult as to the investment of all estates and funds held by the court.]

(b) ... no change

Note: Source-R.R. 4:72-4, 5:5-2 (second, third and fourth sentences) 5:5-5(d). Paragraph (b) amended December 26, 1979 to be effective January 1, 1980; paragraph (a) amended July 26, 1984 to be effective September 10, 1984; paragraphs (a) and (b) amended July 13, 1994 to be effective September 1, 1994; caption and paragraph (a) amended January 5, 2010 to be effective retroactive to January 1, 2010.