

**CHAPTER 132****COURT ACTIONS AND PROCEDURES****Authority**

N.J.S.A. 30:1A-1, 30:4C-4(h), 30:4C-4.1 and 30:4C-4.2.

**Source and Effective Date**

R.2007 d.74, effective February 1, 2007.  
See: 38 N.J.R. 3735(a), 39 N.J.R. 781(b).

**Chapter Expiration Date**

Chapter 132, Court Actions and Procedures, expires on February 1, 2012.

**Chapter Historical Note**

Chapter 132, Court Actions and Procedures, was adopted as R.1981 d.434, effective November 16, 1981. See: 13 N.J.R. 595(b), 13 N.J.R. 846(c). Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 132, Court Actions and Procedures, expired on November 16, 1986.

Chapter 132, Court Actions and Procedures, was adopted as new rules by R.1987 d.16, effective January 5, 1987. See: 18 N.J.R. 1924(a), 19 N.J.R. 130(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 132, Court Actions and Procedures, was readopted as R.1991 d.576, effective October 25, 1991. See: 23 N.J.R. 2099(a), 23 N.J.R. 3651(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 132, Court Actions and Procedures, was readopted as R.1996 d.505, effective October 1, 1996. See: 28 N.J.R. 2781(a), 28 N.J.R. 3222(a), 28 N.J.R. 4808(a).

Chapter 132, Court Actions and Procedures, was readopted as R.2001 d.350, effective August 28, 2001. See: 33 N.J.R. 1565(a), 33 N.J.R. 3451(a).

Chapter 132, Court Actions and Procedures, was readopted as R.2007 d.74, effective February 1, 2007. See: Source and Effective Date. See, also, section annotations.

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**SUBCHAPTER 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS****10:132-1.1 Scope; applicability and purpose**

This rule implements N.J.S.A. 30:4C-4.1 and 4.2 and provides the consent and approval of the Commissioner of the Department of Children and Families authorizing the Division of Youth and Family Services to commence or maintain actions in court.

Amended by R.2007 d.74, effective March 5, 2007.  
See: 38 N.J.R. 3735(a), 39 N.J.R. 781(b).

Substituted "and" for a comma following "N.J.S.A. 30:4C:4.1" and substituted "Children and Families" for "Human Services".

**10:132-1.2 Court actions by the Division**

The Commissioner of the Department of Children and Families consents to the commencement and maintenance of all actions which the Division of Youth and Family Services is authorized by law to commence or maintain, including, but not limited to, all actions brought pursuant to N.J.S.A. 30:4C-1 et seq. and 9:6-1 et seq.

Amended by R.2007 d.74, effective March 5, 2007.  
See: 38 N.J.R. 3735(a), 39 N.J.R. 781(b).

Substituted "the Department of Children and Families" for "Human Services", inserted commas following "maintain" and "but not limited to" and deleted "N.J.S.A." preceding "9:6-1 et seq."