## NOTICE TO THE BAR

## <u>REMINDER – COMPUTATION OF DISCOVERY END DATE IN</u> <u>CASES REMANDED FROM FEDERAL COURT – AMENDMENTS TO</u> <u>RULE 4:24-1 – JANUARY 1 OPERATIONAL DATE</u>

This notice is a reminder that, as set forth in the notice dated August 7, 2014, the amendment to Rule 4:24-1 ("Time for Completion of Discovery") that the Supreme Court adopted as part of its July 22, 2014 omnibus rule amendment order, while having a formal effective date of September 1, 2014, had a January 1, 2015 operational date. That delayed operational date was to allow for the necessary programming changes to be made to the Judiciary's Automated Case Management System.

Questions about this may be directed to Kevin M. Wolfe, Assistant Director, Civil Practice Division, Administrative Office of the Courts, by telephone at 609-292-8470 or by e-mail at kevin.wolfe@judiciary.state.nj.us.

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