

**AMENDMENT TO
INTERNAL OPERATING PROCEDURE 501
OF THE COMMONWEALTH COURT
§ 501 [210 Pa.Code §67.71] POLICY
MEDIATION**

The Commonwealth Court recently amended paragraph (c) of its Internal Operating Procedure §501 (210 Pa.Code §67.71).

Paragraph (c) now reads as follows:

(c) It Is Further Ordered that within ten days after receipt of the notice of appeal, petition for review or complaint, the appellant, petitioner or plaintiff shall file with the Chief Clerk the required docketing statement on a form provided by the Court at the time of the notice of appeal, petition for review or complaint is filed. The appellant, petitioner or plaintiff shall also file a Statement of Issues with the docketing statement. The Statement of Issues shall be no more than two pages in length and shall set forth a brief summary of the issues and a summary of the case necessary for an understanding of the nature of the appeal, petition for review or complaint. Service of the docketing statement and any attachments [Statement of Issues] shall be made on all parties, and an original and one copy [five copies] shall be filed with the Chief Clerk's Office along with a proof of service.

Dated: March 7, 2011