

**SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DOMESTIC RELATIONS PROCEDURAL RULES COMMITTEE**

**PUBLICATION REPORT**

**RECOMMENDATION 163**

The Committee is proposing an amendment to Pa.R.C.P. No. 1910.16-6 as the rule relates to the allocation of child care expenses in subdivision (a) and other additional expenses in subdivision (d). The proposal provides the court and the parties with the option to have the allocated expenses included in the basic support obligation, paid directly to the service provider, or paid to the obligee.

The Recommendation also proposes adopting a procedure similar to the documentation sharing mandate for unreimbursed medical expenses in subdivision (c). Requiring documentation of child care expenses in subdivision (a) and the additional expenses in subdivision (d), which are not included in the basic support obligation, to be shared between the parties on a timely basis should help eliminate exceedingly high reimbursements and payment of expenses in a more timely fashion, as well.