## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

## NOTICE TO THE BAR

## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE LOCAL CIVIL RULES

Notice is hereby given to the Bar and all interested parties that the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey proposes to make the following amendments to the Local Civil Rule

In light of recent amendment to Rule 3 of the Federal Rules Governing Section 2254 (Habeas Corpus) cases in the United States District Courts, and pending a complete formal review of Local Civil Rule 81.2 by the Committee on Rules of Practice and Procedure and the Board of Judges, and with notice and opportunity for public comment to be given in the future, the Court determines that under 28 U.S.C. §2071(e) there is an immediate need for amending of the local rule; therefore, the requirements of the final sentence of current Local Civil Rule 81.2(b) are hereby suspended.

S/John W. Bissell
Chief Judge

Date: July 26, 2005