

NJ Municipal Court Rules - Traffic Only

Rule 7.1 Scope

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Rule 7.2 Process

7:2-1 Contents of Complaint, Complaint-Warrant (CDR-2) and Summons

f. Traffic Offenses

- (1) Form of Complaint and Process
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- (3) Records and Reports

Rule 7: 2 Process

Rule 7: 2 Process (cont)

Rule 7:2-4 Analysis The rule makes Summons; Execution and Service provision for service of the summons by personal service or by ordinary mail or, if defendant does not respond to ordinary mail, then by simultaneous ordinary and certified mail.

Rule 7:2-5 Analysis No person Defective Warrant or Summons; Amendment arrested under a warrant or appearing in response to a summons shall be discharged from custody or dismissed because of any technical insufficiency or irregularity in the warrant or summons, but the warrant or summons may be amended to remedy any such technical defect.

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| Rule 7:2-1 Contents of Complaint, Complaint-Warrant (CDR-2) and Summons | Analysis | Contents of Complaint, Arrest Warrant and Summons. This rule collects and restates, in full text, all the provisions addressing the required contents of the complaint and summons or warrant in non-indictable matters of Part III as well as including traffic offenses. Issuance of process generally, arrest warrants and summonses are addressed by R. 7:2-2, 7:2-3, and 7:2-4 respectively. |
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| Rule 7:2-2 Issuance of Complaint-Warrant (CDR-2) or Summons | Analysis | Issuance of Arrest Warrant or Summons. This rule collects the provisions respecting the issuance of process in municipal court non-indictable matters. |
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| Rule 7:2-3 Warrants; Execution and Service; Return | Analysis | Warrants; Execution and Service: Return. This rule collects the provisions respecting the service and execution of either a bench warrant or an arrest warrant. |
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