

The Supreme Court of South Carolina

Re: Amendments to Rule 33(b)(9), South Carolina Rules
of Civil Procedure

Appellate Case No. 2018-000121

ORDER

Pursuant to Article V, § 4 of the South Carolina Constitution, Rule 33(b)(9) of the South Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure is amended as set forth in the attachment to this order. The amendment shall be submitted to the General Assembly as provided in Article V, § 4A of the South Carolina Constitution.

s/ Donald W. Beatty C.J.

s/ John W. Kittredge J.

s/ Kaye G. Hearn J.

s/ John Cannon Few J.

s/ George C. James, Jr. J.

Columbia, South Carolina
January 31, 2019

Rule 33(b)(9) of the South Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure is amended to provide:

(9) Limitations. In addition to the standard interrogatories authorized by this paragraph, the court may order additional interrogatories for good cause shown in any case. In all actions in which the amount in controversy is not less than \$25,000, and in all actions for declaratory or injunctive relief, or actions before the family court, a party may serve additional interrogatories including more than one set of interrogatories upon any other party; but the total number of general interrogatories to any one party shall not exceed fifty questions including subparts, except by leave of court upon good cause shown.

Note to 2019 Amendment

The amendment to paragraph (b)(9) permits parties in actions before the family court to serve additional interrogatories when engaging in discovery under Rule 25 of the South Carolina Family Court Rules.