

**STATE OF VERMONT  
VERMONT SUPREME COURT  
MAY TERM, 2022**

**Order Abrogating Rule 18(d) of the Vermont Rules of Probate Procedure**

Pursuant to the Vermont Constitution, Chapter II, § 37, and 12 V.S.A. § 1, it is hereby ordered:

1. That Rule 18(d) of the Vermont Rules of Probate Procedure be abrogated.

**Reporter's Notes—2022 Amendment**

Rule 18(d) is abrogated as obsolete. For proceedings under 14 V.S.A. ch. 111, representation by guardians ad litem and attorneys is now covered by V.R.P.P. 80.9 and 80.10, rather than by V.R.F.P. 6 and 6.1 as formerly indicated in Rule 18(d).

2. That this rule is prescribed and promulgated effective July 11, 2022. The Reporter's Notes are advisory.

3. That the Chief Justice is authorized to report this rule to the General Assembly in accordance with the provisions of 12 V.S.A. § 1, as amended.

Dated in Chambers at Montpelier, Vermont, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022.



Signed by the Vermont Supreme Court

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Paul L. Reiber, Chief Justice

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Harold E. Eaton, Jr., Associate Justice

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Karen R. Carroll, Associate Justice

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William D. Cohen, Associate Justice

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Nancy J. Waples, Associate Justice