

1 Superior Court was unable to find any jurisdiction that has adopted this
2 approach. Moreover, the petition itself fails to cite any examples of other
3 jurisdictions taking this approach to a discovery issue.

4 The Superior Court simply fails to see how this proposal will solve any
5 discovery problems and is concerned about requiring the court to ensure
6 something has happened with no way of actually ensuring that it has.

7 For the foregoing reasons, the Superior Court in Maricopa County
8 opposes the petition to amend Rule 16.4 of the Arizona Rules of Criminal
9 Procedure.

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11 Respectfully submitted this 18th day of May, 2016.

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13 /s/ Sam Myers
14 Honorable Sam Myers
15 Criminal Department Presiding Judge
Superior Court of Arizona, Maricopa County

16 Electronic copy filed with
17 the Clerk of the Supreme
18 Court of Arizona this 18th
19 day of May, 2016.
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