

In the Supreme Court of the State of Idaho

IN RE: AMENDMENT TO IDAHO
CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Upon recommendation received by the Idaho Judicial Council and upon unanimous vote, the Idaho Supreme Court hereby strikes Canon 3.13(11) in its entirety. This subsection was as a result of a clerical error.

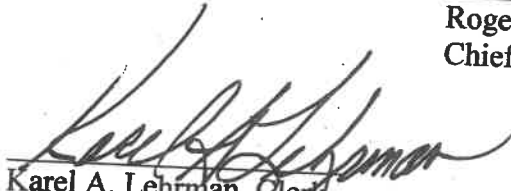
Order entered *nunc pro tunc* to July 1, 2016..

By Order of the Supreme Court



Roger S. Burdick
Chief Justice

ATTEST:



Karel A. Lehrman, Clerk

cc: Idaho State Bar
Idaho Judicial Council

I, Karel A. Lehrman, Clerk of the Supreme Court/
Court of Appeals of the State of Idaho, do hereby
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of
the Amendment to Judicial Conduct
entered in the above entitled cause and now on
record in my office.

WITNESS my hand and the Seal of this Court. 6/22/17

KAREL A. LEHRMAN

Clerk

By: Kimber Grove Chief Deputy

RULE 3.13

Acceptance of Gifts, Loans, Bequests, Benefits, or Other Things of Value

(A) A judge shall not accept any gifts, loans, bequests, benefits, or other things of value, if acceptance is prohibited by law* or would appear to a reasonable person to undermine the judge's independence,* integrity,* or impartiality.*

(B) Unless otherwise prohibited by law, or by paragraph (A), a judge may accept the following:

- (1)** items with little intrinsic value, such as plaques, certificates, trophies, and greeting cards;
- (2)** gifts, loans, bequests, benefits, or other things of value from friends, relatives, or other persons, including lawyers, whose appearance or interest in a proceeding pending* or impending* before the judge would in any event require disqualification of the judge under Rule 2.11;
- (3)** ordinary social hospitality;
- (4)** commercial or financial opportunities and benefits, including special pricing and discounts, and loans from lending institutions in their regular course of business, if the same opportunities and benefits or loans are made available on the same terms to similarly situated persons who are not judges;
- (5)** rewards and prizes given to competitors or participants in random drawings, contests, or other events that are open to persons who are not judges;
- (6)** scholarships, fellowships, and similar benefits or awards, if they are available to similarly situated persons who are not judges, based upon the same terms and criteria;
- (7)** books, magazines, journals, audiovisual materials, and other resource materials supplied by publishers on a complimentary basis for official use; or
- (8)** gifts, awards, or benefits associated with the business, profession, or other separate activity of a spouse, a domestic partner,* or other family member of a judge residing in the judge's household,* but that incidentally benefit the judge.
- (9)** gifts incident to a public testimonial;
- (10)** invitations to the judge and the judge's spouse, domestic partner, or guest to attend without charge:
 - (a)** an event associated with a bar-related function or other activity relating to the law, the legal system, or the administration of justice; or
 - (b)** an event associated with any of the judge's educational, religious, charitable, fraternal or civic activities permitted by this Code, if the same invitation is offered to nonjudges who are engaged in similar ways in the activity as is the judge.; and

- (11) ~~gifts, loans, bequests, benefits, or other things of value, if the source is a party or other person, including a lawyer, who has come or is likely to come before the judge, or whose interests have come or are likely to come before the judge.~~