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**CIVIL ARBITRATION -- PROPOSAL TO REQUIRE SUBMISSION OF
ARBITRATION STATEMENTS TO THE ARBITRATOR BEFORE THE
ARBITRATION HEARING -AMENDMENTS TO RULE 4:21A-4(a) -
PUBLICATION FOR COMMENT**

Good morning,

My comment relates to the consequences for failing to submit the statement by a deadline. If there are to be consequences, such as dismissal, there should be notice and an ability to cure. For example, if the time period is five days prior, the parties should be given notice on the fifth day, and opportunity to cure by the third day prior to the Arbitration.

Thank you,

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