ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER OF THE
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE OF THE COURTS

Pursuant to the authority vested in me, and with the advice and consent of the Administrative Board of the Courts, I hereby amend the Rules of the Commercial Division (22 NYCRR § 202.70), by adding a new Rule 14-b, effective December 1, 2026, to read as follows (additions underscored):

Section 202.70. Rules of the Commercial Division of the Supreme Court

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Rule 14-a. Rulings at Disclosure Conferences.

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Rule 14-b. Discovery Cost Shifting. If, in connection with a dispute regarding the production of documents, a party contends that cost shifting is warranted, the party's motion or response should state the basis for the request and include a good-faith estimate of the amount of costs to be shifted, including an explanation of how that estimate was determined.

Chief Administrative Judge of the Courts

Date: October 19, 2026

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