## UNITED STATES COURT OF VETERANS APPEALS

Misc. No. 4-96

IN RE: RULE 39(B)

Before NEBEKER, Chief Judge, and KRAMER, FARLEY, HOLDAWAY, IVERS, and STEINBERG, Judges.

## ORDER

Pursuant to the authority of 38 U.S.C. § 7264(a) and consistent with 28 U.S.C. § 2071(b) and (e), the Court has determined that there is an immediate need to amend its Rules of Practice and Procedure, as Rule 39(b) is no longer required. See Bazalo v. Brown, \_\_ Vet.App.\_\_, No. 93-660, (August 16, 1996)(en banc). Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that Rule 39(b) is rescinded effective immediately. It is further

ORDERED that public comment on the rescission is invited. Such comment must be submitted to the Clerk of the Court at 625 Indiana Avenue, NW, Suite 900, Washington, DC 20004, by September 20, 1996.

DATED: August 16, 1996

BY THE COURT:

FRANK Q. NEBEKER Chief Judge