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#### **PRACTICE TIPS**

This sample applies to appellate court briefs under California Rules of Court, rule 8.204(d). For briefs filed in the California Supreme Court, see California Rules of Court, rule 8.520(h) which limits attachments to only citable materials.

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**IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

**FOURTH APPELLATE DISTRICT, DIVISION *[NUMBER]***

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,  
Plaintiff and Respondent,

v.

*[Appellant's name]*,  
Defendant and Appellant.

Court of Appeal  
No. *[number]*

Superior Court  
No. *[number]*

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FROM THE SUPERIOR COURT OF *[NAME]* COUNTY

*[Name of trial judge]*, Presiding

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**APPELLANT'S APPLICATION TO PERMIT MORE  
THAN 10 PAGES OF ATTACHMENTS TO THE *[specify  
type of brief]* BRIEF.**

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TO THE HONORABLE *[NAME]*, PRESIDING JUSTICE, AND TO THE  
HONORABLE ASSOCIATE JUSTICES OF THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA, FOURTH APPELLATE DISTRICT, DIVISION  
*[NUMBER]*:

Defendant *[name]* respectfully requests this court permit additional pages of  
attachments under California Rules of Court, rule 8.204(d) and [8.360(a)/8.412(a)(2)]  
(hereinafter "rule"). The grounds for this request are more particularly set forth in the  
attached memorandum of points and authorities and declaration.

## MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

### I. STATEMENT OF THE CASE

*[Briefly set forth relevant procedural history.]*

### II. ARGUMENT

#### **RULE 8.204(d) PERMITS A PARTY TO ATTACH UP TO 10 PAGES OF MATERIALS TO A BRIEF AND FOR ADDITIONAL PAGES BASED ON GOOD CAUSE.**

Rule 8.204(d) provides that “[a] party filing a brief may attach copies of exhibits or other materials in the appellate record or copies of relevant local, state, or federal regulations or rules, out-of-state statutes, or other similar citable materials that are not readily accessible.” The rule limits the attachments to a total of 10 pages, “but on application the presiding justice may permit additional pages of attachments for good cause.”

*[Set forth the reasons for the additional attachments establishing good cause with supporting declaration.]*

### III. CONCLUSION

For all the foregoing reasons, defendant requests this court to grant the application to permit additional pages of attachments.

Dated: *[date]*

Respectfully submitted,

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