

**RULE L2039. COMPROMISE. SETTLEMENT. DISCONTINUANCE
AND DISTRIBUTION.**

- (1) Every petition for approval by the Court of a proposed compromise, settlement or discontinuance in an action in which a minor is a party, or where a minor was injured, shall set forth:
- (a) The facts out of which the cause of action arose;
 - (b) The elements and items of damage sustained;
 - (c) A list of all expenses incurred or to be incurred, whether or not they have been paid, by whom payment was made, and arrangements for payment of unpaid bills;
 - (d) Any limits on a defendant's financial responsibility;
 - (e) A statement of the nature of the evidence relied on to establish liability, if any;
 - (f) The facts relied upon by an adverse party;
 - (g) The fees of counsel;
 - (h) The present status of the minor's health and injuries, together with a written report from attending health care providers stating the extent of the injury, the treatment given and the prognosis for the injured minor; and
 - (i) Any circumstances relevant to the propriety of granting the petition.
- (2) The motion shall be presented in Motions Court in keeping with Crawford County Rules governing motions procedure. The Court may, upon presentation of motion, elect to hold an evidentiary hearing.
- (3) The minor shall be present in the Court at the time for the presentation of the motion unless excused by the Court for cause shown.