**RAP 10.8**

**ADDITIONAL AUTHORITIES**

**(a) Generally.** A party or amicus curiae may file a statement of additional authorities. ~~The statement should not contain argument, but should identify the issue for which each authority is offered.~~ The additional authorities must relate to a point made in the briefing or at oral argument.

**(b) Contents.** The statement must include argument explaining the reasons for the additional authorities and must include a pinpoint citation either to the pertinent page of the brief or to a point argued orally. The body of the statement must not exceed 350 words (word processing software) or one page (typewritten or handwritten). The statement of additional authorities shall be accompanied by a certificate of compliance as set forth in RAP 18.17(b).

**(c) Timing.** The statement must be served and filed promptly, before ~~prior to~~ the filing of the decision on the merits or, if there is a motion for reconsideration, before ~~prior to~~ the filing of the decision on the motion. ~~The statement should comply with the formatting requirements of RAP 18.17.~~ A party or amicus seeking to submit additional authorities before oral argument, or the date on which the case is scheduled to be decided without oral argument, must file the statement no later than seven days before the date scheduled for argument or consideration without argument. The seven-day deadline does not apply where new authority has been issued less than seven days before scheduled oral argument or consideration without oral argument.

**(d) Response.** Any response to the statement of additional authorities must be filed within seven days after the statement is filed and also must be limited to 350 words (word processing software) or one page (typewritten or handwritten). The response shall be accompanied by a certificate of compliance as set forth in RAP 18.17(b).