

Rule 507.5 Approval of Police Complaints and Arrest Warrant Affidavits by Attorney for the Commonwealth in Wiretapping Cases

The District Attorney of Allegheny County, Stephen A. Zappala, Jr., having filed a certification pursuant to Pa.R.Crim.P. 507, criminal complaints and arrest warrant affidavits by police officers, as defined in the Rules of Criminal Procedure, charging Interception, Disclosure or Use Of Wire, Electronic or Oral Communications (18 Pa.C.S. §5703), or Possession, Sale, Distribution, Manufacture or Advertisement of Electronic, Mechanical or Other Devices and Telecommunication Identification Interception Devices (18 Pa.C.S. §5705) shall not hereafter be accepted by any judicial officer unless the criminal complaint and arrest warrant affidavit have the approval of an attorney for the Commonwealth prior to filing.