

CIRCUIT COURT OF THOMPSON COUNTY, MARSHALL
RULE 17

(a) A target of a grand jury investigation shall have the right to prepare and read a statement to the grand jury. Said statement shall be under oath and not subject to cross examination, although it may be used in other proceedings.

(b) A possible witness in a criminal case may be called by either party, prior to trial, for the purpose of a discovery deposition.

(c) A witness summoned pursuant to Rule 17 (b) of these rules may submit a written statement in lieu of submitting to a deposition. Said statement shall be sworn and shall be made available to all parties prior to trial. A statement made pursuant to this rule is privileged to the extent that the contents of the statement shall not be disclosed to the public, unless and until the declarant is called to testify in the trial of the matter in which the declarant was summoned.

(d) Nothing in these rules shall prohibit or abridge the right of a Grand Juror to ask questions of a witness.