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**DOCKET DIRECTIVE 2001-14**

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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**SUBJECT: Designated Cases**

This directive is issued pursuant to MCR 8.110 and is necessary to ensure the efficient processing of designated cases. Jury trials in designated cases shall be reassigned by blind draw to a Judge in the Criminal Division for trial and sentencing. After sentencing, the case will remain on the docket of the Criminal Judge assigned to the case.

This Docket Directive rescinds Docket Directive 2001-12.

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Michael F. Sapala  
Chief Judge  
Third Judicial Circuit of Michigan

Dated: June 8, 2001