



THE CIRCUIT COURT
FOR THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MICHIGAN
DETROIT, MICHIGAN 48226

DOCKET DIRECTIVE 2003 – 01

STATE OF MICHIGAN
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

SUBJECT: Assignment of Personal Protection Order Cases

This Directive is issued pursuant to MCL 8.111(B)

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

Effective January 13, 2003, Personal Protection Order cases, i.e. cases designated PP, PH, PJ, shall be assigned to the Personal Protection Order Docket (PPODK). This Docket will handle all PPOs filed in Wayne County except as noted below. Judges of the Family Division, on a weekly basis, will rotate responsibility for this Docket. This includes issuing the personal protection orders, motions to terminate or modify, arraignments, show causes and any other hearings regarding the personal protection order.

Pursuant to MCR 3.703 (D), in the event that a personal protection order is requested as a part of or related to a pending or prior divorce, paternity, support or child custody matter the same shall be referred to the Family Division Judge assigned to the related case. Any arraignment after arrest on one of these PPOs will be held before the judge handling the Personal Protection Order Docket and then, if necessary scheduled for a hearing before the Family Division Judge assigned to the case.

This Docket Directive supersedes and repeals DD 1999-06 and DD 2001-09.

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Mary Beth Kelly
Chief Judge
Third Judicial Circuit

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Timothy Kenny
Chief Judge
Third Judicial Circuit

Dated: January 9, 2003