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DOCKET DIRECTIVE 2013 – 02

STATE OF MICHIGAN THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

SUBJECT: Assignment and Reassignment of Family Division - Juvenile Dockets

This Docket Directive is issued pursuant to MCR 8.110 and is necessary to ensure the efficient transition of docket assignments within Family Division – Juvenile Section.

This Docket Directive rescinds and replaces Docket Directive 2011-01.

IT IS ORDERED:

Effective: January 1, 2013

FAMILY DIVISION – JUVENILE SECTION

The AWOLP Docket #90028 (Children Absent from Placement without Legal Permission), both pending and post-dispositional, shall be assigned to the Presiding Judge.

All Adoption petitions, Releases to Adopt and post Adoption matters shall be assigned to the Presiding Judge.

All preliminary examinations on designated cases shall be assigned to the Presiding Judge.

The Wayne County Clerk, the Third Circuit Court Case Processing Department and the Third Circuit Court Information Technology Systems Bureau are directed to take the steps necessary to accomplish this Directive.

Virgil C. Sm(th, Chief Judge

Third Judicial Circuit

Dated: January 17, 2013