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### **DOCKET DIRECTIVE 2015 - 10**

# STATE OF MICHIGAN THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

# SUBJECT: Reassignment of Solution Oriented Domestic Violence Prevention Court Docket and Cases

This directive is issued pursuant to MCR 8.110 and MCR 8.111(C) and is necessary to ensure the efficient transition of docket assignments. This directive rescinds and replaces Docket Directive 2011-10.

Effective: May 4, 2015

#### IT IS ORDERED THAT:

## **FAMILY DIVISION – DOMESTIC RELATIONS**

To reflect that cases that meet the eligibility requirements, pursuant to the applicable Local Administrative Order for the establishment of a Solution Oriented Domestic Violence Prevention Court, shall be randomly reassigned to Judges Lynne A. Pierce, Richard B. Halloran, and Connie Marie Kelley.

In order to distinguish these case assignments from Judge Pierce's Family Division – Domestic Relations cases, for reporting purposes, all cases assigned to Judge Pierce on the Solution Oriented Domestic Violence Prevention Court will be assigned the judicial docket code "DVPC Pierce" on the Court's case management system.

The Family Division – Domestic Docket of "DVPC Elder" (both pending and post-judgment) shall be assigned to the newly created "DVPC Pierce."

Judges Pierce, Halloran, and Kelley shall act as Alternate Judges for each other for cases assigned to this docket.

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

accomplish the reassignment of these cases.

Hon. Robert J. Colombo, Jr., Chief Judge

Third Judicial Circuit of Michigan

Dated: April 27, 2015