## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA

### ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 11.101-2/2025\*

#### IN RE: ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGES

Rule 2.215, Fla. R. Gen. Prac. & Jud. Admin., states that "[t]he chief judge shall assign judges to the courts and divisions, and shall determine the length of each assignment;"

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority conferred by Florida Rule of General Practice and Judicial Administration 2.215, effective February 20, 2025, it is ORDERED as follows:

### **CIRCUIT COURT CIVIL DIVISION**

| Gregory Keyser    |
|-------------------|
| Jaimie Goodman    |
| Bradley Harper    |
| Carolyn Bell      |
| Caryn Siperstein  |
| Reid Scott        |
| G. Joseph Curley* |
| Maxine Cheesman   |
| James Sherman     |
| Scott Kerner      |
| John Parnofiello  |
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## CIRCUIT COURT UNIFIED FAMILY COURT FAMILY DIVISION /DOMESTIC DIVISION

| FA/VA | Darren Shull             |
|-------|--------------------------|
| FC    | Karen Miller             |
| FH    | Dina Keever-Agrama* & ** |
| FI    | Rosemarie Scher          |
| FJ    | Cheryl Caracuzzo         |
| FW    | Sara Alijewicz **        |
| FX    | James Martz              |
| FY    | Laura C. Burkhart        |
| FZ    | Luis Delgado             |
|       |                          |

### **JUVENILE DIVISION**

| JA              | Lisa Small          |
|-----------------|---------------------|
| $JK^1$          | Jeffrey Dana Gillen |
| JL <sup>2</sup> | Kirk Volker         |
| JM <sup>3</sup> | Lisa Small          |
| $JO^4$          | Kathleen Kroll *    |
| JS              | Melanie Surber      |

## **CIRCUIT COURT CRIMINAL DIVISION**

| R                           | Caroline Shepherd  |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| S                           | Daliah Weiss *     |
| T/KK2/KD/                   |                    |
| <b>RPO</b> <sup>5,6,7</sup> | Donald Hafele **   |
| U                           | Cymonie Rowe       |
| V                           | Howard Coates, Jr. |
| W                           | James Nutt         |
| Х                           | Scott Suskauer     |
| Y                           | Sara Alijewicz **  |
| Z                           | Sarah Willis       |

# **CIRCUIT COURT PROBATE & GUARDIANSHIP DIVISION**

IZ Charles Burton \*

### **COUNTY COURT CIVIL DIVISION**

- RA Sara Alijewicz \*\*
- RB Danielle Sherriff
- RD Reginald Corlew \*\*
- RE/WD Sarah Shullman\*
- RF Santo DiGangi
- RH Debra Moses Stephens
- RJ Katherine Mullinax
- RL Edward Garrison
- RS Ori Silver

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Assignment includes Juvenile Drug Court

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Assignment includes Family Treatment Court

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Assignment includes Belle Glade Division "JA" (Delinquency and Dependency) on Monday's {effective March 2, 2015}

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Assignment includes Early Childhood Court

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Assignment includes Makemson Hearings

# **COUNTY COURT CRIMINAL DIVISION**

| В                     | Marni Bryson         |
|-----------------------|----------------------|
| BG                    | Sara Alijewicz **    |
| С                     | August Bonavita      |
| D/DR                  | Paul Damico          |
| DV/TD                 | Lauren Burke         |
| E                     | Stephanie Tew        |
| H/NC                  | Debra Moses Stephens |
| KK1/T2 <sup>8,9</sup> | April Bristow        |
| L                     | Lourdes Casanova     |
| М                     | Ashley Zuckerman*    |
| Р                     | Frank Castor         |

# TRIAL DIVISION

## **BRANCH COURTHOUSES**

| Gun Club Facility:       | Donald Hafele <sup>5, 6, 7</sup> **<br>April Bristow <sup>8, 9</sup>  |
|--------------------------|---|
| North County Courthouse: | Dina Keever-Agrama* & **<br>Rosemarie Scher<br>Debra Moses Stephens<br>Cheryl Caracuzzo   |
| West County Courthouse   | Sara Alijewicz <b>**</b><br>Lisa Small <sup>3</sup>   |
| South County Courthouse: | Laura C. Burkhart<br>James Martz<br>Melanie Surber<br>Luis Delgado<br>Reginald Corlew **<br>Paul Damico<br>Ori Silver<br>Charles Burton** |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Assignment includes Criminal Mental Health Court
<sup>7</sup> Assignment includes Adult Drug Court
<sup>8</sup> Assignment includes Misdemeanor Mental Health Court
<sup>9</sup> DWLS Court

To insure equitable distribution of caseloads, unless otherwise provided in these administrative orders, the Clerk of Court shall assign cases by random selection to judges within the divisions in which the cases are filed. Should a reassignment be required due to disqualification or recusal, the Clerk of Court shall, when possible, randomly reassign the case to a judge within the Division at the same courthouse. For those Divisions where there is only one judge, or where all judges are unable to preside over the case, reassignment shall be as follows:

- 1. Foreclosure Division to Circuit Civil Divisions.
- 2. Probate/Guardianship/Mental Health Division:
  - a. Division "IA" to Division "IZ"
  - b. Division "IZ" to Division "IA"
  - c. In the event both Divisions "IA" and "IZ" have a conflict, the Chief Judge will reassign
- 3. Juvenile Divisions
  - a. South County Division to Main Courthouse Divisions
  - b. West County Division to Main Courthouse Divisions
- 4. Family Divisions:
  - a. Branch Courthouse Divisions to Main Courthouse Divisions
  - b. Main Courthouse Divisions to North County Divisions
- 5. County Court Criminal Divisions
  - a. North County Division to Main Courthouse Divisions
  - b. South County Division to Main Courthouse Divisions
  - c. West County Division to Main Courthouse Divisions
- 6. County Court Civil Divisions
  - a. North County Division to Main Courthouse Divisions
  - b. South County Divisions to Main Courthouse Divisions
  - c. West County Division to Main Courthouse Divisions

**DONE** and **SIGNED** in Chambers at West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025.

Glenn D. Kelley, Chief Judge

- \* Supersedes Admin. Order No. 11.101-1/2025
- \* Administrative Judge
- \*\* Administrative Judge of Satellite Courthouse