

THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 79-1
(Court Administration)

IN RE: DESIGNATED LOCATION OF
TELEVISION CAMERA EQUIP-
MENT IN THE JURY POOL ROOM
OF THE METROPOLITAN DADE
COUNTY JUSTICE BUILDING

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 79-34

PURSUANT TO the Order of April 12, 1979, of the Supreme Court of Florida, entered in Case No. 46,835, the Chief Judge of each Circuit Court in the State of Florida is charged with the responsibility of designating locations for television camera equipment in each court facility within such Circuit. To accomplish this end, the Chief Judge of this Circuit and a committee of Judges met with representatives of the several television stations which expressed an interest in televising, from time to time, judicial proceedings in this Circuit.

As the result of such meetings, representatives of such television stations expressed to the Court their preferences with regard to location of television camera equipment within the facilities of the Metropolitan Dade County Justice Building, site of misdemeanor and felony trials in the Eleventh Judicial Circuit. The Chief Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit has reviewed the preferences expressed by the various television stations and consulted with the Judges of the Criminal Divisions of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Dade County, with regard to such preferences. Based upon such review and such consultations, it is

ORDERED as follows:

1. The television camera equipment to be located in the jury pool room on the seventh floor of the Metropolitan Dade County Justice Building is designated on the attached Exhibit A. The designated location of the television camera is indicated by the use of a circle through which an "X" has been drawn. The attached exhibit is attached hereto and made a part hereof and is designated as the place so provided for the television camera in said room.

2. Any ambiguity resulting from the use of the sketch which is Exhibit A may be resolved, on an interim basis, by the presiding judge. Such ambiguity, however, shall not result in exclusion of television camera equipment. Further clarification of any ambiguity in Exhibit A may be sought from the Chief Judge by any interested party.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami, Dade County, Florida, this 27th day of April, 1979.

EDWARD D. COWART, CHIEF JUDGE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA

Exhibits referred to in this order can be seen at the office of the Clerk of the Court.