

**THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**CASE NO. 05-1
(Court Administration)**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 92-5 A1
(Amends AO 92-5)**

**IN RE: REAFFIRMATION OF
PROCEDURES AND
ESTABLISHMENT OF ADDITIONAL
PROCEDURES FOR BLIND FILING
AND REDISTRIBUTION OF CASES
INVOLVING ISSUES OF SUPPORT,
URESA, AND PATERNITY**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Administrative Order No. 92-5, entered on January 23, 1992, Section FC-46 was created in the Family Civil Department of the Family Division of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to said Administrative Order, pending matters involving the Child Support Enforcement Unit of the State Attorney's Office of this Circuit regarding establishment, enforcement, or modification of support, URESA, and paternity cases were re-assigned and new cases were assigned to Section FC-46; and

WHEREAS, additionally, as set forth in the Administrative Order, those matters regarding establishment, enforcement, or modification of support, URESA, and paternity filed by private counsel, in which the Child Support Enforcement Unit was not involved, were blind filed by the Clerk of the Courts among the thirteen sections of the Family Civil Department; and

WHEREAS, the Administrative Order needs to be amended to add other procedures regarding such cases;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Chief Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, the procedures set forth in Administrative Order No. 92-5 are hereby reaffirmed and the following additional procedures regarding the blind filing and redistribution of cases involving issues of support, URESA, and paternity assigned to Section FC-46, are hereby established:

1. Any case which was transferred to Section FC-46 from the Family Division

and has been inactive for a period of at least six (6) months in Section FC-46, shall, upon the request of any party, be transferred back to its original Family Division section. This will not apply to any case that was never previously in the Family Division.

2. In any case transferred to Section FC-46 from the Family Division which remains active in Section FC-46 and where there arises post judgment issues with respect to primary residential parent, parental responsibility, and visitation, those post judgment issues shall, upon the request of any party, be transferred back to the original Family Division section. Any party may request to transfer the child support issues by filing a motion to transfer with the Administrative Judge of the Family Division.

Except as herein amended, Administrative Order No. 92-5, entered on January 23, 1992, remains in full force and effect.

This Administrative Order shall take effect upon execution and shall remain in effect until further order of the Court.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami-Dade, Florida, this **1st** day of March, **2005**.

JOSEPH P. FARINA, CHIEF JUDGE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA