

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

**CASE NO. 10-2
(Court Administration)**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 10-03**

**IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF JUDGE
BETH BLOOM AS ASSOCIATE
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE OF THE
CRIMINAL DIVISION OF COUNTY
COURT IN AND FOR MIAMI-DADE
COUNTY, FLORIDA**

WHEREAS, the Honorable Steve Leifman not only serves as the Associate Administrative Judge of the Criminal Division of County Court, but he is also the Special Advisor on Criminal Justice and Mental Health matters on behalf of the Supreme Court of Florida; and

WHEREAS, in the latter capacity, Judge Leifman is obligated to devote a portion of his time to addressing such matters; and

WHEREAS, due to the increased caseload of the Criminal Division of County Court and the myriad of issues attendant to this increase, it has been deemed necessary to apportion the duties of the Associate Administrative Judge with another judge; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Beth Bloom has demonstrated an outstanding ability to manage her caseload, train and assist other judges; and

WHEREAS, Judge Bloom's leadership and experience will prove valuable to the Criminal Division of County Court and provide Judge Leifman with assistance as he serves in multiple capacities;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Chief Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, under Rule 2.215, of the Florida Rules of Judicial Administration, it is hereby **ORDERED**:

1. Judge Beth Bloom is hereby appointed Associate Administrative Judge of the Criminal Division of County Court in and for Miami-Dade County, Florida.

2. In such capacity, Judge Bloom will equally share the responsibilities of an Associate Administrative Judge with Judge Steve Leifman.
3. Judge Bloom will remain in her current division assignment and maintain her full caseload while serving in her administrative capacity.

This Administrative Order shall take effect immediately and remain in effect until further order of the Court

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami-Dade, Florida, this 8th day of January, 2010.

**JOEL H. BROWN, CHIEF JUDGE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA**