

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

**CASE NO. 08-1
(Court Administration)**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 08-07
(Companion to AO No. 08-06)**

**IN RE: RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF
TRANSFER GUIDELINES RELATING
TO JUDICIAL ROTATIONS
REGARDING REASSIGNMENT OF
CASES**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Administrative Order No. 02-12, the Court established uniformed guidelines relating to the reassignment of cases and the transfer of furnishings and equipment when judges are rotated from one division to another; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that such Administrative Order should be modified to distinguish transfers regarding the reassignment of cases from the transfer of furnishings and equipment;

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, the following transfer guidelines relating to judicial rotations regarding the reassignment of cases are hereby re-established:

No case shall be retained or heard by a Judge when transferred to another division, except for the following purposes:

1. Motions for rehearing or new trial.
2. Motions to vacate final judgments, including summary final judgments.
3. Completion of hearing or trial after Judge has commenced taking testimony in the case.
4. Sentencing in cases tried.
5. In the interest of justice and judicial economy, with the approval of the Administrative Judges involved.

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

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami-Dade, Florida, this 26th day of June, 2008.

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