

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

**CASE NO. 21-1
(Court Administration)**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 21-13**

**IN RE: CLOSURE OF SECTION FC 14
IN THE CIRCUIT FAMILY DIVISION
AND REASSIGNMENT OF CASES**

WHEREAS, it was determined that Section FC 14 in the Circuit Family Division, located at the Lawson E. Thomas Courthouse Center, should be closed; and

WHEREAS, upon such closure, cases currently assigned to Section FC 14 should be reassigned to Section FC 28 in the Circuit Family Division; and

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

1. Effective immediately, Section FC 14 in the Circuit Family Division, located at the Lawson E. Thomas Courthouse Center, shall be closed.
2. Upon such closure, pending cases in said Section shall be reassigned to the Administrative Judge of the Circuit Family Division, Section FC 28.
3. If a closed case is reopened, the Clerk of Court is hereby directed to equitably reassign it to the remaining Circuit Family Division sections following the current blind filing configuration.
4. Any inequities in caseload distribution amongst the Circuit Family Division sections will be adjusted by the Administrative Judge of the Circuit Family Division.

DONE AND ORDERED in chambers at Miami-Dade County, Florida, this 8th day of July, 2021.

**NUSHIN G. SAYFIE, CHIEF JUDGE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA**