

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

**CASE NO. 10-1
(Court Administration)**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 10-06**

**IN RE: ESTABLISHMENT OF
SECTION 50 IN THE CIRCUIT CIVIL
DIVISION OF THE ELEVENTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA AND
THE REASSIGNMENT OF CERTAIN
PENDING FORECLOSURE CASES
TO SAID SECTION**

WHEREAS, due to the overwhelming number of foreclosure cases pending in the State of Florida trial courts, the Legislature appropriated non-recurring funding for fiscal year 2010/11 for the Foreclosure and Economic Recovery Program to provide temporary resources in the trial courts to eliminate the backlog in the civil areas; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the establishment of a new section in the Circuit Civil Division specifically designated to handle certain foreclosure cases would be beneficial to the Circuit in its effort to eliminate the backlog;

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. **ESTABLISHMENT.** In accordance with the Foreclosure and Economic Recovery Program, Section 50 of the Circuit Civil Division of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida is hereby established in an effort to eliminate the backlog of foreclosure cases in the civil areas (hereinafter "Section 50").
2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** Section 50 shall be immediately established upon execution of this Administration Order and shall remain in effect until further order of the court.

3. **PURPOSE.** Section 50 is specifically established and designated for the disposition of pending foreclosure cases with a filing date on or before December 31, 2008, with the following action codes (hereinafter "Pending Cases"):
- 02
 - 108
 - 109
 - 111
 - 112
 - 113
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 - 116
4. **CASE REASSIGNMENT.** The Clerk of the Courts is hereby directed and authorized to reassign all of the Pending Cases to Section 50 on or before the close of business on Monday, June 21, 2010.
5. **NOTICE TO ATTORNEYS OF RECORD.** The Clerk of the Courts shall immediately notify all attorneys of record in any Pending Case that such case has been reassigned to Section 50.
6. **PRESIDING JUDGE(S).** Senior Judges will be assigned to Section 50 commencing July 1, 2010. However, any Circuit Court Judge in the Circuit Civil Division may preside over the proceedings assigned to Section 50.
7. **HEARING DATES.** Upon the establishment of and reassignment of Pending Cases to Section 50, the Administrative Office of the Courts shall immediately begin calendaring cases for the Senior Judges. However, should a Circuit Civil Judge retain the Pending Case(s), any currently scheduled hearing date for such Pending Case(s) shall remain in effect unless rescheduled by order of the court.

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

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