

STATE OF MICHIGAN



52ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
52ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2017-06

CASE ASSIGNMENT

IT IS ORDERED:

In accordance with MCR 8.111 and 8.112 trial courts must assign cases randomly by lot unless a different system has been adopted by local court administrative order.

The following modification(s) will apply to the internal court management of the criminal case assignment at initiation for each division of the 52nd District Court:

1. For all new criminal filings, if an individual has other open misdemeanor files previously assigned to a judge of that division, or is on probation to a particular judge, any and all new files shall be assigned to the judge of that division with the oldest open misdemeanor case.
2. Co-defendants for any new criminal filings shall be assigned to the same judge of that division with the oldest open misdemeanor case.
3. If a defendant obtains any new criminal cases after all prior cases are closed and/or discharged from probation of that division, the new case will be assigned by random lot in accordance with MCR 8.111.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Julie A. Nicholson", written over a horizontal line.

Julie A. Nicholson
Chief Judge
52nd District Court

Date: October 11, 2017

This LAO becomes effective once approved by the State Court Administrative Office