

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SEVENTEENTH  
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

*Administrative Order No. 2025-10-Gen*  
**APPOINTING ACTING CHIEF JUDGE**

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- (a) Pursuant to Article V, section 2(d) of the Florida Constitution and section 43.26, Florida Statutes, the chief judge of each judicial circuit is charged with the authority and power to do everything necessary to promote the prompt and efficient administration of justice.
- (b) Florida Rule of General Practice & Judicial Administration 2.215(b)(3) states that the chief judge “ensures the efficient and proper administration of all courts within [this] circuit, considering available resources.”
- (c) In accordance with the authority vested in the chief judge by Article V, section 2(d) of the Florida Constitution, section 43.26, Florida Statutes, and Florida Rule of General Practice & Judicial Administration 2.215, it is hereby **ORDERED**:

The Honorable Martin S. Fein is appointed as acting Chief Judge of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit during the temporary absences of the Chief Judge. In the event of the absence or unavailability of Judge Martin S. Fein, then the Honorable Keathan B. Frink is appointed as acting Chief Judge of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit.

This Administrative Order supersedes and vacates Administrative Order 2013-35-Gen.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, Florida on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 2025.

/s/ Carol-Lisa Phillips  
Carol-Lisa Phillips, Chief Judge