

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

Administrative Order No. 2025-46-Gen

**ASSIGNING JUDGE TO GRAND JURY
JANUARY 2026 TO JUNE 2026**

- (a) Florida Rule of General Practice and 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.”
- (b) Florida Rule of General Practice and Judicial Administration Rule 2.215(b)(4) authorizes the chief judge to assign judges to courts and divisions.
- (c) In accordance with the authority vested in the Chief Judge by Florida Rule of General Practice and Judicial Administration 2.215, it is hereby **ORDERED**:
- (1) The Honorable Ernest A. Kollra, Jr., Circuit Court Judge, is hereby designated to preside over the Grand Jury for the period of time January 1, 2026 to June 30, 2026.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, Florida, this 8th day of December, 2025.

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