

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

Administrative Order No. 2021-73-Crim

ADMINISTRATIVE PRETRIAL RELEASE

- (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 the power to do everything necessary to promote the prompt and efficient administration of justice.
- (b) Section 948.013, Florida Statutes, provides for Administrative Probation.
- (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 and Judicial Administration 2.215, it is hereby **ORDERED, effective immediately:**
- (1) The following conditions shall apply to all persons placed on “Administrative” pretrial release¹ in the 17th Judicial Circuit:
- a. The defendant must report to the Broward County Sheriff’s Office Pretrial Services Division (Pretrial Services) immediately upon release from custody, or on the next business day if released after business hours, the weekend, or Court Holiday;
 - b. The defendant must provide Pretrial Services with an address, phone number, and any other requested contact information;
 - c. The defendant must notify Pretrial Services if there are any changes to the provided contact information within three (3) days of the change;
 - d. The defendant must attend all court hearings as scheduled unless excused by the Court in writing;

¹ Administrative Pretrial Release is distinct and separate from other forms of Pretrial Release. This Administrative Order does not apply to other forms of Pretrial Release.

- e. The defendant must remain at liberty without violating any federal, state, or local laws; and
 - f. The defendant must refrain from contacting any listed victims or witnesses from their criminal case.
 - g. Failure to comply with any condition in (a) through (f) may result in a revocation of pretrial release.
- (2) Whenever a defendant is released pursuant to this Administrative Order, the court order will clearly reference the term “Administrative Pretrial Release.”

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, Florida, this 10th day of December, 2021.

/s/Jack Tuter
Jack Tuter, Chief Judge