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

Administrative Order 2022-20-CO

ORDER ASSIGNING TRAFFIC FATALITY CITATION CASES

(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 and Judicial Administration 2.215(b)(3) states the Chief Judge shall "develop an administrative plan" and "shall, considering available resources, ensure the efficient and proper administration of all courts within [this] circuit."
- (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**:
- (1) The Clerk of the Court shall assign all cases filed pursuant to section 318.19(1), Florida Statutes, involving a fatality, to Division MXD.
- (2) The Clerk of the Court, upon the reopening of a case filed pursuant to section 318.19(1), Florida Statutes, involving a fatality, which case was disposed of and closed prior to the effective date of this Administrative Order, shall assign the case to Division MXD.
- (3) This Administrative Order supersedes and vacates Administrative Order 2021-72-CO.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, Florida this 25th day of April, 2022.

/s/ Jack Tuter Jack Tuter, Chief Judge