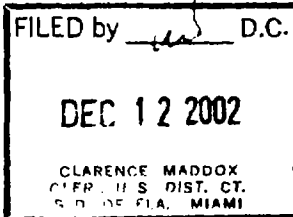


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2002-38

IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF AD HOC
ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON COURT
ANNEXED MEDIATION



The Ad Hoc Advisory Committee on Court Annexed Mediation is hereby created and composed of the following members:

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1. This Ad Hoc Committee is charged with assisting the Chief Judge in formulating policy and standards governing the qualifications of mediators and the operation of the mediation program under Local Rule 16.2. The Clerk of Court, or his designee, shall provide staff support to the Committee.

2. The Committee shall study and make recommendations once every four years about the total number of certified mediators necessary to support the Court's business, the terms of service for certified mediators, review applications of prospective mediators, and recommend (re)certification of mediators to the Chief Judge as appropriate under the applicable standards.

3. The Committee will develop reporting requirements for mediators to assist in evaluating individual and program performance.

4. The Committee shall periodically review the work product, performance, reports, and records of certified mediators in order to assist the Court in ensuring the continuing integrity and quality of the process; monitoring compliance with all applicable ethical principles; evaluating the effectiveness of the program;


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and assessing future needs. The Committee shall reports its findings at least once annually to the Chief Judge.

5. The Committee is further charged with the responsibility of assisting the Court in formulating and implementing a mechanism for receiving and resolving complaints regarding the mediation process, specifically those addressed to the conduct of the certified mediator. Thereafter, the Committee shall review complaints received via this mechanism, and shall make confidential reports and recommendations to the Court as to what action, if any, it should take with respect to the Committee's findings.

This Committee shall remain in existence until further order of the Chief Judge. The terms of each member of this Committee shall be for three years from the date of this Administrative Order.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, Florida, this 12th day of December 2002.


WILLIAM J. ZLOCH
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Copies furnished as follows:
See attached list

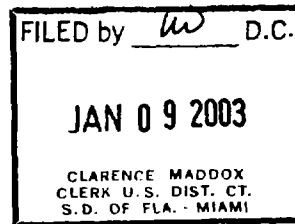
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c: All Southern District Judges and Magistrate Judges
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

AMENDED ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2002-38

IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF CLERK OF
COURT AS EX-OFFICIO MEMBER OF
THE AD HOC ADVISORY COMMITTEE
ON COURT ANNEXED MEDIATION



Pursuant to the provisions of the Ad Hoc Advisory Committee on Court Annexed Mediation, appointed by the Court on December 12, 2002; specifically Item 1. thereof, the Clerk of Court • Court Administrator shall be an ex-officio voting member of the Committee. The complete list of committee members is as follows:

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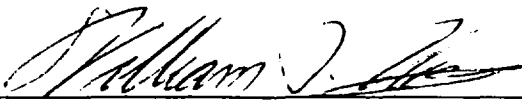
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DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Fort Lauderdale, Broward
County, Florida, this 9th day of January 2003.



WILLIAM J. ZLOCH
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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