

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

IN RE:

AMENDMENTS TO THE LOCAL RULES

Administrative Order 2006-02

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160-105254-10

THIS COURT has given notice and opportunity to be heard in accordance with Fed.R.Civ.P. 83 and Fed.R.Crim.P. 57, has conducted an *en banc* hearing, and has considered the comments of the public and the report of the Court's Ad Hoc Committee on Rules and Procedures with regard to proposed amendments, in the form attached, to Local General Rules 1.1.B, 3.8, 3.9, 5.1.A.6, 7.1.B, 7.1.C.1, 7.3, 12.1, 16.3, 88.3, 88.4, and 88.11; Appendix A to the Local General Rules, the Discovery Practice Handbook; the Magistrate Judge Consent Form; Rule IX.A of the Rules Governing Attorney Discipline; and Rule 1 of the Special Rules Governing the Admission and Practice of Attorneys, and with regard to the adoption of a set of Internal Operating Procedures to be published on the Court's Web site. Upon consideration of the public comments received and the reports of the Ad Hoc Committee, it is hereby

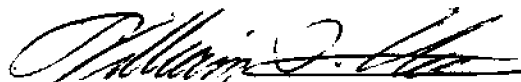
ORDERED that the rules identified are amended in the form attached (with the language to be deleted ~~stricken~~ and the language to be added double underlined).

ORDERED that the Internal Operating Procedures are adopted in the form attached;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the foregoing rule amendments and Internal Operating Procedures shall take effect on April 15, 2006, and shall govern all proceedings thereafter commenced and, insofar as just and practicable, all proceedings then pending.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court is directed, for the next 60 days: (a) to publish this Order (without the attachments) twice a week in the Daily Business Review (in the editions published in Miami-Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach Counties, Florida); and (b) to offer every person who files any papers in any action in this Court, and to give to anyone who so desires, a copy of this Order with the attached rule amendments.

6 **DONE AND ORDERED** in Chambers at Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, Florida this day of January, 2006.



WILLIAM J. ZLOCH
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

copy: Honorable J.L. Edmondson, Chief Judge
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All Southern District Judges and Magistrate Judges
Norman E. Zoller, Circuit Executive, Eleventh Circuit
Thomas Meeks, Chair, Ad Hoc Committee on Rules & Procedures
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