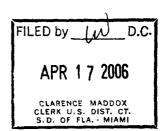
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2006-09

IN RE:

APPOINTMENT OF MAGISTRATE JUDGE TED E. BANDSTRA AS INTERIM CHIEF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE



Pursuant to the Court's Internal Operating Procedures, Section 4.01.00, the district judges may select one full-time magistrate judge to serve as the chief magistrate judge performing administrative functions. In as much as the Court established a schedule to rotate the position of chief magistrate judge based on seniority in March 1994, and appearing that Magistrate Judge Ted E. Bandstra is next due to assume the position of Chief Magistrate Judge, it is

ORDERED that Magistrate Judge Ted E. Bandstra is hereby appointed as Chief Magistrate Judge vice Magistrate Judge Ann E. Vitunac.

Magistrate Judge Bandstra's appointment as Chief Magistrate Judge shall be on an interim basis through June 30, 2006, effective April 10, 2006. The district judges will reassess the position as

well as the duties of chief magistrate judge at the Judges' Meeting in June 2006.

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

WILLIAM J. ZLOCH

CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

c: All Southern District Judges
All Southern District Magistrate Judges
Court Administrator • Clerk of Court