UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2008-18

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IN RE: INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS LAW CLINIC AT AMERICAN UNIVERSITY, WASHINGTON COLLEGE OF LAW

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THIS MATTER is before the Court upon the request for certification of the International Human Rights Law Clinic at American University, Washington College of Law. Pursuant to Rule 6 of this Court's *Special Rules Governing the Admission and Practice of Attorneys*, this request was referred to the Ad Hoc Committee on Attorney Admissions, Peer Review and Attorney Grievance to determine their eligibility for certification.

Having reviewed the Committee's Report and Recommendation, the request, and the materials submitted by the law school in support of certification, the Court agrees with the Committee that the program be certified under Rule 6.C of the *Special Rules Governing the Admission and Practice of Attorneys*, provided that it meets the further requirements stated therein:

- 1. The program must be for student credit, under the supervision of qualified attorneys including federal or state government attorneys or private petitioners.
- 2. The program must be conducted in such a manner as not to conflict with normal Court schedules.
- 3. The program must be carried out under the direction of a member or members of the regular or adjunct faculty of the law school.
- 4. The law school must arrange for the designation and maintenance of an office in the Southern District of Florida to which may be sent all notices which the Court may from time

to time have occasion or need to send in connection with this Rule or any legal representation provided pursuant to this Rule.

5. The requirements for student supervisor certification in Rule 6 must be met by the person so designated by the law school's clinical program.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the future certification of students enrolled in the International Human Rights Law Clinic at American University, Washington College of Law and supervising attorneys shall be conditioned upon the filing with this Court of the certifications described in, and required by, Rule 6.E of the Special Rules Governing the Admission and Practice of Attorneys, and approval of such certifications by the Court.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers in Miami, Miami-Dade County, Florida, this _

day of July, 2008.

CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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