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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

## **ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2012-52**

IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF FEDERAL MAGISTRATE JUDGE MERIT SELECTION PANEL

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Magistrates Act, 28 U.S.C. § 631(b)(5), and the regulations of the Judicial Conference of the United States establishing standards and procedures for the appointment of United States Magistrate Judges, and by action of the Judges of this Court, the residents of this district listed below are appointed as members of the Federal Magistrate Judge Merit Selection Panel for the Fort Lauderdale vacancy as a result of Magistrate Judge Robin Rosenbaum's appointment as a District Judge.

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The Panel will receive comments from members of the bar and public, and will also examine all applications received in order to recommend to the Court the names of at least five applicants for each position whose character, experience, ability, and commitment to equal justice under law fully qualify them to serve as a United States Magistrate Judge. Comments in connection with applicants may be sent to the Panel in care of the Court Administrator, at 400 North Miami Avenue, Room 8N09, Miami, Florida 33128, and should be marked "Confidential." The Panel will meet in person as necessary, interview applicants, and will make recommendations to the Court by October 12, 2012.

Steven Larimore, Clerk of Court, is hereby appointed as staff assistant to render such service as may be required by the Panel in performing its functions.

This Federal Magistrate Judge Merit Selection Panel and the term of each member shall expire on November 6, 2012.

**DONE AND ORDERED** in Chambers at Miami, Miami-Dade County Florida, this day of June, 2012.

FEDERICO A. MORENO

CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

c: The Honorable Joel Dubina, Chief Judge, Eleventh Circuit
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