UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2018-73

IN RE: COURT OPERATIONS DURING HOLIDAYS



The Administrative Office of the U. S. Courts has indicated that "a chief judge as agency head may designate an additional day as a holiday (excused absence)." Typical examples include a day specially designated as a holiday by the President or the Congress of the United States, or by local court order; or the day immediately before or after Christmas or Thanksgiving. Excused absence for a holiday is granted only for a specific date. Further,

Federal law (5 U.S.C. 6103) establishes public holidays for Federal employees. Based on the foregoing, it is hereby

ORDERED and ADJUDGED that the following holiday schedule will be in effect for

the Southern District of Florida:

Thursday, November 22, 2018	Thanksgiving - Federal holiday
Friday, November 23, 2018	Court closed for holiday – day after Thanksgiving
Monday, December 24, 2018	Court closed for holiday – day before Christmas
Tuesday, December 25, 2018	Christmas – Federal holiday
Monday, December 31, 2018	Court closed for holiday – day before New Year's Day
Tuesday, January 1, 2019	New Year's Day - Federal holiday

It is also ORDERED and ADJUDGED that the Duty Judge and Duty Magistrate Judge

will be responsible for carrying out that judge's duties, and the rules regarding judicial emergencies will continue to apply.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers in Miami, Miami-Dade County, Florida this <u>2nd</u>

day of October, 2018.

K. MICHAEL MOORE UNITED STATES CHIEF DISTRICT JUDGE

Copies furnished to:

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