

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 97-02

IN RE:

**APPOINTMENT OF MAGISTRATE
JUDGE MERIT SELECTION PANEL**

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T.E. J.

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, by action of the judges of this Court, the residents of this district listed below are appointed as members of the Magistrate Judge Merit Selection Panel.

The duty of the panel is to consider and recommend to the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida reappointment or non-reappointment of Magistrate Judge Ted E. Bandstra (Miami) whose term expires on September 24, 1997.

The members of the Merit Selection Panel are as follows:

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It shall be the duty and responsibility of this panel, to review the current service of Magistrate Judge Bandstra, and to receive any comments from members of the bar and public, and other evidence of his good character, ability, and commitment to equal justice under the law. The panel shall render its recommendations to the Court within ninety days from the date of this order.

T. G. Cheleotis, Special Assistant to the Court Administrator, is hereby designated as staff assistant to render such assistance as may be required by the panel in performing its functions.

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DONE AND ORDERED in chambers at the United States Federal Building
and Courthouse, 299 East Broward Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida,
this 22^d day of January, 1997.



NORMAN C. ROETTGER
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

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