## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF ILLINOIS

## ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2014-03

SUBJECT: CASE ASSIGNMENTS FOLLOWING CHANGE IN JUDICIAL ASSIGNMENTS

- A. When a Judge ends a Courtroom assignment but continues to work as Judge, he or she may elect to retain a case and hear it in his or her next Courtroom if doing so would further the goal of Judicial economy. Examples of cases that should be retained are: cases with a hearing in progress, cases under advisement, and cases with unusually complex or novel issues.
- B. An election to retain a case shall be made in writing with copies going to the attorneys of record, any party not represented by an attorney, and the Administrative Assistant. (See attached form)
- C. Whenever a Judge ends a Courtroom assignment, all cases normally heard in that Courtroom which had been reassigned following the Judge's disqualification shall automatically transfer back to that Courtroom unless the Judge to whom the case was reassigned elects to retain the case for reasons described above.
- D. The Chief Judge's Administrative Assistant shall maintain lists of each Judge's reassigned and retained cases for Peoria, Marshall, Putnam and Stark Counties. The Tazewell County Administrator shall be responsible for that County.
- E. Tenth Judicial Circuit Court Administrative Order 2013-13 is repealed.

ENTERED THIS/4TH DAY OF JULY, 2014.

STEPHEN A. KOURI, Chief Circuit Judge

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JUDGE OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT