IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS
COUNTY STATE OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO: C-96-3

IN RE: JUROR UTILIZATION IN THE CIRCUIT COURTS OF CITRUS COUNTY

WHEREAS it is necessary to amend the requirements of Administrative Order No. C-94-67 concerning juror utilization in order to more efficiently manage the current jury pool system, it is thereupon

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. Effective January 1, 1996, all jurors reporting for duty in Citrus County shall be pooled and then randomly selected and directed to a particular court for jury selection. Capital cases may also be included in juror pooling for the purposes of adding to the venire or reutilizing jurors which have been excused for cause or peremptorily challenged in other cases.
- 2. All jury selection shall take place on every other Monday, or the first day following if such day falls on a holiday, beginning with Monday, January 8, 1996.
- 3. The Clerk of Courts or her designees shall cause to be summoned the number of prospective jurors to be examined and serve in the jury pool. This number shall be based on previous trials held in Citrus County and in conjunction with the guidelines established by the Supreme Court of Florida Administrative Order of October 8, 1990.
- 4. The duty judge appointed by the Administrative Judge shall remain responsible for considering and approving requests for excusal form jury duty and for qualifying the jury

pool at the beginning of each trial period. Should any duty judge be unavailable, he/she shall be responsible for finding another judge able to serve in his/her place.

> JOHN P. THURMAN ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

CITRUS COUNTY