IN THE C CUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

LOCAL RULE 1

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IN RE: DIVISIONS OF COURT; APPELLATE DIVISION

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- l. Effective upon approval of the Florida Supreme Court Rules Advisory Committee there shall be established in the Circuit Court, Fifth Judicial Circuit an Appellate Division which shall be a Banc of three circuit judges to be appointed on a rotation basis by the Chief Judge.
- 2. The Banc shall have as a sitting member one circuit judge from each of the three geographical divisions of the Fifth Judicial Circuit, namely the Lake County Division, the Marion County Division, and the Tri-County Division consisting of Citrus, Hernando, and Sumter Counties.
- 3. All appeals from and applications for extraordinary writs directed to the County Courts of the various counties of the Fifth Judicial Circuit shall be heard and determined by the Appellate Division of the Circuit Court.
- 4. The Division shall operate within the provisions of the Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure except that certain filing guidelines may be amended to provide for adequate notice to parties.
- 5. The Chief Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit shall by Administrative Order establish procedures for the administration of the Division.
- 6. The Court Administrator of the Fifth Judicial Circuit shall serve as ex-officio clerk of the Appellate Division.
- 7. The foregoing Rule, effective upon approval of the Supreme Court Rules
 Advisory Committee shall be adopted as a Local Rule of Procedure for all Counties
 of the Fifth Judicial Circuit.
- 8. This Rule shall be recorded, after approval of the same by the Supreme Court, in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for each County of the Fifth Judicial Circuit.
- I, Ernest C. Aulls, Jr., Chief Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit, do certify that the foregoing Local Rule was approved by a majority of the Circuit and County Judges in the Circuit; I further certify that notice hereof was submitted to all County Bar Associations within the Circuit and no objections thereto were forthcoming.

ERNEST C. AULLS, JR

Chief Judge

Fifth Judicial Circuit

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