

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE
FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR
MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER M97-6

IN RE: **EXTENSION OF TIME TO PAY FINES
ON NONCRIMINAL INFRACTIONS**

WHEREAS Florida Statutes 318.14(4) requires that civil penalties and delinquent fees imposed under chapter 318, Florida Statutes must be paid within thirty (30) days of the date of receiving the citation; and

WHEREAS in certain noncriminal traffic infractions the statutory fine is in excess of \$100; and

WHEREAS requests for extension of time are submitted frequently by persons unable to pay the civil penalty within thirty (30) days;

NOW THEREFORE, in order to expedite the disposition of noncriminal traffic infractions, it is hereby

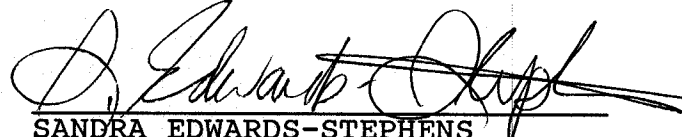
ORDERED AND ADJUDGED THAT:


The Deputy Clerks of the Misdemeanor and Traffic Division are authorized to grant extensions upon Defendant's written request for extension of time to pay noncriminal infraction civil penalties and delinquent fees as follows:


<u>Fine Amount, Including Costs</u>	<u>Extension Allowed</u>
\$100 - \$200	30 days
\$201 and above	60 days

No extension of time will be allowed for any fine and costs amount under \$100.

DONE AND ORDERED this 12th day of February, 1997, at Ocala, Marion
County, Florida.


SANDRA EDWARDS-STEPHENS
COUNTY COURT JUDGE


JOHN E. FUTCH
COUNTY COURT JUDGE


FRANCES S. KING
COUNTY COURT JUDGE

Copy to: David R. Ellspermann, Clerk of Court
Traffic/Misdemeanor Division