## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LAKE COUNTY, FLORIDA

## ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER L- 2018- 58

## IN RE: AMENDED CASE ASSIGNMENT OF ANY CASE WHEREIN THE LAW FIRM OF BOWEN, SCHROTH, MAZENKO AND BROOME, PA. IS COUNSEL

THIS CAUSE came on to be heard before the undersigned Administrative Judge, *sua sponte*, regarding the reassignment of cases involving any and all cases assigned to the Honorable James Baxley wherein counsel for any party is Bowen, Schroth, Mazenko and Broome, PA.

It has been brought to the attention of the undersigned that there is an actual or perceived conflict of interest in the assignment of the above referenced cases and in order to maintain judicial integrity, a recusal/reassignment of any case wherein Bowen, Schroth, Mazenko and Broome, PA is counsel of record is appropriate.

## It is THEREFORE ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. With his approval and consent, the Honorable James Baxley, Circuit Judge, is hereby recused from presiding in any case which may be assigned to him wherein Bowen, Schroth, Mazenko and Broome, PA is counsel of record.

 The Clerk of the Court is hereby directed to reassign such cases at random in accordance with Administrative Order L-2107-31-A and any order that replaces Administrative Order L-2107-31-A.

3. Thereafter, the Clerk of the Court shall reassign a similar case type from the docket of the Judge who is receiving the reassigned case to the docket of the Honorable James Baxley, in an equal assignment.

4. The provisions of this Order shall remain in effect until further ordered by the Administrative Judge.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers in Tavares, Lake County, Florida, on this <u>/</u><sup>2</sup>day of September, 2018.

LAWRENCE J. SEMENTO Administrative Judge Lake County