

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN  
AND FOR SUMTER COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. S-2022-15**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER ON THE TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENT  
OF HONORABLE PAUL L. MILITELLO**

**WHEREAS**, Article V, section 2(d) of the Florida Constitution and section 43.26, Florida Statutes, charges the chief judge with the authority to promote the prompt and efficient administration of justice in the courts over which he or she is chief judge; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Florida Supreme Court, pursuant to Rule 2.215(b)(4) of the Florida Rules General Practice and Judicial Administration, authorizes a chief judge to assign any judge to temporary service for which the judge is qualified in any court in the same circuit; and,

**WHEREAS**, it is deemed necessary and appropriate for the prompt, effective, and efficient administration of justice within the Circuit Courts of the Fifth Judicial Circuit, and to eliminate the need for individualized orders, to avoid undue confusion and uncertainty for the public, litigants and other involved in the court system, this Administrative Order assigns the Honorable Paul L. Militello to hear conduct and determine matters of circuit court jurisdiction which are presented to him in Sumter County Florida as the need may arise;

It is **THEREFORE ORDERED** as follows:

1. The following Judge for the County Court of Sumter County, is hereby assigned and designated to-wit:

**THE HONORABLE PAUL L. MILITELLO**

is to proceed to the Circuit Courts of Sumter County and

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thereupon, on the **17<sup>th</sup> day of February 2022 and thereafter through the 11<sup>th</sup> day of March 2022**, hear, conduct, try, and determine the cause, or causes, which shall from time to time may be presented to him as temporary Circuit Judge of the said Courts, and thereafter dispose of any matters considered by him.

**DONE AND ORDERED** in chambers in Brooksville, Hernando County, Florida, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 2022.



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**DANIEL B. MERRITT, JR**  
**CHIEF JUDGE**  
**FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**