

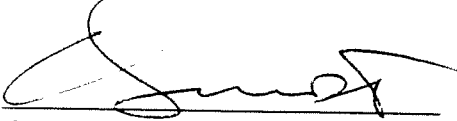
IN THE MATTER OF INTER-COURT INFORMATION ACCESS

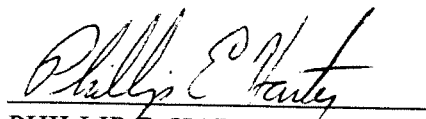
The Chief Judges of the respective Courts, through Judicial Council cooperation, determine that it is in the best interest of each respective Court that, as necessary, each Court's respective ancillary service agencies have reasonable access to information known to or retained by agencies under the direct supervision of the three (3) Courts so long as the information is needed to carry out a required duty.

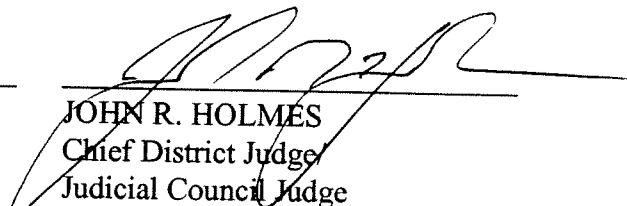
IT IS ORDERED:

1. Unless otherwise provided specifically by Federal Law, the Code of Federal Regulations, Michigan Law or Michigan Court Rule, information retained by any court agency concerning any person within or formerly within the jurisdiction of a respective Court or its directly supervised service agency shall be available to any other Court agency in the discharge of that Court agency's lawful responsibilities or duties; and,
2. Pursuant to MCR 3.218(G), the Friend of the Court must permit access to its non-confidential records on request of another court or court supervised service agency subject to the other terms of this order; and,
3. The receiving Court agency shall adhere to the same privacy regulations as to the information received as the provider agency. The provider agency shall inform the receiving agency of any privacy or access restrictions that must be observed; and,
4. The following individuals (or their designees) shall constitute an inter-court committee to advise the Judicial Council Administrator with regard to the implementation and the operation of this Order: The Circuit Court Administrator, The Probate Court Administrator, the District Court Administrator, the Senior Supervisor of the Circuit Court Probation Agency, the Supervisor of the District Court Probation Division, the Friend of the Court and the Director of the Court Services Division.

This Order shall become effective November 1, 1996.


CONRAD J. SINDT
Chief Circuit Judge


PHILLIP E. HARTER
Chief Probate Judge


JOHN R. HOLMES
Chief District Judge
Judicial Council Judge

Dated: 9-13-96

Dated: 9-13-96

Dated: 9-13-96

10/13/96
10/13/96