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THIRTY-SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MICHIGAN
CALHOUN COUNTY PROBATE COURT

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LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER C37-2016-05

RE: Court Divisions; Assignment of judges to divisions.

Rescinds LAO C37-2016-01

This administrative order is pursuant to MCR 8.110 and establishes divisions of the court as well as assigns judges to the divisions and is effective January 1, 2017, and replaces local administrative order C37-2016-01.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Divisions of the Court

The Court divisions are as follows:

A. Civil/Criminal Division

All criminal, civil (other than domestic relations) and appeals cases.

Drug and Sobriety Courts.

Business Court.

B. Family Division

All domestic relations, personal protection, juvenile delinquency, child protective and ancillary matters referred by the Probate Court.

Back up for Probate matters when the Probate Judge is not available.

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2. Assignment of Judges to Divisions

Each Judge is assigned to a division or divisions as follows:

Civil/Criminal Division -

Judge Sarah S. Lincoln
Judge John A. Hallacy
Judge Brian K. Kirkham (business court and non-criminal appeals)

Family Division -

Judge Brian K. Kirkham
Judge Tina Yost Johnson

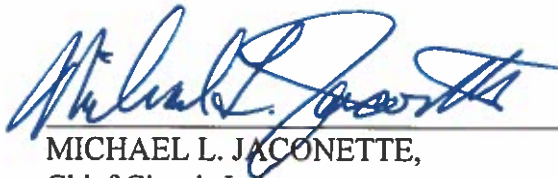
3. Backup assistance assignment

Notwithstanding the foregoing, any judge may provide backup assistance for any matter or proceeding, regardless of assigned division, within the overall jurisdiction of the court.

Judge Kirkham serves as the primary back up for Probate matters in the absence of the Judge of Probate. Judge Yost Johnson serves as next back up for Probate matters in the absence of Judge Kirkham.

Effective Date: January 1, 2017

Dated: December 9th, 2016


MICHAEL L. JACONETTE,
Chief Circuit Judge