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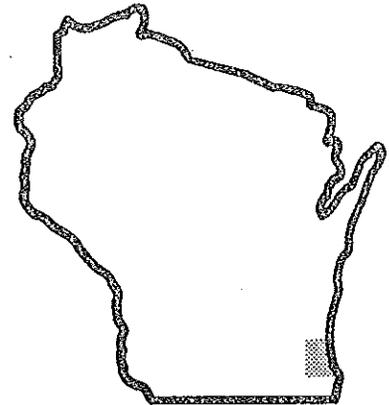
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CHIEF JUDGE DIRECTIVE 15-01

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TO: All Judges, All Court Commissioners, District Court Administrator, Deputy District Court Administrator, County Executive, Clerk of Circuit Court, Corporation Counsel, Sheriff, District Attorney, City Attorney, Public Defender, DAS Fiscal Affairs, Court Coordinators, Managing Court Reporter, Justice 2000, WCS, Legal Resource Center, Facilities Management, Press

FROM: Chief Judge Jeffrey A. Kremers

RE: REVISION OF LOCAL RULES - FAMILY DIVISION

Wis. Stat. § 753.35(1), SCR 70.19(3), SCR 70.21(15e) and SCR 70.34 vests authority in the Chief Judge to prescribe local rules governing practices in the circuit court. Pursuant to this authority, and local rules 1.1B. The local rules are revised as follows:

IT IS HEREBY DIRECTED that, effective immediately, Local Rule 5.17 concerning Administrative Dismissal of Unprosecuted Cases is amended as follows:

5.17 Administrative Dismissal of Unprosecuted Cases

- A. A case shall be dismissed if, as of 180 days after a case is filed, or upon such other deadline ordered by the Family Court Commissioner, the case is not scheduled for a final hearing, pretrial conference or trial.
- B. Before dismissing a case for failure to prosecute the case, the court shall give notice.

IT IS HEREBY DIRECTED that, effective immediately, Local Rule 5.37(C) (1) concerning Assignment of Petitions for Injunctions and Temporary Restraining Orders under Wis. Stat. Chapter 813 is created as follows:

5.37 Assignment of Petitions for Injunctions and Temporary Restraining Orders under Wis. Stat. Chapter 813

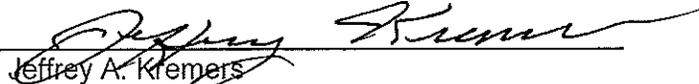
- C. All petitions for extensions, withdrawals or modifications of injunctions previously issued pursuant to §813.12 and §813.125 Wis Stats shall be heard before the Family Court Commissioner.
 - 1. Any request to extend an injunction to 10 years must be personally served on the Respondent before the hearing on the request, unless a finding of substantial risk pursuant to §813.12(4)(d) or §813.125(4)(d) has previously been made on the record.

IT IS FURTHER DIRECTED that, these rules shall be filed with the clerk of circuit court.

IT IS FURTHER DIRECTED that, the clerk of circuit court shall send a copy of these rules to the secretary of the Milwaukee Bar Association, the District Court Administrator for the First Judicial District, the State Bar of Wisconsin, the state law library, and the office of the Director of State Courts.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, these rules and the appendices referenced in the rules shall be published on the Chief Judge page of the Milwaukee County website and on the website of the State Bar of Wisconsin.

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, this 18th day of February, 2015



Jeffrey A. Kremers
Chief Judge

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