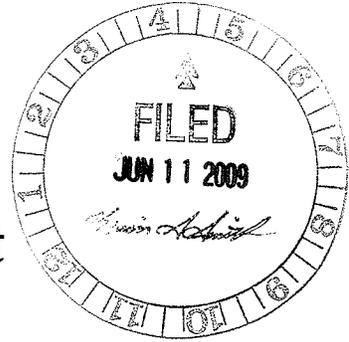


In the  
Indiana Supreme Court



IN THE MATTER OF THE )  
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APPROVAL OF LOCAL RULES )  
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FOR MARSHALL COUNTY )

Case No. 50S00-0906-MS- 272

ORDER APPROVING AMENDED LOCAL RULE

The Judges of the Marshall Circuit and Superior Courts request the approval of an amended local rule for caseload allocation in accordance with Ind. Administrative Rule 1(E). Attached to this Order is the proposed amended local rule.

Upon examination of the proposed rule amendment requested by the Marshall Circuit and Superior Courts, this Court finds that the proposed rule amendment, LR50-TR81 & AR1(E)-MLR-010 complies with the requirements of Ind. Administrative Rule 1(E), and, accordingly, should be approved and posted in the county clerk's office(s) and on the county clerk's website, if any, and on the Indiana Judicial Website.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by this Court that amended Local Rule LR50-TR81 & AR1(E)-MLR-010 for Marshall County Courts, set forth as an attachment to this Order, is approved effective July 1, 2009. The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a copy of this Order to the Hon. Curtis D. Palmer; the Hon. Robert O. Bowen; the Hon. Dean A. Colvin; and to the Clerk of the Marshall Circuit Court. The Clerk is also directed to post this Order on the Court's website.

The Clerk of the Marshall Circuit Court is directed to enter this Order and attachment in the Record of Judgments and Orders for the Courts, to post this Order and attachment for

examination by the Bar and the general public, and if available, to publish this Order and attachment on the county clerk's website.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2009.

RT Shepard  
Randall T. Shepard  
Chief Justice of Indiana

## LR50 – TR81 & AR1 (E) – MLR-010

### *Local Caseload Allocation Plan*

In order to meet the statistical requirements mandated by the Indiana Supreme Court, except as noted below in the paragraph entitled "Exception", original case filings shall be made in the following Courts as follows effective July 1, 2009:

#### **Marshall Circuit Court**

All JC, JD, JS, JP, JM, JT, PL, MF, RS, MH, GU, TR case types

#### **Marshall Superior Court #1**

All Capital Murder, Murder, FA, FB, FC, non-traffic related FD case types

#### **Marshall Superior Court #2**

All CM, IF, OV, SC, traffic related FD case types

**Exception:** If a person is on probation or has a criminal case pending in Marshall Superior Court #2, any new criminal case filing against that person regardless of its classification shall be filed in Marshall Superior Court #2.

#### **In addition:**

The following shall be filed in either the Marshall Circuit Court or Marshall Superior Court #1:

All DR, AD, AH, ES, EU and PO case types

The following shall be filed in either the Marshall Circuit Court or Marshall Superior Court #2:

All CT and CC case types with the CC cases alternated between these courts by the Clerk of the Court when filed

PC, MI and MC filings shall be made in the most appropriate Court for the matter that needs to be addressed.

Transfers shall be permitted between Courts with the approval of the participating judges.

Judicial officers shall be authorized to act and conduct trials and hearings of all types in any of the courts of Marshall County in the event the presiding judge is unavailable or requests assistance.

Upon approval by the Supreme Court, this rule shall remain in effect until further order.