

IN THE CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT COURTS OF MADISON COUNTY, ALABAMA

STANDING ORDER

The Judges of the 23rd Judicial Circuit have determined that it would be beneficial to the administration of justice in the Circuit and District Courts of Madison County for a General Administrative Order to be entered in regard to the following:

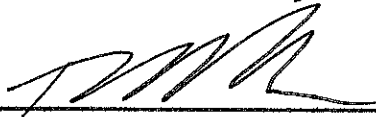
When a Judge who is presiding over a case in the District and Circuit Courts of Madison County, Alabama, makes a determination that there is a question of abuse and/or dependency that requires the assistance of the Madison County Department of Human Resources;

The following is hereby **ORDERED**:

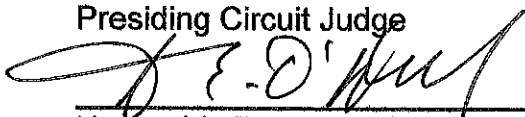
Effective Immediately, the Madison County Department of Human Resources, upon being notified by the District or Circuit Court Judge of the situation, shall send over a worker for purposes of receiving the information that the judge has that has caused the court to feel that there is an issue of abuse and/or dependency. The court shall provide the Madison County Department of Human Resources with any and all information that may assist them in determining whether or not there have been any previous cases concerning the child or children. Such information shall include but is not limited to: the child's name, date of birth, social security number, the parent(s) name, as it is known.

That upon receipt of said call from the court and said information, the Madison County Department of Human Resources shall immediately dispatch a worker to that judge who can update the court on information that the Department may have concerning the child and/or any other directives the court may make pursuant to its finding of dependency and/or neglect or abuse.

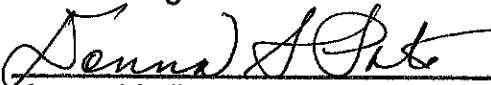
Done this the 18th day of October, 2018.



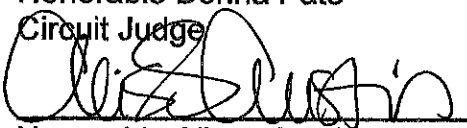
Honorable Alan Mann
Presiding Circuit Judge




Honorable Dennis O' Dell
Circuit Judge




Honorable Donna Pate
Circuit Judge



Honorable Alison Austin
Circuit Judge




Honorable Dick Richardson
District Judge



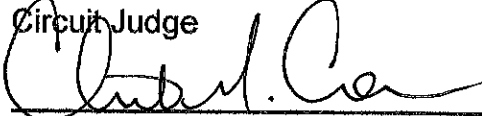
Honorable Patricia Dunn Demos
District Judge



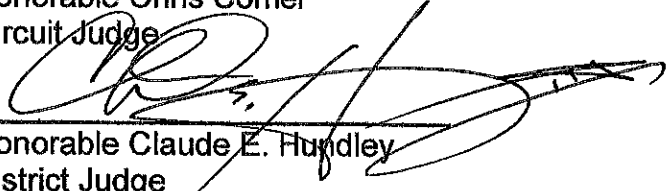
Honorable Karen Hall
Circuit Judge



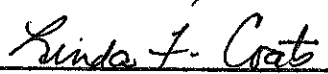
Honorable Ruth Ann Hall
Circuit Judge



Honorable Chris Comer
Circuit Judge



Honorable Claude E. Hundley
District Judge



Honorable Linda F. Coats
District Judge

A copy of this Order shall be distributed to all members of the Huntsville-Madison County Bar Association, the Madison County Department of Human Resources, shall be posted on the website for the 23rd Judicial Circuit, and shall be kept in the District Court Clerk's Office and in the Circuit Court Clerk's Office and in the Court Administrator's Office.