

**LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER #2001-4  
RESCINDS LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER #2000-13**

**PERSONAL PROTECTION ORDER ASSIGNMENTS**

**IT IS ORDERED:**

This administrative order is issued in accordance with MCR 8.112, effective June 11, 2001. The purpose of this order is to rescind Local Administrative Order #2000-13.

In an effort to more efficiently serve the interests of the litigants who come before the court and to enhance the administration of justice

**The clerk of the court will assign personal protection orders to family division judges under the following circumstances and in the manner set forth below:**

Respondent is the spouse, former spouse, an individual with whom he or she has a child in common, an individual with whom he or she has or has had a dating relationship or an individual residing or having resided in the same household as the Petitioner.

Petitioner (or Petitioner's spouse-girlfriend-boyfriend) has or has had a dating relationship with the Respondent (or Respondent's spouse-girlfriend-boyfriend).

Respondent is a juvenile.

Respondent is a friend or relative who has a role in the transportation or supervision of a child or children of parties to a DM, DP or DS case in which there is a custody and/or visitation order and the complained of activity arises out of the performance of that role.

**The clerk of the court will assign personal protection orders to criminal/civil division judges under the following circumstance and in the manner set forth below:**

All requests for personal protection orders not designated for assignment to the family division, as set forth above, will be assigned to criminal/civil division judges.

General Provisions:

Petitions in which both parties have a pending domestic matter in common will be re-assigned to the judge assigned to the earliest domestic case.

If there is no common case pending between the Petitioner and Respondent, the Petition will be re-assigned to the judge assigned to any personal protection order pending against the same Respondent.

All subsequent requests for personal protection orders in which the same Petitioner and Respondent are present, shall be assigned to the judge who was previously assigned to the earlier matter.

All requests for personal protection orders, other than Petitions as set forth above, will be assigned by lot within the appropriate division, pursuant to MCR 8.111(B).

Effective Date: June 11, 2001

May 14, 2001  
Date

**Robert M. Ransom**  
Robert M. Ransom, Chief Judge  
Genesee County Circuit Court

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