

DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST DISTRICT

Tallahassee, Fl. 32399

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DATE June 20, 1995

Administrative Order:

In re Assignment of Cases to Court Divisions, 95-1

BY ORDER OF THE COURT:

Pursuant to Section 43.30, Florida Statutes, and the affirmative vote of a majority of the judges of this court, Administrative Order 94-2, dated October 3, 1994, is amended by adding the following provisions regarding the assignment of cases to the Administrative Division:

1. All cases involving a challenge to any tax assessment by state or local government, whether filed in circuit court or as an administrative action, shall be assigned to the Administrative Division;

2. All cases involving a state agency's authority to act and required procedure, including constitutional challenges to statutes or rules that purport to provide for such authority or procedure, shall be assigned to the Administrative Division, except that

(a) actions involving the collection of child support by the Department of Revenue and

(b) actions involving child dependency where the Department

of Health and Rehabilitative Services is a party shall not be assigned to the Administrative Division.

In the event of any doubt, the Chief Judge shall have sole discretion to decide where to assign a case. The assignment of cases to a division is not jurisdictional, and a claim that a case was decided by the "wrong" division shall not be the basis for reconsideration of the case.

Witness the Honorable E. Earle Zehmer, Chief Judge of the First District Court of Appeal and the Seal of said Court, at Tallahassee, Florida, this 20th day of June 1995.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is (a true copy of) the original court order.


Jon S. Wheeler, Clerk

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

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