

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 16TH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF
FLORIDA IN AND FOR MONROE COUNTY

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER: 2.058

IN RE:

INDIGENT STATUS AND PAYMENT
SCHEDULES DETERMINED BY
CLERK OF COURT

WHEREAS, the Clerk of the Circuit Court is required by statute to determine if a person applying for appointment of a public defender or private attorney, or any other due process service is indigent; and


WHEREAS, Florida Statute Sections 27.52 and 57.082 require a person seeking to be declared indigent in a criminal or civil proceeding to apply to the Clerk of Court for determination of indigent status and to use an application form developed by the Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation and approved by the Supreme Court; and

WHEREAS, the Clerk is also required to arrange for payment schedules for certain costs and fees to be paid for by the Defendant/Respondent;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

In accordance with general law, any controversy involving the indigency determination or the payment schedule set by the Clerk may be presented to the presiding trial judge for resolution.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, at Key West, Monroe County, Florida, this 10TH day of August, 2005.



Hon. Richard G. Payne
Chief Judge