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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA**

IN RE THE ASSIGNMENT OF CIVIL
AND CRIMINAL CASES

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GENERAL ORDER
NO. 2012-06

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Pursuant to Nebraska General Rule 1.4 (a)(1) and (2), and in an effort to equalize the civil and criminal dockets, the chief judge has consulted with the other active district judges and determined that an adjustment should be made in the distribution of cases from the Omaha civil and criminal dockets and the Lincoln criminal docket.

Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Judge Gerrard, Judge Kopf, and Judge Urbom are randomly assigned to a proportion of cases from the Omaha civil docket. Magistrate Judge Zwart is assigned to these civil cases. Judge Gerrard and Judge Kopf are randomly assigned to a proportion of cases from the Omaha criminal docket. Magistrate Judge Thalken or Magistrate Judge Gossett are randomly assigned to these criminal cases.
2. Chief Judge Smith Camp, Judge Bataillon, and Judge Strom are randomly assigned to a proportion of cases from the Lincoln criminal docket. Magistrate Judge Zwart is assigned to these criminal cases.
3. General Order 2012-02 is rescinded.

Dated this 16th day of August, 2012.

BY THE COURT:

s/Laurie Smith Camp
Chief United States District Judge