

IN THE COURTS OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 2013-32**  
(*amends certain portions of Administrative Order No. 2012-29*)

**IN RE: FORECLOSURE  
FORECLOSURE BACKLOG INITIATIVE**

**WHEREAS**, Administrative Order No. 2012-29 created an Escambia division to address the foreclosure backlog initiative known under the *Foreclosure and Economic Recovery Program* which began July 1, 2012; and

**WHEREAS**, Escambia Division “W” addresses the foreclosure actions identified in said administrative order; and

**WHEREAS**, a settlement between the State of Florida and various lenders regarding questioned foreclosure practices has resulted in an appropriation of additional funds for use in foreclosure cases in addition to defined foreclosure backlog cases; and

**WHEREAS**, the need has arisen for additional cases to be assigned to Division “W” in an effort to continue the objectives of the initiative, it is

**ORDERED that:**

1. All opened or reopened foreclosure actions originally filed in Escambia County on or before December 31, 2012 shall be reassigned to “Division W\_.” To avoid confusion and delay, all foreclosure matters presently set for hearing before the currently assigned judge, including lack of prosecution dismissal hearings, motions to withdraw or substitute counsel, summary judgment or final hearing, shall remain set and heard by the currently assigned judge.

2. All remaining portions of Administrative Order No. 2012-29 shall remain in effect.

3. This order is effective upon entry.

**DONE AND ORDERED** in Pensacola, Escambia County, Florida this 17<sup>TH</sup> day of April, 2013.

/S/ TERRY D. TERRELL

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**TERRY D. TERRELL**  
**CHIEF JUDGE**

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