

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

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 2013-46

IN RE: **FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT BENCH AND BAR
PROFESSIONALISM COMMITTEE**

CREATION OF THE LOCAL PROFESSIONALISM PANEL

ORDER

WHEREAS, the *First Judicial Circuit Bench and Bar Professionalism Committee* is established and active within the First Judicial Circuit; and

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court published opinion No. SC13-688, entitled “In Re: Code for Resolving Professionalism Complaints,” dated June 6, 2013, wherein the Court calls for the development of a Local Professionalism Panel in each circuit, and permits that in “the discretion of the Chief Judge, the Circuit Committee on Professionalism may be designated as the Local Professionalism Panel”; it is

ORDERED:

The *First Judicial Circuit Bench and Bar Professionalism Committee* shall be designated as the **“Local Professionalism Panel,”** and shall adopt a structured mechanism to receive, screen and resolve professionalism complaints as outlined and identified in the Supreme Court’s opinion No. SC13-688, attached and made a part hereof.

The **Local Professionalism Panel** shall develop and prepare written procedures for the receipt, screening and resolution of professionalism complaints. The written procedures, and any future amendments thereto, shall be provided to the Office of the Chief Judge.

DONE AND ORDERED in Pensacola, Escambia County, Florida this 24th day of June, 2013.

/S/ TERRY D. TERRELL

TERRY D. TERRELL, CHIEF JUDGE

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