

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

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2021-35**  
*(Vacate Administrative Order 2021-09)*

**RE: DUE PROCESS COSTS - EXCESS FEES MOTIONS  
FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
ORDER APPOINTING DESIGNEE**

**WHEREAS** pursuant to *Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.215(b)(3)* the chief judge shall ensure the efficient and proper administration of all courts within the First Judicial Circuit; and

**WHEREAS** Section 27.5304, *Florida Statutes*, authorizes the Chief Judge to designate a single judge to preside over motions for excess fees filed by private court-appointed counsel; it is


**ORDERED** that:

Judge John F. Simon is appointed to continue to preside over all pending and newly-filed requests for excess fees filed by private court-appointed counsel.

Effective April 16, 2021 Judge Simon's court address will be:

Honorable John F. Simon  
Circuit Judge  
M.C. Blanchard Judicial Building  
190 Governmental Center  
Pensacola, Florida 32502

**DONE AND ORDERED** in Pensacola, Escambia County, Florida this 14th day of December, 2021.

  
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**JOHN L. MILLER**  
**CHIEF JUDGE**

Copies furnished to:  
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