

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, COUNTY DIVISION**

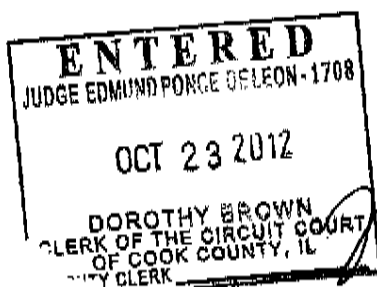
**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2012 - 13**

**FINALIZATION OF 2012 ADOPTION MATTERS**

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:** The scheduling process, deadlines and other procedures for finalization of 2012 adoption matters are hereby effective as follows:

1. Except for emergencies, the Clerk of the Court of Cook County shall not assign any initial presentments for adoption on the following dates:
  - a. **Monday, December 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012,**
  - b. **Wednesday, December 26<sup>th</sup>, 2012 and**
  - c. **Monday, December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2012.**
2. Any motions to advance for finalization in 2012 must be filed no later than December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2012.
3. The deadline for filing a case for finalization in 2012 shall be November 2, 2012.
4. All required documentation, including GAL reports, for finalization in 2012 is to be submitted to the Court no later than December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2012.
5. Judge Susan Fox Gillis shall be assigned to the adoption call from December 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012 through December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2012.

This order shall be spread of record.



ENTERED: October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2012

Judge Edmund Ponce de Leon #1708  
Presiding Judge, County Division