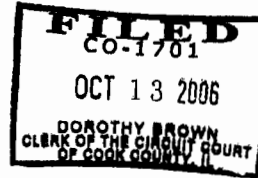## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT – COUNTY DIVISION

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER   2006-11
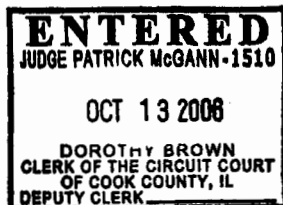
SUBJECT: ASSIGNMENT OF ELECTION CASES

In accordance with the Memorandum dated April 17, 2006, all cases relating to the administration or conduct of an election including but not limited to all cases brought under the Election Code (10 ILCS 5/1 et seq.) where a party to the proceeding is the Chicago Board of Election Commissioners and or the County Clerk shall be assigned randomly among Calendars 3 through 11 upon filing.
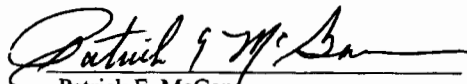
Provided nevertheless that all cases filed on Election Day November 7, 2006 shall be assigned to Calendar 3 where the cases end in an odd number and to Calendar 8 from 7:00 A.M. to 1:30 P.M., and Calendar 7 from 1:30 P.M. until Court recesses for the day, where cases end in an even number. These assignments shall be done manually.

Attorneys filing any case involving the administration or conduct of an Election at any time are directed to contact the assigned judge's chamber within two business days of filing to schedule hearings on said cases. In all cases filed on November 7, 2006, involving the conduct of the General Election held that day, said hearings shall be scheduled instanter by the judge assigned to the designated calendar.

The Clerk of Court is to deliver the file in each case to the office of the Presiding Judge as soon as practicable after filing. Upon filing, a copy of this order is to be given by the Clerk of Court to all parties initiating election related cases.

ENTERED:

Patrick E. McGann
Presiding Judge, County Division (1510)