IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS FIFTH AND SIXTH MUNICIPAL DISTRICTS

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO: 2025-07

SUBJECT: Reassignment of juvenile matters arising out of the cities of Blue Island and Midlothian from the Sixth Municipal District to the Fifth Municipal District in coordination with General Administrative Order 2024-15.

ORDER

WHEREAS General Administrative Order 2024-15 addressed the issue of the incorporation of the territorial limits of the City of Blue Island and the City of Midlothian currently in the Sixth Municipal District, into the Fifth Municipal District and the assignment of cases accordingly; and

WHEREAS there is a need to assign juvenile matters in coordination with General Administrative Order 2024-15; and

WHEREAS it is necessary to permit the same types of juvenile matters, excepting traffic cases, to be heard in the Fifth Municipal District as were previously heard in the Sixth Municipal District to ensure continuity and consistency;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- 1. All juvenile matters, excluding traffic cases, arising out of the City of Blue Island and the City of Midlothian shall be assigned to and heard in the Fifth Municipal District effective November 3, 2025.
- 2. That the Blue Island and Midlothian Police shall commence issuing Fifth Municipal District court dates on all new juvenile misdemeanor cases beginning November 3, 2025.
- 3. That a party seeking an expungement or an appeal in any case with a final disposition entered prior to November 3, 2025 and filed at any time within the Sixth Municipal District shall have the matter heard in the Sixth Municipal District.

Dated this 21st day of August, 2025.