

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL
CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

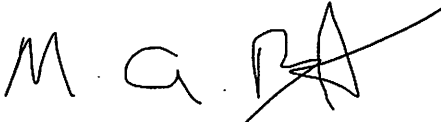
**JUVENILE DIVISION 009
DEPENDENCY DIVISION 009
FCJ DIVISION 109**

STANDING ORDER ESTABLISHING REQUESTS FOR ELECTRONIC APPEARANCES
(Effective August 28, 2025)

In the interest of ensuring the fair, efficient, and proper administration of matters before this Court, it is hereby **ADJUDGED** that it is necessary to implement the following procedures. Should any party need clarification, or a modification, exception, and/or waiver of the obligations below, a motion for clarification must be filed, served, and noticed for a timely hearing. This Order is effective August 28, 2025. Each party and attorney is expected to be familiar with and comply with this Order.

1. **REQUESTS IN WRITING**: A request in writing, made by a duly filed motion or, in urgent circumstances, by email to the Court, will be the only request that this Court may consider and/or grant. All attorneys of record on the case must be included and/or copied on a request for an electronic appearance by a party, witness or attorney.
2. **ORA TENUS REQUESTS**: No ora tenus requests for an electronic appearance will be considered.
3. **REQUIRED GROUNDS FOR REQUEST**: The Court requires that the grounds for the electronic appearance be provided. However, any medical condition, diagnosis or other personal type of information shall not be included. Instead, only the general concern or reason why and in-person appearance is difficult or burdensome shall be set forth in written request.
4. **TRIALS AND EVIDENTIARY HEARINGS**: Any written request for electronic appearance by a party, witness or attorney, at a trial, evidentiary hearing or any other special set hearing, must follow the above procedures and will be reviewed by the Court in accordance with the rules in place per all applicable Administrative Orders.

*Failure to comply with this Order may result in denials of requests or sanctions following a hearing by the court.



MICHELLE A. BARAKAT
CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE