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FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DIST. OHIO
EAST. DIV. COLUMBUS

IN RE: DESIGNATION OF A CERTAIN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
IN THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF
WEST VIRGINIA TO SERVE THE
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

JOINT ORDER

It appearing to the Judges of the United States District Courts for the Southern District of Ohio and the Northern District of West Virginia:

1. That the position of part-time United States Magistrate Judge at Steubenville, Ohio, has been discontinued by the Judicial Conference of the United States;
2. That there is from time to time a need for the issuance of warrants and the performance of other non-trial judicial functions in portions of the Southern District of Ohio which are nearer to Wheeling, West Virginia, than to locations in the Southern District of Ohio where a federal judicial officer regularly holds court;
3. That the Southern District of Ohio adjoins the Northern District of West Virginia;
4. That a majority of the District Judges of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio and a majority of the District Judges of the Northern District of West


Virginia concur that it is desirable for a United States Magistrate Judge at Wheeling, West Virginia to be authorized to perform certain limited judicial functions in the Southern District of Ohio in order to avoid the need for federal law enforcement officers and others to travel inordinate distances to make applications to or otherwise seek the services of a federal judicial officer for the issuance of warrants and the performance of other duties specified in 28 U.S.C. § 636(a)(1) and (2);


5. That the Judicial Conference of the United States, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 631(a), has deemed it desirable for the Magistrate Judge at Wheeling, West Virginia, to be designated to serve in the Southern District of Ohio, as set forth in records of the proceedings of the Conference conducted in December, 1983; and

IT IS ORDERED that the Honorable James Mazzone a United States Magistrate Judge whose official station is at Wheeling, West Virginia, be and he hereby is DESIGNATED as authorized to perform within or with respect to the Southern District of Ohio the duties specified in 28 U.S.C. § 636(a)(1) and (2) as currently in force. It is further

ORDERED that the designation herein made shall be entered of record in each of the captioned courts; that the Clerk for the Southern District of Ohio shall promptly mail a certified copy of this Joint Order to the Director of the Administrative Office and deliver a certified copy of this Order to each United States District Judge in the Southern District of Ohio, and that the Clerk for the Northern District of West Virginia shall deliver a copy of this joint Order to the United States Magistrate Judge designated herein, and deliver a certified

copy of this Joint Order to each United States District Judge for the Northern District of West Virginia.


EDMUND A. SARGUS, JR.
Chief United States District Judge
for the Southern District of Ohio


GINA M. GROH
Chief United States District Judge
for the Northern District of West Virginia

10-8-2018

DATE