

**THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**CASE NO. 06-1
(Court Administration)**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 06-41**

**IN RE: ORDER REVISING CIVIL
COVER SHEET**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the creation of the Complex Business Litigation Section within the General Jurisdiction Division of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit in Miami-Dade County, the Civil Cover Sheet used when filing a cause of action needs to be revised to effectively reflect the creation of Complex Business Litigation Section; and

WHEREAS, the revised Civil Cover Sheet is designed to better process newly filed civil cases to its appropriate Division, including the Complex Business Litigation Section; and

WHEREAS, the revised Civil Cover Sheet shall be used to avoid technical delay, permit just and prompt processing of actions filed, and promote the efficient administration of justice;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Chief Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida under Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.050, it is hereby **ORDERED** that the Civil Cover Sheet shall be revised as follows:

1. The revised Civil Cover Sheet, reflecting the creation of the Complex Business Litigation Section, shall include an additional line and box where the party or attorney signing the Civil Cover Sheet must designate whether the action is appropriate for assignment to the Complex Business Litigation Section.

2. Such Civil Cover Sheet, a sample of which is attached to this Order as Attachment A, is hereby required to be filed with all initial filings that meet the Complex Business Litigation Section criteria as set forth in Administrative Order No. 06-40 and are filed on or after the effective date of this Order.

3. The filing party or attorney shall indicate on the Civil Cover Sheet the applicable type or types of action that qualify the case for assignment to the Complex Business Litigation Section.

4. A copy of the Civil Cover Sheet shall be served on all parties.

This Order shall take effect on January 8, 2007.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami-Dade, Florida, this _____ day of November, 2006.

**JOSEPH P. FARINA, CHIEF JUDGE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA**