

## **CIVIL LAW RULES**

### **Rule LR70 – AR00-1 Case Assignment**

Until further order of the Courts the following case assignments will be in effect for case distribution between the Rush Circuit Court and Rush Superior Court:

- A. Infractions opened during odd numbered months shall be assigned to Superior Court while infractions opened during even numbered months shall be assigned to Circuit Court.
- B. Unless otherwise designated, all other cases will be assigned on an equal random basis.

## **CRIMINAL LAW RULES**

### **Rule LR70 – CR00-1 Case Assignment**

Until further order of the Courts the case assignments will be in effect for case distribution between the Rush Circuit Court and Rush Superior Court for criminal cases as follows:

- A. All criminal cases with material elements (or separate counts) involving drugs or alcohol shall be assigned to Superior Court.
- B. All other criminal case shall be assigned to Circuit Court.

## **FAMILY LAW RULES**

### **Rule LR70 – FL00-1 Case Assignment**

Until further order of the Courts all cases shall be assigned on an equal random basis.

## **JUVENILE LAW RULES**

### **Rule LR70 – JV00-1 Case Assignment**

Until further order of the Courts the case assignments will be in effect for case distribution between the Rush Circuit Court and Rush Superior Court for criminal cases as follows:

- A. Chins cases shall be assigned to Circuit Court.
- B. All other cases will be assigned on an equal random basis. However, if a juvenile has an open delinquency case, all subsequent delinquency cases shall be filed in the same court as the open case.

## **SMALL CLAIM LAW RULES**

### **Rule LR70 – SC00-1 Case Assignment**

Small claims for Atlas Collections and the schools shall be assigned to Circuit Court. All other small claims shall be assigned to Superior Court.

**Rule LR70 – CR13-2 Transfer**

A Judge of Rush Circuit or Rush Superior Court by appropriate order entered in the Record of Judgment Orders may transfer and reassign to the other court of record within the county with jurisdiction to hear the charged offense in any pending case, subject to acceptance by the receiving court.

**Rule LR70 – CR13-4 Reassignment**

In the event a change of judge is granted or a judge is disqualified or recuses in either Rush Circuit or Rush Superior Court, the case shall be reassigned first to the other sitting judge within the county and then to a special judge who shall be selected randomly from a list of eligible judges from the contiguous counties that shall be maintained by the clerk of the courts. Multiple cases may be assigned to one judge if the cases are related.

**Rule LR70 – TR79-3 Special Judge Selection in Civil Cases Pursuant to TR 79(H)**

In the event that the Judge of the Rush Circuit or Superior Court recuses himself in a case, a special judge shall be selected by agreement of the parties in accordance with TR 79 (D) and (E). Failing to select a special judge pursuant to TR 79(D) and (E), a special judge shall be selected randomly from a list of eligible judges from within the administrative district that shall be maintained by the clerk of the courts.