SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 16-14

Civil Division Case Management Plans (Civil Action, Landlord and Tenant, and Small Claims)

WHEREAS, the 2013-2017 Strategic Plan of the District of Columbia Courts, *Open to All, Trusted by all, Justice for All,* seeks to promote timely case resolution by implementing performance standards, case management plans, and other best practices; and

WHEREAS, performance standards for all Superior Court operating divisions were adopted in 2009 and revised in 2012; and

WHEREAS, a case management plan serves as a management tool to promote achievement of performance standards; and

WHEREAS, consistent with the mission of the Civil Division as defined by the District of Columbia Code and the Superior Court Rules of Civil Procedure, the Court has developed case management plans for the Civil Division's civil actions, landlord and tenant, and small claims case types;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is, by the Court,

ORDERED, that the case management plans for the civil actions, landlord and tenant, and small claims case types, attached hereto, are effective August 1, 2016; and it is further

ORDERED, that this order shall remain in effect until further order of the Court.

SO ORDERED.

BY THE COURT

DATE: July 28, 2016

/s/

Lee F. Satterfield Chief Judge

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