

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER FAMILY 2000-02

WHEREAS: The Family Division judges have agreed that the time limits on de novo review need to be revised to conform with other time limits,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

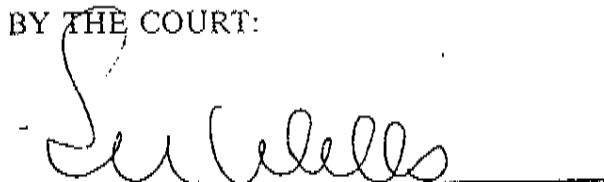
Effective as of the date of signing of this order, and applying to all orders or decisions of a family court commissioner signed on or after this date, the Family Division Operating Policy and Procedure shall be amended to provide that:

A party seeking de novo review of an order or decision of a family court commissioner shall have 15 business days from the date the court commissioner signed such decision or order to file a written motion requesting de novo review with the proper branch of the Family Division. If the court commissioner does not give each party and attorney present at the hearing a written copy of the decision or order at the conclusion of the hearing then any party seeking de novo review has 18 business days from the date of mailing of the decision or order to him/her to file a written motion seeking de novo review with the proper branch of the Family Division.

If a family court commissioner does not give each party and each attorney present at a hearing a written copy of his/her decision or order at the conclusion of the hearing, then a copy of her/his signed decision or order shall be mailed to each party or attorney present at his/her last-known address as soon as is practical after such order or decision is signed. FCC personnel shall note on the signed original of the decision or order, and on the CCAP record, to whom copies were mailed and the date of such mailing.

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, on September 13, 2000.

BY THE COURT:



Hon. Lee E. Wells
Presiding Judge, Family Division

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