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## IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN THE FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER OF: PROJECT ONE.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2015-09**

WHEREAS, in 2010, the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges began work on the Multi-Court Collaboration Initiative, now known as Project ONE, to provide judges with guidance in supporting the needs of families and children; and

WHEREAS, the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges adopted the central concept of One Family One Judge to the Project ONE Initiative; and

WHEREAS, the Second Judicial District Court adopted the Project ONE Initiative in July 2012; and

WHEREAS, the Second Judicial District Court instituted a Project ONE docket to address the needs of juveniles who have a petition filed in both a delinquency and dependency case; and

WHEREAS, the Second Judicial District Court is committed to providing outstanding service to children, families, and its stakeholders; and

WHEREAS, allowing families and children to attend court hearings with One Judge is believed to improve collaborative and holistic services to children; and

WHEREAS, the Second Judicial District Court has determined that it is in the best interest of its users to be seen by One Judge throughout their Court involvement; and

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WHEREAS, the Second Judicial District Court has determined that it is in the best interest of families who have an open dependency case to be seen by One Judge for related family cases;<sup>1</sup> and

WHEREAS, the Second Judicial District Court has determined that it may be in the best interest of families who have an open dependency case to be seen by One Judge for some related civil and criminal cases; and

WHEREAS the Second Judicial District Court has authorized Judge Egan Walker to develop a pilot program to determine when it is appropriate for families who have an open dependency case to be seen by One Judge for some related civil and criminal cases.

NOW THEREFORE, Judge Egan Walker shall develop a pilot program to determine when it is appropriate for families who have an open dependency case to be seen by One Judge for some related civil and criminal cases. This pilot program may result in the assignment of some related civil and criminal cases to Judge Egan Walker with the consent of the judge to whom the case was originally assigned. Judge Egan Walker shall report the results of this pilot program to the Second Judicial District Court Bench at the 2016 Judges' Retreat.

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

Judge Egan Walker shall develop a pilot program to determine when it is appropriate for families who have an open dependency case to be seen by One Judge for some related civil and criminal cases. This pilot program may result in the assignment of some related civil and criminal cases to Judge Egan Walker with the consent of the judge to whom the case was originally assigned. Judge Egan Walker shall report the results of this pilot program to Second Judicial District Court Bench at the 2016 Judges' Retreat.

degree of consanguinity, has a case in the category defined above.

A related case is defined as one where a family member of a child in the open dependency case, within the second

This Administrative Order becomes effective immediately;

DATED this 31 day of December, 2015