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6 IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
7 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE
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9 IN THE MATTER OF:

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11 ADULT GUARDIANSHIP CASE ASSSIGNMENT.
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14 ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2018-13

15 WHEREAS, the Second Judicial District Court Chief Judge has authority to
16 make administrative decisions pertaining to the business of the Court (WDCR 2(2),
17 NRS 3.025(2)(c)); and

18 WHEREAS, the Chief Judge shall assign cases to each judge in the judicial
19 district (NRS 3.025(2)(a)); and

20 WHEREAS, certain assignments are necessary to effectuate the orderly
21 administration of justice within the Second Judicial District Court; and

22 WHEREAS, adult guardianship cases have historically been within the
23 exclusive and original jurisdiction of the Second Judicial District Court Family Division
24 (“Family Division”); and

25 WHEREAS, in 2017, the Nevada Legislature removed adult guardianship from
26 the exclusive and original jurisdiction of the Family Division; and

27 WHEREAS, the Family Division’s judicial resources are scarce at this time; and
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1 WHEREAS, immediate relief with respect to the Family Division workload is
2 needed so the Second Judicial District Court can provide fair, efficient and accessible
3 justice for the citizens of Washoe County; and

4 WHEREAS, Judge Egan Walker possesses the knowledge and skill to preside
5 over adult guardianship cases; and

6 WHEREAS, this case assignment will provide immediate and needed relief
7 among the Family Division, will be assigned to a judge with expertise in adult
8 guardianship, and will foster access to justice by the citizens of Washoe County.

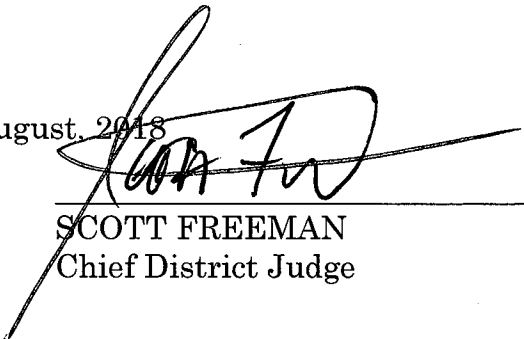
9 It is hereby ORDERED:

10 1. Judge Egan Walker shall preside over the Adult Guardianship Docket
11 from August 13, 2018 through August 13, 2021, unless a hearing for a particular case
12 has already been scheduled in another department, in which case the two judicial
13 departments shall coordinate on whether the hearing remains set or is transferred to
14 Department 7.

15 2. This Order shall remain in effect until August 13, 2021, or until further
16 Order of the Chief Judge.

17 IT IS SO ORDERED.

18 DATED this 8 day of August, 2018

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21 SCOTT FREEMAN
22 Chief District Judge
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