

IN THE CIRCUIT AND COUNTY COURTS OF
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN RE: MISSISSIPPI ELECTRONIC
COURTS SYSTEM

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KAREN LADNER RUHR
CIRCUIT CLERK, HANCOCK CO.
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ORDER APPROVING CESSATION OF MANUAL
CASE DOCKETING AND PROVIDING FOR PAPERLESS COURTS
UTILIZING THE MISSISSIPPI ELECTRONIC COURTS

On the Courts' own motion and pursuant to MRCP 5 and UCRCCC 1.16, and the Courts finding that the Clerk of these Courts has implemented the Mississippi Electronic Courts (MEC) system in the Circuit and County Courts of Hancock County and further finding that all *civil* pleadings, case files, and all other Court records can be adequately maintained as part of the MEC system:

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that, as of September 24, 2018, the Clerk of these courts is authorized and directed to cease manual docketing for all *civil* cases. The clerk is further authorized and directed to begin exclusive use of the MEC system as the official system for *civil* case docketing in the Circuit and County Courts of Hancock County and to maintain any and all *civil* books and dockets utilizing the MEC system.

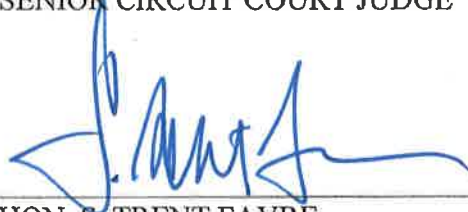
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, as of September 24, 2018, the Clerk of these Courts is authorized and directed to cease the current maintenance of paper files for all MEC *civil* cases, except as required by the Administrative Procedures for the Mississippi Electronic Courts adopted by these Courts.

Pleadings previously filed in paper shall nevertheless be preserved by the Clerk in all cases, whether MEC *civil* cases or otherwise.

SO ORDERED AND ADJUDGED this the 17th day of September, 2018.

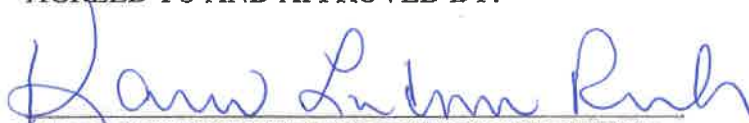


HON. ROGER T. CLARK
SENIOR CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE



HON. S. TRENT FAVRE
COUNTY COURT JUDGE

AGREED TO AND APPROVED BY:



HANCOCK COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT CLERK
KAREN LADNER RUHR