STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS.
COUNTY OF COOK)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
FIRST MUNICIPAL DISTRICT
GENERAL ORDER 2012-03
DEFERMENT OF APPEARANCE FEES IN PRO SE MATTERS

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that effective October 1, 2012 in all Small Claim cases and in Forcible Entry and Detainer cases when a *pro se* appearance is filed and the defendant has no funds to pay such fee, the Clerk of the Circuit Court is authorized to accept the appearance and defer the payment of said appearance fee for a period of: (a) seven (7) days, (b) fourteen (14) days, (c) twenty-one (21) days, or (d) thirty (30), days, provided the amount in controversy does not exceed ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this General Order supersedes General Order No. 69-21 (M) dated September 9, 1969.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order shall be spread upon the records of the court.

Dated at Chicago, Illinois this 13th day of September, 2012.

Presiding Judge
E. Kenneth Wright, Jr.
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Circuit Court – 1624

E. KENNETH WRIGHT, JR.
PRESIDING JUDGE
FIRST MUNICIPAL DISTRICT