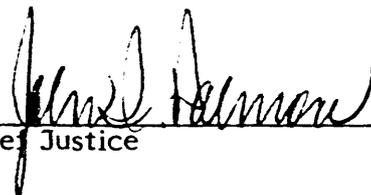


Supreme Court of Kentucky

ORDER APPROVING LOCAL RULES

Pursuant to SCR 1.040(2)(a) the amendments to the local rules of the 17th Judicial Circuit, the 31st Judicial District and the 22nd Judicial District, attached as the appendixes of this order, are approved.

Entered February 26th, 1981.



Chief Justice

GENERAL RULES OF THE FLOYD DISTRICT COURT

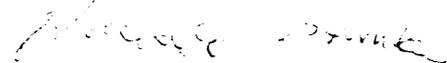
- (1) All citations must be processed through the Court.
- (2) A Pre-trial Hearing will be held on all criminal cases.
- (3) All Officers will send to the Judge the following:
Either a copy of the citation or a list of names and charges and the date the Defendant is to appear in Court.
- (4) All Affidavits will be checked by the County Attorney, Assistant County Attorney or the Commonwealth's Attorney before this Court or either Trial Commissioner will issue a Search Warrant or a Warrant. (A Judge who prepares an Affidavit for a Search Warrant can not be a neutral and detached Magistrate
- (5) All contraband will be disposed of in accord with the act passed by the 1980 General Assembly.
- (6) On arraignment dates, the Assistant County Attorney should know the dates when the Officers can be available to testify on trial dates.
- (7) All Officers should appear in Court on the date the case is set for trial.
- (8) The Trial Commissioners can check the Affidavit for a Search Warrant with the County Attorney, the Assistant County Attorney, the Commonwealth's Attorney or his Assistant over the telephone.

This Court would like for the aforesaid Attorneys to give their home telephone numbers to each Trial Commissioner and the Court.

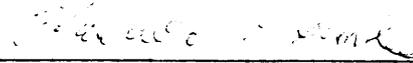
- (9) The County Attorney or his Assistant will interview the witnesses and assist the Deputy Clerk with the filing of each Juvenile Petition.

(10) All Pre-trial Motions will be heard by the Court prior to trial. The Court would prefer that the Defendant's Attorney file a written Motion to Suppress for a Dismissal and the legal reasons for his Motion. The County Attorney should respond to this Motion in writing prior to trial date.

(11) Many problems will be solved by this procedure and this will also eliminate expense and will certainly speed up the trial of the cases.


HAROLD STUMBO
DISTRICT JUDGE
31st JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

A copy of these Rules on this date were mailed to the Hon. Judge Palmore for his approval of the Supreme Court.


HAROLD STUMBO

DATE: _____