

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY

CIVIL DIVISION "AO"

IN RE: **STANDING ORDER ON
MOTIONS FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

WHEREAS, Rule 1.1510, Florida Rules of Civil Procedure, governs motions for summary judgment, and provides that the motion shall state with particularity the grounds upon which it is based and further, requires that the court shall ascertain at a hearing on the motion what material facts exist without substantial controversy and what facts are actually in good faith controverted;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is **ORDERED** that if the movant will rely on anything other than the affidavits to support the motion, then no later than twenty (20) days prior to the scheduled hearing on a motion for summary judgment, the movant shall file a statement of each fact alleged to be without controversy and a citation of the record establishing such fact, a copy of which shall be delivered to my office. All citations shall be with particularity to the page and line of depositions, the docket number and paragraph of pleadings and the docket number and page of interrogatories or requests for admissions. The statement should designate the date and time of the upcoming hearing.

It is further **ORDERED** that within seven (7) days prior to the hearing, the party opposing the motion for summary judgment shall file a response to each fact alleged not to be in controversy, and either admit that such fact is not in controversy or set forth citation of the record with the particularly described above where the fact is controverted, a copy of which shall be delivered to my office. The response should designate the date and time of the upcoming hearing.

**ALL MEMORANDA, NOT TO EXCEED TEN DOUBLE SPACED PAGES,
OR CASE AUTHORITY SHALL BE SUBMITTED DIRECTLY TO MY OFFICE
NO LATER THAN SEVEN (7) DAYS IN ADVANCE OF THE HEARING AND
SHOULD DESIGNATE THE DATE AND TIME OF THE HEARING WHICH THEY
REFERENCE.**

Arguments shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen minutes per side or less as the Court deems appropriate.

Failure to comply with this order shall result in sanctions, including but not limited to attorney's fees incurred by the other side in attending a summary judgment motion which cannot be concluded because of failure to comply with this order.

DONE AND ORDERED at West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida this day of February, 2012.

CATHERINE M. BRUNSON, Circuit Court Judge

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