



**REQUEST FOR ASSIGNMENT OF SPECIAL  
JUDGE BY CHIEF JUSTICE**

Judge \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_  Circuit  District Court has certified the need for a Special Judge for the following reason(s):

- Vacancy resulting from death, retirement, or resignation;
- Illness, injury, or emergency causing a sitting judge to be unavailable;
- Docket congestion;
- Conflict;
- To conduct felony mediation;
- Any other circumstance satisfying the Chief Justice that the certifying court is in need of assistance.

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

The special assignment will begin \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_, and is anticipated to last:

- One day
- \_\_\_\_\_ days
- \_\_\_\_\_ weeks
- \_\_\_\_\_ months
- Other (*explain*): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Additional information which may assist selection of a Special Judge:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**The Chief Regional Judge is unable to locate a sitting judge to cover the assignment under the Regional Program Administration Charter. Accordingly, the Chief Justice is requested to assign a Special Judge.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief Regional Judge

Region (check one)  Circuit  District