

**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 02-14**

**WHEREAS**, the International Monetary Fund (IMF) will hold meetings in Washington, D.C. April 19, 2002 through April 21, 2002, followed by antiwar demonstrations on April 22, 2002 and April 23, 2002; and

**WHEREAS**, law enforcement intelligence indicates that demonstrators seek to disrupt the meetings and related events and impede the criminal justice system's ability to respond in event of mass arrests; and

**WHEREAS**, there has been planning and coordination among local law enforcement and criminal justice agencies to provide services to ensure public safety and the expeditious processing of any individuals arrested during April 19—23, 2002;

**NOW THEREFORE**, it is by the Court

**ORDERED** that effective Wednesday April 17, 2002 through and including Tuesday April 23, 2002:

- The Metropolitan Police Department is authorized to use cellblock B as a processing site.
- The Metropolitan Police Department lieutenants at the booking and processing centers located at 501 New York Avenue, NW, 4665 Blue Plains Drive, SW, and 4<sup>th</sup> and F Streets, NW, are hereby authorized to act as a clerk of the court for the sole and limited purposes of administering oaths and witnessing sworn statements as required by Superior Court Criminal Rules 3 and 5, including administering oaths for sworn Gerstein statements.

SO ORDERED.

**BY THE COURT**  
**April 15, 2002**

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**Rufus G. King, III**  
**Chief Judge**

**Copies to:**

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