

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 04-04

(Proposed Attorney Practice Standards for Juvenile and PINS cases)

WHEREAS, the Juvenile Subcommittee of the Family Court Implementation Committee, which is composed of Judicial Officers of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and staff of the Social Services Division, the Family Court Director's Office, the Office of Corporation Counsel, Superior Court Trial Lawyers Association, Family Court Trial Lawyers Association, District of Columbia Public Defender Service, and the Georgetown Law Center, Criminal Justice Clinic Program, forwarded to the Family Court Implementation Committee the Proposed Attorney Practice Standards for Representing Juveniles Charged with Delinquency or as Persons in Need of Supervision (Proposed Standards); and

WHEREAS, the Family Court Implementation Committee, which is composed of additional District of Columbia representatives and Family Court stakeholders consisting of the Child and Family Services Agency, Youth Services Administration, the Metropolitan Police Department, the District of Columbia Public Schools, and the District of Columbia Bar, reviewed and adopted the Proposed Standards after a five-week comment period;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

ORDERED, that the Proposed Standards are published for public comment; and it is further

ORDERED, that all comments shall be submitted in writing to the Honorable Anita Josey-Herring, Deputy Presiding Judge, Family Court, Chair of the Juvenile Subcommittee of the Family Court Implementation Committee, and to the Honorable Lee F. Satterfield, Presiding Judge, Family Court, by **May 3, 2004**.

SO ORDERED.

BY THE COURT:
March 24, 2004

Rufus G. King, III
Chief Judge

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