


IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA AT SEWARD
Administrative Order 3AN-AO-24-09

Transfer of Seward Civil, Probate and CINA cases from Judge Lance Joanis to Judge Jason Gist and Transfer of Seward Criminal case from Judge Jason Gist to Judge Lance Joanis

1. Effective **August 1, 2024**, all open Seward civil, probate and CINA court cases currently assigned to Judge Lance Joanis will be reassigned to Judge Jason Gist except for cases: 3SW-19-00047CI and 3SW-21-00029CI.
2. All open Seward superior court criminal cases currently assigned to Judge Jason Gist will be reassigned to Judge Lance Joanis except for cases: 3SW-20-00186CR, 3SW-21-00066CR, 3SW-21-00108CR, 3SW-21-00200CR, 3SW-22-00077CR, 3SW-22-00088CR, 3SW-22-00085CR, 3SW-17-00226CR, 3SW-22-00082CR, 3SW-24-00034CR, 3SW-22-00305CR, 3SW-23-00104CR, 3SW-23-00166CR.
3. Notice of preemptory disqualification for cases reassigned to Judge Lance Joanis or Judge Jason Gist under this order must be filed on or before July 19, 2024, except as provided by Civil Rule 42(c)(4) and Criminal Rule 25(d)(5). Each party is allowed one preemptory change of judge during the life of a case. This administrative order does not grant any party an additional right to preemptorily challenge a judge.
4. It is the responsibility of all Third District law firms and attorneys to notify any associate counsel or opposing counsel who are outside the Third Judicial District or the State of Alaska of the foregoing reassignments for purposes of preemptory challenges.



 7/9/2024

Thomas A. Matthews Date
Presiding Judge
Third Judicial District

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