IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF MARYLAND ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

It being provided by Maryland Rule 4-271(a)(2) that the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, upon a finding that the number of demands for jury trial filed in the District Court for a county is having "a critical impact on the efficient operation of the circuit court for that county" may exempt from the requirements of Rule 4-271(a)(2) cases transferred to the circuit court from the District Court upon demand for jury trial; and

The administrative judge of the Circuit Court for Harford County, by a letter dated July 17, 1990, having demonstrated sufficient reason that such jury trial demands are now having a critical impact upon the efficient operation of the Circuit Court for Harford County;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert C. Murphy, Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals of Maryland and Administrative Head of the Judicial Branch, this 3/5 day of July, 1990, having found the requisite conditions to exist, do hereby suspend, pending further notice, the applicable provisions of Maryland Rule 4-271(a)(1) for all cases transferred to the Circuit Court for Harford County from the District Court upon demand for jury trial.

Robert C. Murphy, Chief Judge

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Clerk Court of Appeals of Maryland