

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

RE: THE MATTER OF MAGISTRATE
JUDGE MAARTEN VERMAAT and THE
REASSIGNMENT OF CERTAIN CASES

Administrative Order
No. 19-CA-024

WHEREAS, Magistrate Judge Timothy P. Greeley, has announced his retirement, effective March 14, 2019; and

WHEREAS the District Judges of this Court have unanimously appointed Maarten Vermaat as a Magistrate Judge of this Court, effective March 15, 2019; and

WHEREAS an orderly transition is in the interest of the Court and all litigants;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED as follows:

Effective March 15, 2019,

A. Magistrate Judge Maarten Vermaat will be assigned in all Northern Division civil cases filed on and after March 15, 2019.

B. All pending civil and criminal matters, heretofore referred to Magistrate Judge Timothy P. Greeley are referred to Magistrate Judge Maarten Vermaat, with the following exceptions:

1. Any civil or criminal matter wherein Maarten Vermaat, as Assistant United States Attorney, has entered an appearance or has been personally involved; and
2. Any other matter to which Magistrate Judge Vermaat has determined that recusal is necessary.

C. All pending civil and criminal matters assigned to Magistrate Judge Timothy P. Greeley as the presiding judge, are hereby reassigned to Magistrate Judge Maarten Vermaat, subject to the exceptions noted above.

D. Any post-judgment matter that arises in any civil or criminal matter previously assigned or referred to Magistrate Judge Greeley will be automatically reassigned by the Clerk's Office to Magistrate Judge Vermaat, subject to the exceptions noted above.

FOR THE COURT:



Dated: March 14, 2019

ROBERT J. JONKER
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE