STATE OF MINNESOTA

DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF ANOKA

TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

STANDING ORDER

Re: Denial of Petitions for Bond Reinstatement filed more than 180 days from Order Forfeiting Bond

WHEREAS, Rule 702 of the Minnesota Rules of General Practice dictates the written standards relating to the issuance and forfeiture of bail bonds; and

WHEREAS, Rule 702(f) provides, in part, that "[n]o reinstatement of a forfeited bond or cash bail shall be allowed unless the petition and affidavit are filed within 180 days from the date of the order of forfeiture"; and

WHEREAS, based upon the foregoing, the district court is without authority to reinstate a forfeited bond where the Petition for Reinstatement is filed more than 180 days from the date of the order of forfeiture; and

WHEREAS, authorizing court administration staff to reject late-filed bond reinstatement petitions will reduce the number of unnecessary hearings which divert judge time from case-related duties.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Court makes the following order:

Anoka County Court administration staff shall administratively reject Petitions for Bail Bond Reinstatement which are filed more than 180 days from the date of the Order Forfeiting the applicable bail bond.

SO ORDERED.

HON. KRISTIN C. LARSON Chair, Anoka District Court Bench