STATE OF MINNESOTA

DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Standing Order Assigning Case Consolidation Motions To Court Division Presiding Judges

All motions to consolidate two or more cases within a court division or to assign two or more cases within a court division to a single judge shall be heard and decided by the Presiding Judge of that court division.

Any motion to consolidate two or more cases from different court divisions or to assign two or more cases from different court divisions to a single judge shall be heard and decided by the Chief Judge.

This Order applies to all cases in the Civil, Criminal, Family, Juvenile and Probate\Mental Health Divisions of the Fourth Judicial District Court.

Contact information for Presiding Judges shall be kept by the court at <u>http://www.mncourts.gov/district/4/?page=358</u>.

BY THE COURT

DATED: August 1, 2013

Peter A. Cahill Chief Judge of District Court