

IN THE GENERAL SESSIONS COURT OF DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

RE: INCREASING CIVIL AND CRIMINAL DOCKET  
SIZE EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2021

  
RICHARD R. FOOKER, CLERK  
P.C.

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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

Notwithstanding the provisions of any previous Administrative Order to the contrary, effective June 1, 2021, the size of the civil and criminal dockets will be increased as set forth below and shall remain in effect until further court Order.

1. The maximum number of defendants allowed on any criminal trial docket shall be forty (40). The maximum number of defendants allowed on any Friday criminal settlement docket at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. shall be fifty (50). The maximum number of defendants allowed on any domestic violence settlement docket shall be fifty (50).
2. The maximum number of cases allowed on any civil docket in Courtroom 1A shall be one hundred (100) cases. The maximum number of cases allowed on any civil docket in Courtroom 1B shall be seventy-five (75) cases. The Clerk is authorized to exceed this limit in order to set slow pay motions only if required because said motions are statutorily time sensitive. The start time for both the 1A and 1B dockets shall remain at 10:00 a.m.
3. With regard to the traffic docket, the maximum number of docketed cases and motions combined is limited to forty (40) per docket.
4. With regard to Environmental Court, the maximum number of cases which can be set on each docket is limited to forty (40).

5. All specialty court dockets shall continue to operate as normal.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2021.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sam Coleman". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "S".

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Sam Coleman, Presiding Judge  
Division 10  
Metropolitan General Sessions Court