STATE OF MICHIGAN

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF MACOMB

IN RE COURT SECURITY		Administrative Order 1995-3
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It being the consensus that it is in the best interests of justice and of citizens, employees and elected officials to establish a no-weapons zone in the Macomb County Circuit Court building and the attached County building, which can only be implemented through a search of persons and objects entering the buildings. Therefore, pursuant to the provisions of MCR 8.110;

IT IS ORDERED that weapons (other than those carried by authorized law enforcement personnel and authorized Macomb County personnel), dangerous objects and explosives are prohibited in the Macomb County Circuit Court and County buildings located at 40 and 10 N. Main, Mt. Clemens, Michigan. "Weapons, dangerous objects and explosives" include but are not limited to, firearms, edged weapons and explosives as those objects are defined by common usage and the Macomb County Sheriff's Department.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that security personnel under the control of the Circuit Court and acting pursuant to the direction of the Sheriff of Macomb County may search the person and belongings of any and every person who wishes to enter the Macomb County Circuit Court building and the adjacent County building. Any person who refuses to cooperate may be removed from the buildings.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the initial screening of individuals entering the buildings will be by metal detecting equipment and the X-ray screening of personal property. The intrusiveness of any additional search and the length of detention, if any, shall be based upon reasonable suspicion that a further search of the person or object to be searched will reveal a weapon or other dangerous object that could be used to harm or injure.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order shall be effective on and after October 16, 1995, until modified by the Court.

Peter J. Maceroni, Chief Judge

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Dated:

October 13, 1995