

AMENDED GENERAL ORDER NO. 2020-25

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO**

IN THE MATTER OF:

DESIGNATION OF MAGISTRATE
JUDGE JOAN GLAZER MARGOLIS IN
THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

ORDER NO. 2020-25-1

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(f), in an emergency and upon the concurrence of the chief judges of the districts involved, a United States magistrate judge may be temporarily assigned to perform any of the duties specified in subsection (a), (b), or (c) of Section 636 in a judicial district other than the judicial district for which he or she has been appointed. No magistrate judge shall perform any of such duties in a district to which he or she has been temporarily assigned until an order has been issued by the chief judge of such district specifying (1) the emergency by reason of which the magistrate judge is being transferred, (2) the duration of his or her assignment, and (3) the duties which he or she is authorized to perform.

The Northern District of Ohio certifies the need for periodic emergency assistance from the Honorable Joan Glazer Margolis, a magistrate judge in the District of Connecticut, to perform the duties designated under 28 U.S.C. § 636, subsections (a), (b), and (c). The emergency is the vacancy in the magistrate judge position at Toledo, Ohio due to the elevation of the sole magistrate judge there to a district judgeship. During this time, there is a need for an additional magistrate judge to handle the court's daily criminal dockets and to handle settlement conferences in civil cases. The Northern District of Ohio further certifies that it will coordinate its requirements with the Honorable Joan Glazer Margolis so that her assistance will not conflict with the performance of her current assignments to the District of Connecticut.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the Honorable Patricia A. Gaughan, Chief Judge of the Northern District of Ohio, with the concurrence of the Honorable Stefan R. Underhill, Chief Judge of the District of Connecticut, hereby designates United States Magistrate Judge Joan Glazer Margolis to hold court and perform other judicial duties

under 28 U.S.C. § 636, subsections (a), (b), and (c), in the Northern District of Ohio from December 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021, and for such further time as may be required for the judge to complete unfinished business that was assigned to the judge during this period.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE COURT

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Patricia A. Gaughan", is written over a horizontal line.

Patricia A. Gaughan
Chief Judge