### Florida Supreme Court Summary Reporting System (SRS) Report Summary for the Month of November 2008

Circuit: Eighteenth

County Brevard

Section I. Circuit Criminal

Part 1. Defendants

|                          |   | NonCap<br>Murder | Sexual<br>Offenc | Rob'ry | $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Other} \\ \textbf{Person} \end{array}$ | Burgl | ${ m Theft}/{ m Fraud}$ | $egin{array}{c} \mathbf{W'less} \ \mathbf{Checks} \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Other} \\ \textbf{Prop} \end{array}$ | Drugs | $\mathbf{Other}$ | Total |
|--------------------------|---|------------------|------------------|--------|--|-------|-------------------------|--|--|-------|------------------|-------|
| A. Defendants Accused    | 1 | 4                | 3                | 11     | 47   | 56    | 98                      | 1  | 2  | 138   | 44               | 405   |
| B.A. Defendants Disposed |   |                  |                  |        |  |       |                         |  |  |       |                  |       |
| 1. Before Trial          |   |                  |                  |        |  |       |                         |  |  |       |                  |       |
| A. Speedy Trial          | 0 | 0                | 0                | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                       | 0  | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0     |
| B. Dismissed             | 0 | 0                | 0                | 0      | 3  | 0     | 6                       | 0  | 0  | 10    | 3                | 22    |
| C. Transferred           | 0 | 0                | 0                | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                       | 0  | 0  | 1     | 0                | 1     |
| D. Plea (guilty/nolo)    | 0 | 0                | 3                | 11     | 36   | 41    | 92                      | 1  | 3  | 102   | 73               | 362   |
| E. Other                 | 0 | 0                | 0                | 0      | 4  | 0     | 7                       | 0  | 0  | 8     | 5                | 24    |
| 2. After Trial           |   |                  |                  |        |  |       |                         |  |  |       |                  |       |
| a. Non-Jury              |   |                  |                  |        |  |       |                         |  |  |       |                  |       |
| (1) Acquitted/Dismissed  | 0 | 0                | 0                | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                       | 0  | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0     |
| (2) Plea (guilty/nolo)   | 0 | 0                | 0                | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                       | 0  | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0     |
| (3) Convicted            | 0 | 0                | 0                | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                       | 0  | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0     |
| b. By Jury               |   |                  |                  |        |  |       |                         |  |  |       |                  |       |
| (1) Acquitted/Dismissed  | 0 | 0                | 1                | 0      | 1  | 0     | 0                       | 0  | 0  | 0     | 0                | 2     |
| (2) Plea (guilty/nolo)   | 0 | 0                | 1                | 0      | 0  | 0     | 2                       | 0  | 0  | 0     | 1                | 4     |
| (3) Convicted            | 0 | 0                | 0                | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                       | 0  | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0     |
| 3. Total Disposed        | 0 | 0                | 5                | 11     | 44   | 41    | 107                     | 1  | 3  | 121   | 82               | 415   |
| C. Reopened Cases        | 1 | 10               | 23               | 7      | 39   | 47    | 80                      | 3  | 4  | 68    | 91               | 373   |

Total Defendants Disposed Before Trial: 409
Total Defendants Disposed After Trial – Non-Jury: 0
Total Defendants Disposed After Trial – Jury: 6

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Section I. Circuit Criminal Part 2. Counts

|                         |          |   | Sexual |    | Other |                  |     | W'less | Other           |                  |                 |                  |       |
|-------------------------|----------|---|--------|----|-------|------------------|-----|--------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|-------|
|                         | Murder N |   |        | _  |       | $\mathbf{Burgl}$ |     | Checks | $\mathbf{Prop}$ | $\mathbf{Drugs}$ | $\mathbf{Misd}$ | $\mathbf{Other}$ | Total |
| A. Defendants Accused   | 1        | 6 | 6      | 11 | 64    | 62               | 228 | 1      | 3               | 170              | 185             | 47               | 784   |
| B. Defendants Disposed  |          |   |        |    |       |                  |     |        |                 |                  |                 |                  |       |
| 1. Before Trial         |          |   |        |    |       |                  |     |        |                 |                  |                 |                  |       |
| A. Speedy Trial         | 0        | 0 | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0   | 0      | 0               | 0                | 0               | 0                | 0     |
| B. Dismissed            | 0        | 0 | 54     | 1  | 15    | 2                | 24  | 0      | 0               | 31               | 28              | 6                | 161   |
| C. Transferred          | 0        | 0 | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0   | 0      | 0               | 1                | 1               | 0                | 2     |
| D. Plea (guilty/nolo)   | 0        | 1 | 3      | 12 | 36    | 44               | 163 | 0      | 4               | 127              | 201             | 65               | 656   |
| E. Other                | 0        | 0 | 0      | 0  | 7     | 1                | 10  | 0      | 1               | 10               | 10              | 6                | 45    |
| 2. After Trial          |          |   |        |    |       |                  |     |        |                 |                  |                 |                  |       |
| a. Non-Jury             |          |   |        |    |       |                  |     |        |                 |                  |                 |                  |       |
| (1) Acquitted/Dismissed | 0        | 0 | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0   | 0      | 0               | 0                | 0               | 0                | 0     |
| (2) Plea (guilty/nolo)  | 0        | 0 | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0   | 0      | 0               | 0                | 0               | 0                | 0     |
| (3) Convicted           | 0        | 0 | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0   | 0      | 0               | 0                | 0               | 0                | 0     |
| b. By Jury              |          |   |        |    |       |                  |     |        |                 |                  |                 |                  |       |
| (1) Acquitted/Dismissed | 0        | 0 | 2      | 0  | 2     | 0                | 0   | 0      | 0               | 0                | 0               | 0                | 4     |
| (2) Plea (guilty/nolo)  | 0        | 0 | 1      | 0  | 0     | 0                | 2   | 0      | 0               | 0                | 1               | 2                | 6     |
| (3) Convicted           | 0        | 0 | 0      | 0  | 0     | 0                | 0   | 0      | 0               | 0                | 0               | 0                | 0     |
| 3. Total Disposed       | 0        | 1 | 60     | 13 | 60    | 47               | 199 | 0      | 5               | 169              | 241             | 79               | 874   |

Total Defendants Disposed Before Trial: 864
Total Defendants Disposed After Trial – Non-Jury: 0
Total Defendants Disposed After Trial – Jury: 10

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Section I. Circuit Criminal Part 3. Special Proceedings

| Number of No Files             | 84  |
|--------------------------------|-----|
| Appeals From County Court      | 1   |
| Post Conviction Relief Motions | 12  |
| Probation Revocation Hearings  | 246 |
| Bond Hearings                  | 72  |
| Adversary Preliminary Hearings | (   |

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#### Section II-A. Domestic Relations

|                             | Simplified  |             | Child         |       | ${f Domestic}$ | Domestic       | Repeat         | _           |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|-------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|
|                             | Dissolution | Dissolution | ${f Support}$ | UIFSA | Relations      | ${f Violence}$ | ${f Violence}$ | ${f Total}$ |
| A. Cases Filed              | 1           | 167         | 61            | 1     | 83             | 119            | 64             | 496         |
| B. Cases Disposed           |             |             |               |       |                |                |                |             |
| 1. Dismissed Before Hearing | 0           | 2           | 14            | 1     | 7              | 4              | 3              | 31          |
| 2. Dismissed After Hearing  | 0           | 0           | 2             | 0     | 1              | 58             | 31             | 92          |
| 3. Disposed by Default      | 0           | 8           | 12            | 0     | 6              | 0              | 0              | 26          |
| 4. Disposed by Judge        | 5           | 88          | 11            | 3     | 18             | 37             | 21             | 183         |
| 5. Disposed by Non-Jury     | 0           | 11          | 0             | 0     | 2              | 0              | 0              | 13          |
| 6. Disposed by Jury         | 0           | 0           | 0             | 0     | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0           |
| 7. Other                    | 0           | 0           | 0             | 0     | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0           |
| Total Disposed              | 5           | 109         | 39            | 4     | 34             | 99             | 55             | 345         |
| C. Cases Reopened           |             |             |               |       |                |                |                |             |
| 1. Modifications            | 0           | 10          | 47            | 3     | 5              | 12             | 2              | 79          |
| 2. Other                    | 0           | 154         | 235           | 4     | 91             | 39             | 7              | 530         |
| Total Reopened              | 0           | 164         | 282           | 7     | 96             | 51             | 9              | 609         |

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#### Section II-B. Other Circuit Civil

| A. Cases Filed               | Professional<br>Malpractice<br>3 |   | Auto<br>Negligence<br>34 | Other<br>Negligence<br>10 | Condo<br>0 | Contract of<br>Indebt<br>89 | & Mortgage<br>Foreclosure<br>564 | Eminent<br>Domain<br>1 | Other<br>47 | Total<br>748 |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| B. Cases Disposed            |                                  |   |                          |                           |            |                             |                                  |                        |             |              |
| 1. Dismissed Before Hearing  | 0                                | 1 | 7                        | 4                         | 0          | 3                           | 59                               | 0                      | 4           | 78           |
| 2. Dismissed After Hearing   | 1                                | 1 | 18                       | 9                         | 0          | 5                           | 7                                | 0                      | 4           | 45           |
| 3. Disposed by Default       | 0                                | 0 | 2                        | 0                         | 0          | 9                           | 103                              | 0                      | 4           | 118          |
| 4. Disposed by Judge         | 0                                | 0 | 4                        | 1                         | 0          | 8                           | 72                               | 0                      | 9           | 94           |
| 5. Disposed by Non-Jury      | 0                                | 0 | 0                        | 0                         | 0          | 0                           | 0                                | 0                      | 1           | 1            |
| 6. Disposed by Jury          | 0                                | 0 | 0                        | 0                         | 0          | 1                           | 0                                | 0                      | 0           | 1            |
| 7. Other                     | 0                                | 0 | 1                        | 1                         | 0          | 0                           | 2                                | 0                      | 0           | 4            |
| Total Disposed               | 1                                | 2 | 32                       | 15                        | 0          | 26                          | 243                              | 0                      | 22          | 341          |
| C. Cases Reopened            | 0                                | 0 | 2                        | 1                         | 0          | 33                          | 132                              | 0                      | 15          | 183          |
| D. Appeals From County Court | 4                                |   |                          |                           |            |                             |                                  |                        |             |              |

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#### Section III. Probate

| A. Cases Filed                | Probate<br>136 | Guardianship<br>16 | $\mathbf{Trust} \\ 2$ | Baker Act | $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Substance} \\ \textbf{Abuse} \\ 15 \end{array}$ | Other<br>Social<br>5 | $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Total} \\ 215 \end{array}$ |
|-------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------|---|----------------------|--|
| B. Cases Disposed             |                |                    |                       |           |   |                      |  |
| 1. Dismissed Before Hearing   | 39             | 0                  | 2                     | 5         | 0   | 4                    | 50   |
| 2. Disposed by Judge          | 45             | 7                  | 1                     | 23        | 5   | 0                    | 81   |
| 3. Disposed by Non-Jury Trial | 0              | 0                  | 0                     | 0         | 0   | 0                    | 0  |
| 4. Other                      | 0              | 1                  | 1                     | 0         | 0   | 0                    | 2  |
| Total Disposed                | 84             | 8                  | 4                     | 28        | 5   | 4                    | 133  |
| C. Cases Reopened             | 11             | 123                | 0                     | 0         | 3   | 1                    | 138  |

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#### Section IV. Circuit Juvenile

| Part I. Delinquency                                   |     | Part II. Dependency                       | t II. Dependency |  |  |
|---|-----|---|------------------|--|--|
| A. Complaints Filed                                   | 227 | A. Petitions Filed                        | 24               |  |  |
| B. Complaints Disposed Prior To Petition              | 163 | B. Petitions Disposed                     |                  |  |  |
| C. Petitions Filed                                    | 132 | 1. Contested                              | 0                |  |  |
| D. Petitions Disposed                                 | 129 | 2. Uncontested                            | 21               |  |  |
| E. Juveniles with Reopened Cases                      | 328 | C. Total Number of Petitions Disposed     | 21               |  |  |
| F. Number of Certification to Criminal Division       | 1   | D. Reopened Cases                         | 27               |  |  |
| G. Number of Direct Files to Felony Criminal Division | 1   | E. Foster Care Review Hearings            | 160              |  |  |
| H. Number of Detention Hearings                       | 245 | F. Number of Shelter Hearings             | 17               |  |  |
|   |     | G. Termination of Parental Rights         | 6                |  |  |
|   |     | H. Adoption Petitions Files Subsequent to |                  |  |  |
|   |     | Termination of Parental Rights Petitions  | 8                |  |  |

| Total Juvenile Petitions: | 162 |
|---------------------------|-----|
| Total Juvenile Disposed:  | 150 |
| Total Juvenile Reopened:  | 355 |

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Section V. County Criminal

Part 1. Defendants

|                        | ${f Misdemeanors}$ | $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Worthless} \\ \textbf{Checks} \end{array}$ | County<br>Ordinances | Municipal<br>Ordinances | Total |
|------------------------|--------------------|--|----------------------|-------------------------|-------|
| A. Defendants Accused  | 1,206              | 14   | 22                   | 40                      | 1,282 |
| B. Defendants Disposed |                    |  |                      |                         |       |
| 1. Before Trial        |                    |  |                      |                         |       |
| A. No File             | 110                | 0  | 0                    | 0                       | 110   |
| B. Speedy Trial        | 0                  | 0  | 0                    | 0                       | 0     |
| C. Dismissed           | 442                | 11   | 1                    | 1                       | 455   |
| D. Transferred         | 0                  | 0  | 0                    | 0                       | 0     |
| E. Plea (guilty/nolo)  | 618                | 17   | 8                    | 42                      | 685   |
| F. Other               | 68                 | 0  | 0                    | 2                       | 70    |
| 2. After Trial         |                    |  |                      |                         |       |
| A. Non-Jury            |                    |  |                      |                         |       |
| (1) Acquitted/Dismiss  | ed 0               | 0  | 0                    | 0                       | 0     |
| (2) Plea (guilty/nolo) | 0                  | 0  | 0                    | 0                       | 0     |
| (3) Convicted          | 0                  | 0  | 0                    | 0                       | 0     |
| B. By Jury             |                    |  |                      |                         |       |
| (1) Acquitted/Dismiss  | ed 1               | 0  | 0                    | 0                       | 1     |
| (2) Plea (guilty/nolo) | 0                  | 0  | 0                    | 0                       | 0     |
| (3) Convicted          | 0                  | 0  | 0                    | 0                       | 0     |
| 3. Total Disposed      | 1,239              | 28   | 9                    | 45                      | 1,321 |
| C. Reopened Cases      | 126                | 2  | 1                    | 2                       | 131   |

Total Defendants Disposed Before Trial: 1,320
Total Defendants Disposed After Trial – Non-Jury: 0
Total Defendants Disposed After Trial – Jury: 1

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Section V. County Criminal Part 2. Special Proceedings

| Number of Bond Hearings        | 5  |
|--------------------------------|----|
| Adversary Preliminary Hearings | 0  |
| Probation Revocation Hearings  | 89 |
| Post Conviction Relief Motions | 0  |

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### Section VI. County Civil

|                             | Small Claims<br>(\$0 - \$5,000) | <b>Civil</b> (\$5,001 - \$15,000) | ${\bf Replevins}$ | Evictions | Other Civil | Total |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| A. Cases Filed              | 406                             | 193                               | 4                 | 208       | 4           | 815   |
| B. Cases Disposed           |                                 |                                   |                   |           |             |       |
| 1. Dismissed Before Hearing | 52                              | 15                                | 0                 | 10        | 0           | 77    |
| 2. Disposed After Hearing   | 42                              | 7                                 | 1                 | 1         | 0           | 51    |
| 3. Disposed by Default      | 78                              | 63                                | 0                 | 81        | 0           | 222   |
| 4. Disposed by Judge        | 62                              | 29                                | 0                 | 41        | 0           | 132   |
| 5. Disposed by Non-Jury     | 10                              | 1                                 | 0                 | 2         | 0           | 13    |
| 6. Disposed by Jury Trial   | 1                               | 0                                 | 0                 | 0         | 0           | 1     |
| 7. Other                    | 3                               | 5                                 | 0                 | 0         | 0           | 8     |
| Total Disposed              | 248                             | 120                               | 1                 | 135       | 0           | 504   |
| C. Cases Reopened           | 174                             | 71                                | 1                 | 17        | 1           | 264   |

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#### Section VII. Traffic

Part I. Civil Infractions

#### Part II. Criminal Offenses

|                                     |       |                             | DUI | Other<br>Criminal | $\operatorname{Total}$ |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-----|-------------------|------------------------|
| A. Number of Cases Filed            | 6,068 | A. Number of Cases Filed    | 193 | 565               | 758                    |
| B. Number of Cases Disposed         |       | B. Number of Cases Disposed |     |                   |                        |
| 1. After Hearing By Judge           | 454   | 1. By Judge                 | 4   | 27                | 31                     |
| 2. Other Than Hearing               | 1,017 | 2. Jury Trial               | 0   | 0                 | 0                      |
| 3. After Hearing By Hearing Officer | 1     | 3. Non-Jury Trial           | 0   | 1                 | 1                      |
|                                     |       | 4. Other                    | 1   | 10                | 11                     |
| Total Disposed                      | 1,472 | Total Disposed              | 5   | 38                | 43                     |

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<sup>2.</sup> This data is based on information received from the Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (DHSMV), Uniform Traffic Citations.

<sup>3.</sup> Due to the nature of the pipeline from county (or ticketing agency) through DHSMV to the OSCA, reports within three months of the run date may may reflect fewer counts than actually exist. However, if the difference persists for several months, please contact the OSCA as this may be indicative of a developing reporting issue.