



**United States District Court  
Southern District of New York**

**Colleen McMahon**  
*Chief Judge*

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**COURT NOTICE TO THE BAR**

November 3, 2017

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**Southern District Adopts Revision to Rule for Division of Business 6(e),  
Criminal Proceedings (Filing and Assignment)**

The United States District Court for the Southern District of New York has adopted a revision to the Local Rules for Division of Business.

Rule 6(e) of the Rules for Division of Business Among District Judges, regarding the assignment of superseding indictments and informations, has been revised as indicated in the attached Standing Order of the Court.

The modified Rule follows this notice and may also be found at <http://nysd.uscourts.gov>

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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IN RE:

RULE 6. CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS OF  
THE RULES FOR THE DIVISION OF  
BUSINESS AMONG DISTRICT JUDGES  
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ORDER

On October 25, 2017, the Board of Judges of the Southern District of New York approved amendments to Rule 6. Criminal Proceedings of the Rules for the Division of Business Among District Judges. These amendments take effect on November 1, 2017. The amendments are as follows:

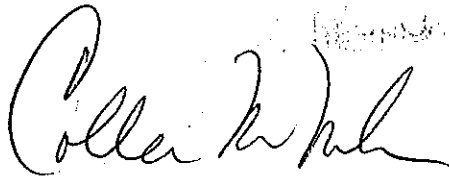
Rule 6. Criminal Proceedings

(e) Assignment of Superseding Indictments and Informations.

~~A superseding indictment or information will be assigned to the same judge to whom the original indictment or information was assigned.~~

An indictment or information designated by the grand jury or the United States Attorney as a superseding indictment or information will be assigned to the same judge to whom the original indictment or information was assigned and may not be reassigned from that judge except pursuant to the order of that judge or in the circumstances outlined in Rules 14 through 17. Any questions with respect to such designation as a superseding indictment or information shall be decided by that judge subject to appellate review where applicable. The judge may require the United States Attorney to explain in writing, either under seal or otherwise, the reasons for proceeding by superseding indictment or information before that judge rather than in another manner.

SO ORDERED.



Colleen McMahon  
Chief Judge

Dated: New York, New York  
November / , 2017