

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY, FLORIDA**

SPECIAL ORDER

**AMENDING ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 2-73.5 TO EXTEND THE
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COURT PROGRAM THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2016**

WHEREAS, on September 30, 2014, the Court entered Administrative Order No. 2-73.5, titled *In Re: Expansion and Modification of Polk County Behavioral Court*; and

WHEREAS, Section 11 of Administrative Order No. 2-73.5 provides that the administrative order will automatically terminate at 12:00am on October 1, 2015, unless extended by special order upon agreement of the Court, the Office of the State Attorney, and the Office of the Public Defender; and

WHEREAS, the Court, the Office of the State Attorney, and the Office of the Public Defender are in agreement that Administrative Order No. 2-73.5 should be extended for another year; it is therefore

ORDERED and DIRECTED that effective immediately, Section 11 of Administrative Order No. 2-73.5 is AMENDED to read that “Administrative Order No. 2-73.5 remains effective up to and including September 30, 2016, unless extended by special order upon agreement of the Court, the Office of the State Attorney, and the Office of the Public Defender. In the event that a special order extending Administrative Order No. 2-73.5 is not entered on or before September 30, 2016, the administrative order will automatically terminate at 12:00am on October 1, 2016.”

DONE AND ORDERED on this _____ day of September, 2015.

DONALD G. JACOBSEN, Chief Judge

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