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Subject: Administrative Order 26 --Emergency Bail and Plea Procedure

Chief Jensen:

I respectfully request that part of Administrative Order 26(b) be reviewed. In particular, I ask the reference in Admin Order 26(b) to NDRCrimPro Rule 43(c) be reviewed since it seems that Rule 43(b) is more appropriate when allowing a district court the authority to take a written guilty plea when a defendant is facing a presumptive probation sentence.

Thank you Chief.

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