## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE TWENTY-THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KENDALL COUNTY, ILLINOIS

## **ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 13-13**

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## TELEPHONIC COURT PROCEEDINGS

- 1. Effective June 24, 2013, as a means to increase efficiencies and reduce costs to participants, and pursuant to the provisions of Supreme Court Rule 185, use of the independent conference servicing company CourtCall is hereby made available for telephonic appearances for parties and counsel of record in civil cases at the Kendall County Courthouse.
- 2. Telephonic court appearances for parties and counsel of record are permitted in courtroom 115 at the 9:00 a.m. call on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of non-jury weeks for all civil cases assigned to that courtroom, after entry of an initial order approving such appearances. [Note: The judge in courtroom 115 usually takes the bench at 8:45 a.m. for agreed and/or uncontested matters. It is anticipated that most case status or case management appearances should be uncontested, and could be heard at 8:45 a.m.]
- 3. Telephonic appearances shall not be permitted for:
  - a. argument on contested or briefed motions,
  - b. evidentiary hearings,
  - c. more than three consecutive case management conferences, or
  - d. other matters designated by the court as requiring a personal appearance.

Permission to appear telephonically will be denied on all scheduled telephonic appearances which do not strictly comply with this administrative order, and may be denied as ordered by the court.

4. Existing Supreme Court Rules and 23<sup>rd</sup> Circuit Local Rules and procedures regarding the making of the record by a court reporter or obtaining a transcript after a hearing shall apply to hearings at which telephonic appearances are made. No recordings shall be made of any court proceeding or of any telephonic appearances except in compliance with Local Rule 1.70.