

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY

It is ORDERED that the August 29, 2018 omnibus order designating those Municipal Court judges authorized to handle adult and minor involuntary commitment initial hearings, review hearings, and conversion hearings, with the judges listed by vicinage but having statewide jurisdiction, which order has been amended a number of times, most recently by order dated May 14, 2026, is further amended effective immediately, as follows:

Vicinage 1 (Atlantic/Cape May)

remove Hon. Henry L. Warner

Vicinage 4 (Camden)

add Hon. Charles Shimberg

Vicinage 6 (Hudson)

remove Hon. Scott Pennington

add Hon. Craig S. Kojac

Vicinage 10 (Morris/Sussex)

remove Hon. Louis P. Mellinger

Vicinage 12 (Union)

remove Hon. Suzette Cavadas

remove Hon. Seth G. Dombeck

Vicinage 13 (Somerset/Hunterdon/Warren)

remove Hon. Shelia D. Ellington

remove Hon. Louis P. Mellinger

add Hon. Michael W. Fedun



Chief Justice

Dated: June 26, 2026