

IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
OF FLORIDA.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF JUDGE

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 76-13

RE: Court Reporter Compensation for Reporting Final Argument
in Criminal Cases

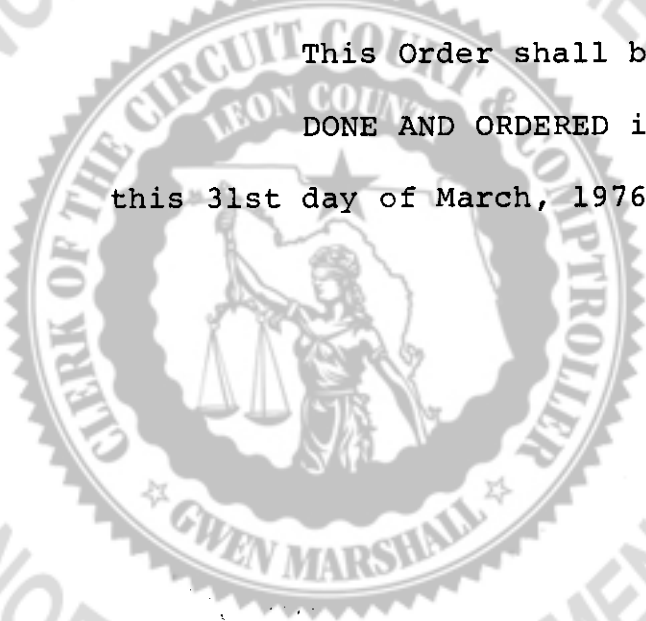
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Pursuant to Chapter 29, Florida Statutes, 1975, entitled
Official Court Reporter, and particularly Section 29.03, an Official
Court Reporter is entitled to receive compensation for reporting
the final argument of counsel in a criminal case when directed to
do such reporting by the presiding judge or by counsel of either
the state or the defendant, such compensation being not less than
\$10.00 for reporting each such argument.

These statutory proceedings are construed to require that
when only one party requests that argument of only one side be
reported then a \$10.00 charge may be made, and if both parties re-
quest each of the arguments be reported, then a \$20.00 charge may
be made. However, in no event shall more than a \$20.00 fee be
charged in any case, except if there are multiple defendants, sep-
arately represented by different counsel and separate arguments are
made by such counsel, the reporter may charge \$10.00 for each
argument made.

This Order shall become effective April 1, 1976.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Tallahassee, Florida
this 31st day of March, 1976.



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BEM C. WILLIS, CHIEF JUDGE

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