SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA

ORDER

Acting in accordance with Article V, Sections 1 and 5 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, and the inherent power of this Court, and considering the need to amend Rule XXXIII, Part I, Section 4 of the Rules of this Court,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

Rule XXXIII, Part I, Section 4 of the Rules of this Court be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

RULE XXXIII. SPECIAL RULES FOR CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT CASES

PART I. Reassignment to Specialized Divisions

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Section 4. Pilot Program.

Until such time as the legislature may grant formal authority for the permanent establishment of the specialized division, the authority herein granted by this Rule shall be limited to six years from the date a specialized division is established on a pilot basis.

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New Orleans, Louisiana, this _____ day of October, 2003.

FOR THE COURT:

Pascal F. Calogero, Jr., Chief Justice