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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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JULIE RICHARDS JOHNSTON, CLERK  
US DISTRICT COURT, EDNC  
BY EPJ DEP CLK

In the Matter of Assignment of )  
Petty Offenses and Other Misdemeanors )  
Occurring on Federal and Private Lands )  
in the Eastern and Northern Divisions )

**STANDING ORDER**

This court exercises jurisdiction over petty offense and other misdemeanor cases arising on certain federal and non-federal lands.

Pursuant to Local Criminal Rule 56.1, all petty offenses and misdemeanor matters arising on non-federal lands shall be assigned to the division in which the offense or misdemeanor occurred.

In the interest of justice and efficient court administration and pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 137, the petty offenses and other misdemeanor matters, occurring on federal lands within the Eastern and Northern Divisions of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina, shall be assigned as follows:

<u><b>Eastern Division Misdemeanor Docket</b></u>	<u><b>Agency</b></u>
Cape Lookout National Seashore	National Park Service
Cedar Island National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Cherry Point Marine Corps Air Station	U.S. Marine Corps
Croatan National Forest	U.S. Forest Service
Mattamuskeet National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Swanquarter National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

All matters assigned to the Eastern Division shall be heard at the United States Courthouse in New Bern, North Carolina unless otherwise ordered by the presiding judge.

**Northern Division Misdemeanor Docket**

**Agency**

Alligator River National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Cape Hatteras National Seashore, including Ocracoke Island	National Park Service
Coast Guard Air Station Elizabeth City	U.S. Coast Guard
Currituck National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Mackay Island National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Pea Island National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Pocosin National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Roanoke River National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

All matters assigned to the Northern Division shall be heard at the United States Courthouse in Elizabeth City, North Carolina unless otherwise ordered by the presiding judge.

SO ORDERED. This 23 day of March 2015.

  
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JAMES C. DEVER III  
Chief United States District Judge